

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO.

GLASGOW HOUSE, ACTON. While thanking their numerous customers for their very liberal patronage during the past season, beg to intimate that they are again fully equipped for the Fall and Winter campaign, having laid in the largest, cheapest, and most choice stocks of

GENERAL DRY GOODS, MILLINERY, MANTLES, TWEEDS, FLANNELS, HOSIERY, SHIRTS, DRAWERS, HATS, CAPS, ETC., ever imported into this county by any one house, and at prices below anything ever known in the history of the Dry Goods trade. Their object is every one in quantity, quality and price, and cordially invite the fullest inspection of their goods and prices. Their stock of **BOOTS AND SHOES** in Men's, Women's and Children's wear, for quantity, quality and price combined, far exceeds anything ever offered before in this or adjoining counties. This advantage over other dealers is obtained by their purchasing direct from the manufacturers, instead of buying through jobbers as most houses do, thereby saving the wholesale dealers profit. A liberal discount to families buying in one lot five or more pairs. Their **ORDERED CLOTHING DEPARTMENT** still maintains its reputation for style, neatness, durability and cheapness. In fact to get a neat and stylish suit at a reasonable price it is necessary to call at the Glasgow House. Full lines of **GROCERIES, TEAS, &c.**, always on hand. **TEA** at 50c per pound, worth 80c.—Decidedly the best value ever offered.

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GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE
Trains leave Acton as follows:—

Morning Mail	9:10 a.m.
Day Express	1:50 p.m.
Evening Mail	6:00 p.m.
Mixed	7:15 p.m.
Night Express	12:45 a.m.
Day Express	3:40 a.m.
Mixed	8:35 a.m.
Day Express	11:35 a.m.
Mixed	5:30 p.m.
Mixed	8:40 p.m.

ACTON POST OFFICE.
Mails going West are closed at 8:45 a.m. Mails going East at 5 p.m.
Registered Letters must be in five minutes before the above hours.
Knatchbull mail: Tuesdays and Fridays.

LOCAL NEWS.—It shall be glad, at all times, to receive items of local news, such as special church services, meetings of temperance or other societies, accidents, or any important locality in the county generally. Matters of this kind may be sent marked "Printer's Copy," at the rate of one cent per line, and not subject to any charge for publication if it is necessary to us to receive it by Thursday morning, at the latest.

LOCAL MATTERS.

A tea meeting will be held at Brookville, Nissagawayas, on the 27th inst., under the auspices of the Sons of Temperance, on the occasion of opening their new hall.

In the prize list of the Esqueus Show, last week, a mistake occurred in giving credit to Test & Alexander for 1st prize in lumber wagons. It should have been 1st to James Byler, of Acton, and 2nd to Test & Alexander.

At the County Show, in Milton, the first prize for a collection of photographs, and the first for large photographs in frames, were both awarded to Hill Bros., of Acton. The competitors were H. A. Eldred, of Georgetown, and E. P. Coulson, of Milton. The second prizes were given to the latter.

A very prominent feature in the Crystal Palace at the County Show, this week, was the handsome display of hardware, groceries and glassware, made by Messrs. Scott Bros., of Acton. This firm deserves credit for the energy and enterprise with which they conduct their business. That it pays, is fully evident from the extensive trade which their premises has secured.

Fatal Accident.
Last Friday evening, shortly before six o'clock, Matthias Zimmerman, eldest son of Mr. Stafford Zimmerman, of the village fell from a load of shingles, near the railway crossing, and was killed by the wheels of the wagon going over his body. The young man had been doing some work during the day for Mr. Peter Armstrong, and late in the afternoon he was asked to take the team and bring a load of shingles from the mill for Mr. Armstrong's new barn. When arriving at the railway crossing, there was a locomotive taking water at the tank, and instead of waiting till the train had passed, he drove the team across the track, and just at that moment it appears the engine, sounded the whistle, at which the horses became frightened and jumping suddenly, threw off the driver, with several bunches of shingles. The wheels of the wagon ran over his body. He was seen to rise up on his feet, clasp his hands to his breast and almost immediately fall down again, unconscious. Two of the train men picked him up and carried him into Mr. Armstrong's house, where he expired in about five hours. He was about 23 years of age and highly esteemed by a large number of friends and acquaintances. Being a member of the Acton Division Sons of Temperance, his remains were interred on Sunday with the Society's honors—a very large number of the brethren joining in the funeral procession.

—G. M. Scott is now in receipt of a splendid stock of fall and winter Dry Goods, which were bought for cash, thereby saving at least 15 per cent. The benefit he intends giving to the public and his customers. An early call solicited.

—Wanted: 1000 dozen good fresh eggs. Also any quantity of good fresh butter. Highest price.—Second Box.

—Now is an excellent time to subscribe for the Acton Free Press. It is only one dollar a year—free of postage.

—We are showing this week ten different patterns of china tea sets; ten different patterns of glass tea sets. Also a full stock of all kinds of beautiful goods in glass, porcelain, dishes, pitchers, sets, tumblers, goblets, nappies, etc. Stockery ware of all kinds just received and will be sold cheap.—Second Box.

—Our friends should begin now to make up clubs for the Acton Free Press. Any one sending us a club of eight subscribers, with eight dollars, will be entitled to another copy free.

Don't be alarmed, friends; the large advertisement occupying the whole of the fourth page of the Free Press is only to be in this week. We shall have our full quantity of reading matter in next issue, and trust our subscribers will forgive us for trying to make a few extra dollars occasionally out of our advertising patrons. Remember, it is up-hill work publishing a country paper at a dollar a year, and that it is only by the liberal patronage of advertising friends that a paper can exist at that price. We trust Messrs. Scott Bros. will reap the rich reward due to their enterprising spirit.

The Mercantile Insurance Co. is the name of a new company which shortly commences business in Waterloo village.

The Lieut. Governor, accompanied by the Hon. O. G. Wood, Commissioner of Agriculture, and other gentlemen visited the Model Farm at Guelph on Thursday. The Town Council gave them a public reception.

The new Baptist Church, in Guelph, is to be formally opened next Sabbath.

Mr. Osborn, of the Guelph Sewing Machine Co., came near finishing his career on earth by taking a dose of acetate mistaking it for wine. It appears that he has been unwell for some time past, and the doctor recommended a little wine to strengthen him. Mr. Osborn, on Friday evening feeling weak, took half a wineglassful of the wine—as he supposed—but as soon as he swallowed it he knew from the sweetened there was something wrong. He at once sent for a doctor and in the meantime took an emetic which failed to work, and when the doctor came he was unwell, and it was three o'clock in the morning before he was pronounced out of danger. There was for a time but little hopes of him. It is said he might be very happy a good deal better, but very weak.

Hugh Black, a Fungus mason, committed suicide at Guelph on Sunday night by hanging himself in a very defective manner. He had for a long time previous to his death been addicted to the use of liquor. He appears to have been sober at the time of his death. The verdict of the coroner's jury states that he died while laboring under a fit of temporary insanity.

HARVESTING IN THE NORTH.
Hundreds of acres of valuable crops, consisting chiefly of oats, are still in a very defective manner. The season in these localities has been exceedingly wet, and much of the grain that is housed is in a bad condition. Crops are heavy and would yield abundantly could they be securely harvested.

TIME UP.
We desire to call the attention of our customers who have not yet favored us with the amount of their accounts, that they fall due on the 1st of this month. On that date every account on our books, be it of long or short date, is due. This being the time when our own bills fall due, we require the money and bodies this, we must square off our books every 1st of October entirely. But in order to accommodate and meet the wishes of our customers and friends who are still in arrears, so far as we possibly can, we have decided to extend the time till the 15th day of October, when all accounts remaining unpaid after that date, will certainly have to be liquidated over a collection, and we will be obliged if our friends will try and settle this very unpleasant necessity upon us. We have also about five hundred small accounts on our books, ranging from one to ten dollars, amounting in the aggregate to about three thousand dollars; though each one is a very small item, yet to us they are a very large item, and their payment would be a valuable assistance to us. We would be obliged if our friends owing any of these small accounts will attend to them by the above date.—Second Box.

ACTON MARKETS.
White Wheat 0 00 to 1 00
Treadwell 0 95 to 1 00
Spring Wheat 0 90 to 1 00
Barley 60 to 0 65
Oats 35 to 0 00
Peas 65 to 0 67
Potatoes, per bush 40 to 0 00
Onions, per bush 0 05 to 0 00
Butter 22 to 0 00
Eggs 15 to 0 00
Pork 125 to 0 00
Hay, per ton 14 00 to 15 00
Chicken, per lb 0 08 to 0 00
Ducks 0 07 to 0 00

GUELPH MARKETS.
Fall wheat, 95c to \$1.05; treadwell, 90c to 95c; spring wheat, (Guelph), 95c to \$1; spring wheat (red chaff), 85c to 90c; oats, 35c to 40c; peas, 65c to 70c; barley, 55c to 60c; eggs, per dozen, 15c to 16c; butter, dairy packed, 20c to 22c; potatoes, per bag, 50c to 60c.

THE EMPORIUM

FOR CHEAP

Millinery, Mantles, Dress, and Fancy Goods, Jewellery, Toys, &c., &c.

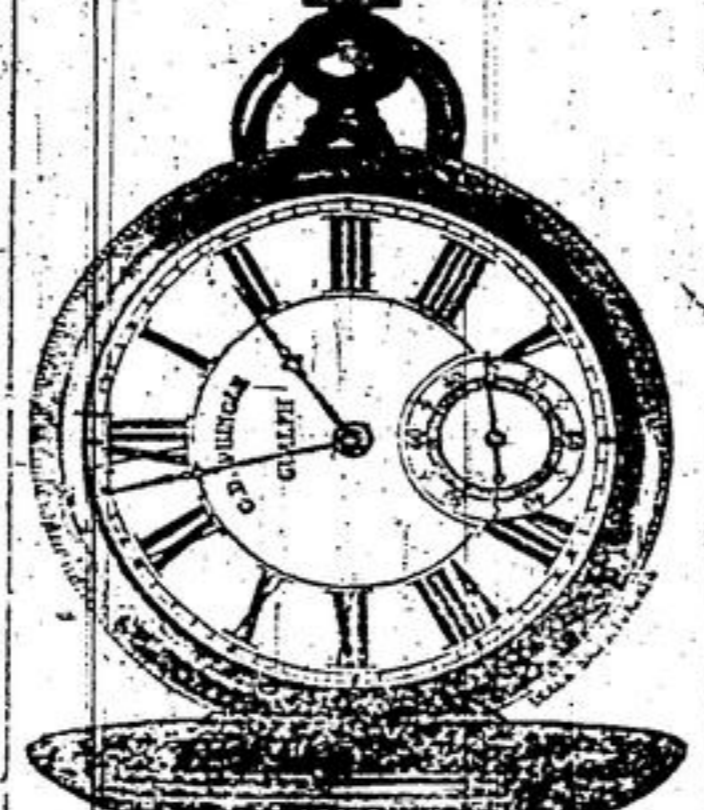
Don't fail to go to The Emporium. The above lines you will find complete.

Call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

MILLINERY A SPECIALITY.

D. McNAIR.

Acton, July 1st, 1875.—G.M.



PRINGLE, Watchmaker, Guelph.

Has a good stock of "RUSSELL" AND "AMERICAN" WATCHES Always on hand.

He attends to repairing of fine watches himself.

Mr. Hacking, of the Free Press, will kindly call on my watches and jewelry to send from Guelph when requested. Guelph, Sept. 27, 1875.

R. CREECH, ACTON, Wholesale Manufacturer of COLLARS, DEALER IN Saddles, Harness, Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, Horse Clothing, Whips, Combs And Brushes

REPAIRING
Of all kinds done with neatness and on the shortest notice. All who require goods in our line will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Remember the Stand—July 1, 1875. B. CREECH, Acton.

BOYS TO MANUFACTURERS.
THE VILLAGE OF ACTON
Is 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 corporation. Acton possesses good railway facilities, being on the Grand Trunk Railway, thirty-five miles from Toronto. It is a beautiful and healthy location, is free from manufacturing debts, and property can be obtained of reasonable terms. HENRY P. MURPHY, Village Clerk.

C. T. HILL,

Mill Street, ACTON, DEALER IN

General Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Wall Paper, Window Blinds, Crockery, Glassware, Nails, Glass, Putty, Linseed Oil, Raw & Boiled, Paints, Turpentine, Machine Oil, Coal Oil, Salt, etc.

ALSO PARIS GREEN & HELLEBORE

For the Destruction of Potato Bugs Caterpillars and other insects.

The subscriber begs to return his thanks to the inhabitants of Acton and surrounding country for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and at the same time solicit their further support.

N.B.—Cash Paid for Hides delivered. Acton, July 1st, 1875. C. T. HILL.

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MINISTERS, S. S. Superintendents and S. S. Teachers. Upwards of 500 different kinds of entirely new S. S. Cards and Tickets, ANDERSON'S CHEAP ECCATGORE On East side Wyndham Street, GUELPH.

THAT WONDERFUL MAN

JOHN HOGG, Has pleasure in letting the good people of Acton and the Counties of Haldon 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.

August 7, 1875. JOHN HOGG, Alma Block, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Boots and Shoes DOMINION EMPORIUM

A large stock of Boots and Shoes, of the very best manufacture, has just been received at **G. M. SCOTT**

Takes this opportunity of informing the inhabitants of Acton and surrounding country, that owing to the satisfactory turn which business has taken, and at the solicitation of a number of his best customers, he has been induced to

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

NEW BOOT & SHOE STORE, MILL STREET, ACTON.

A full line of all sizes for MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, Will be found to select from, at prices as low as can be had anywhere. Call and See Us. Special attention is called to our CUSTOM WORK, which at all times receives our careful personal supervision. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Repairing neatly and promptly attended to. Acton, Sept. 28, 1875. CRAINE & SON.

FOUND AT LAST. BOOTS AND SHOES

That the cheapest spot in the County for **KENNEDY BROTHERS,** Who are selling off the balance of their immense stock at GREAT REDUCTION FOR CASH, In order to make room for their Fall Goods.

Don't fail to secure some of the unheard of bargains that they are now offering in Men, Women and Children's Boots and Shoes.

Particular attention paid to Custom Work and Repairing. As we employ only first class workmen, we can turn out work that for style and durability is second to none in the Dominion. KENNEDY BROS. Acton, August 24, 1875.

ACTON Steam Carriage & Wagon Works

General Blacksmith, Carriage and Wagon Maker. Best Horse-Shoers in the County. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed or no price charged. REPAIRING promptly and properly attended to. Acton, July 1, 1875.

MICHAEL SPEIGHT,

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THE PRINCIPAL REASON GOLDEN LION OF GUELPH

Is underselling all the other merchants, is because he BUYS FOR CASH AND CASH ONLY, and has resident in the British markets two first-class buyers—one in Glasgow and the other in London, England—both daily on the spot, reaping all advantages for the patrons of the Lion. THE LION! THE LION!

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