

LOCAL MATTERS.

Village Council this evening.

Biggest snow storm of the season on Monday last, and that ain't saying much either.

Merchants are getting in their spring goods. Business should be lively this year, for people can't wear their old clothes forever.

It is said that the Georgetown Good Templars propose giving an amateur dramatic performance in Acton some day next week.

Executors of the estate of the late Henry Ryder will sell by auction, a quantity of farm stock and implements, on Friday, 31st inst., on Lot No. 31, 4th con. of Esqueping.

Mr. P. McCann announces in our advertising columns that he has commenced the undertaking business, and that he is prepared to furnish a hearse and other requisites in that line.

Mr. Moses Roper, a large-sized representative of the African race, announced a lecture for last Monday evening.

The audience consisted of five persons—three of whom were dead-heads. Mr. Roper didn't choose to waste his sweetness on the desert air.

The lights quenched, and so were the inhabitants of this burg deprived of the brilliant scintillations and eloquent perorations of this eminent genus of color.

Big Sawing. Messrs. J. & A. Mann sawed for Mr. Michael Lamb, on Lot 29, 6th concession of Esqueping, last Friday, 153 cords of wood in seven hours.

Gents' Felt Hats in great variety of style and quality—cheap and durable—at the Cash System—Christie, Henderson & Co.

Gents' white dress shirt from \$1.00 up, at G. M. Scott's, Acton.

Boots and Shoes for the mill—Yon at Christie, Henderson & Co.'s cheap cash store.

Ladies, if you want a cheap Dress, go to G. M. Scott's, Acton.

Buy your Dress Goods—Prints, Cottons, in fact everything you want at the cheap cash store, Acton.

Money saved by buying at G. M. Scott's, Acton.

Black Dress Goods in Lustres, Caloures, Cashmeres, Persian Cordes, Crapes (Clothes, &c.), in great variety.

Christie, Henderson & Co., Acton, on and after 31st inst., will adhere strictly to the cash system.

Christie, Henderson & Co.'s cheap cash store, beautiful Prints, latest styles, from 7 cents up.

Cottons from 25¢ per yard up, at G. M. Scott's.

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THE PUZZLER.

ENIGMA No. 1—My first, my second, my third and fourth I ate.

PROBLEM—A young man well versed in figures hired with a gentleman in course of time he fell in love with the gentleman's daughter.

CHARADE No. 2—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 3—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 4—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 5—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 6—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 7—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

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CHARADE No. 30—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 31—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 32—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 33—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 34—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

CHARADE No. 35—My 1st is a title, My 2nd is four-fifths of the name of a small sailing vessel.

NEW SPRING TWEEDS.

JUST ARRIVED. A FINE LOT OF

Spring and Summer Suitings,

Which will be sold Cheap, especially to Cash Buyers.

We are noted for Fashionable and Durable Goods.

DICKSON & McNAB.

Acton, March 15, 1876.

DRUGS, DRUGS, DRUGS.

CHEAPEST

Drugs, Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, Patent and Proprietary Medicines, Fancy and Toilet Soaps, Sponges, Brushes, Paints, Oils and Varnishes, Fancy and Rubber Goods.

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS for Medicinal Purposes only.

All goods warranted of the quality and at ten per cent below Toronto prices.

Medical Hall, Mill street, Acton.

Acton, March 13, 1876. G. E. MORROW.

SECORD BROS.,

MONTREAL HOUSE,

ACTON.

We believe the correct principle of advertising and doing business generally to be, to show customers and others, clearly, positively and convincingly, that it is to their interests to trade with the party advertising.

This of course is not possible to every merchant, for to do so he must be able to show clearly that he can give them better value for their money than they can get elsewhere.

To accomplish this, he must not only buy well but he must mark all Goods down to Bottom Prices, so that customers will see at a glance, that it is to their interests to trade with him.

In the two invoices below we think we clearly show the advantage gained by those who deal with us, over those who don't.

A customer bought of Secord Bros.;

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Meteor Tea, Bright Sugar, Medium Bright Sugar, Best Hyson Tea, Knives and Forks, China, and Coal Oil.

Another party who didn't buy at Secord Bros., had to pay the following prices for the same goods:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Meteor Tea, Bright Sugar, Medium Bright Sugar, Best Hyson Tea, Knives and Forks, China, and Coal Oil.

Secord Bros.' customer thus saved no less than \$3.89 on a purchase of about eleven dollars.

The man who didn't buy from them now thinks it would have been to his interests if he had gone to Secord Bros.—That man is now a living, standing, walking advertisement for us.

These are every day facts, witnessed to by hundreds of our customers, and commend themselves to the attention of every frugal housekeeper.

Orders of five dollars and upwards delivered at Georgetown, Norval, Limehouse, Guelph, Rockwood, &c., free of charge.

SECORD BROS., Acton,

The largest Retail Importers of Tea west of Toronto.

THAT WONDERFUL MAN.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

FIRST ARRIVALS IN GUELPH.

39 PACKAGES OF NEW GOODS.

One Case Fancy Dress Goods. Newest Goods to be Found.

ONE CASE OF BLACK LUSTRES AND ALPACAS. BEST VALUE IN THE DOMINION.

An Immense Variety of FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS Arriving Daily.

I would intimate to my old friends that my Agent in Britain has been able this dull season to obtain extraordinary bargains, all of which you shall have the full benefit of. An early call is solicited.

JOHN HOGG,

Alms Block, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.

CASH SYSTEM. NOTHING LIKE

TIN.

When you have the Tin to buy it.

SELL FOR CASH! BUY FOR CASH!

SAVE MONEY AND BECOME RICH!

The Everywhere Popular CASH SYSTEM

Adopted by

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO.,

ACTON.

Being convinced by observation and experience that the only true principle on which business can be successfully and satisfactorily carried on is the now Popular Cash System, we have determined in all transactions to BUY AND SELL FOR READY PAY ONLY, commencing on the 31st day of March next, on and after which date we will adhere strictly to the Cash System.

By buying for cash and taking advantage of trade discounts, we will be enabled to sell goods at but a slight advance on importers' and manufacturers' prices, and decidedly lower than can be obtained by Grangers and others from city jobbers.

To do this we adopt the Cash Principle, and we feel assured that our numerous customers and the public generally will accord us a hearty support in our effort to advance their interests by supplying them with a good article at a decidedly LOW PRICE.

This change, we feel, whilst resulting largely to the benefit of our patrons, will not in any way result in any material loss to ourselves, as we will effect a great saving in keeping books, collecting accounts, interest on outstanding moneys, &c.

A decided reduction will be made in the price of all goods handled by us, and we trust the difference will be such as will result in a material advantage to all parties, and receive general approval.

In the meantime special inducements will be offered to all CASH BUYERS.

Produce will be taken in exchange at market prices, and when required for the purposes of our trade will be paid for in cash if desired.

In buying Butter we will carefully grade and pay a price according to quality, thereby offering a premium for the best production.

We cordially invite inspection by all, and assure our many friends that in no instance will we allow their interests to suffer by dealing with us.

Our famous 50c TEA will still maintain its reputation as second to none in the Dominion for purity, pungency and flavor.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO.

Acton, Feb. 10, 1876.

N. B.—All overdue accounts and notes of hand must be settled forthwith without fail.

C. H. & Co.

Red Tickings, Sheetings, 500 Pieces New Handsome Prints, Table Linens, Towels, 5,000 Pieces Best American Cottons.

SABBATH SCHOOLS.

Presbyterian at Work.

Sabbath School World.

Sunday School Times.

Sunday School Superintendent's.

Westminster Question Book.

Berean Question Book.

International Lesson Leaves.

Westminster Lesson Leaves.

Berean Lesson Leaves.

Select Notes on the International Lessons for 1876.

The Largest and Cheapest Stock of Sabbath School Papers Samples forwarded, prepaid.

ORDER AT ONCE.

ANDERSON'S

CHEAP BOOKSTORE

On East Side of Wyndham Street, GUELPH.

CLEARING SALE OF

WINTER GOODS

Than can be obtained from any other house in the Province.

This is not blowing, but genuine facts. If you doubt it, give him a trial.

EAVETROUCHING A SPECIALTY.

Having just procured the most improved appliances for doing the work, he feels satisfied that he cannot be outdone in this branch.

The shop will shortly be considerably enlarged, and I intend to keep always on hand a large stock of

STOVES

Of all kinds, which will be sold at very low prices.

Coal Oil for Sale.

R. FISHER.

Acton, Feb. 25, 1876. 35-3m

To be rushed off at

THESE who always have

READY MONEY,

are the most particular in their efforts to make their purchases at the

Lowest Cash Price.

With Cash in Hand

No Losses Are Made!

and you can afford to sell lower than your neighbors, who must make up their losses by greater prices to those who pay and thus

MOST UNJUSTLY

SET OF HARNESS

Should call on

ROBT. CREECH,

MILL STREET, ACTON.

Who is always ready to supply customers with everything usually kept in a first-class Harness Shop.

Harness made to order on the shortest possible notice.

COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

R. CREECH, Acton.

Nov. 18, 1876.

DAY'S BOOKSTORE, GUELPH.