

SCHEDULE OF CONVICTIONS.

Returned to the Office of the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Halton, during the Quarter ending the Thirteenth day of June A. D. 1876.

Table with columns: Name of Prosecutor, Name of Defendant, Nature of charge, Date of Conviction, Name of Convicting Justice, Fine, Time Given, To whom paid by Justice, If not paid, why not—and General Observations.

I certify that the foregoing is a correct Schedule of the Convictions returned to my office for the Quarter above mentioned.

Office of the Clerk of the Peace, Milton, 15th June, 1876.

JOHN DEWAR, Clerk of the Peace, County of Halton.

THAT WONDERFUL MAN, JOHN HOGG, GUELPH, Upper Wyndham Street, Alma Block.

Tremendous Excitement! A Panic! See the Rush! Great Slaughter. No Old Bankrupt Stock to Palm Off. 1834 Cases and Bales of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods at Prices that will astonish the People.

These are times that people must have good, sound and honest goods in return for their money; [not eaten and bankrupt stuff won't do for the present intelligent day]. I have had to come to the rescue before to day; and now that the Trade of Guelph requires regulating, I am again called in to battle against high prices, inferior classes of goods and old foggy notions. I have this day marked off An Immense Quantity of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

My old friends and customers will be glad to hear of this large arrival of cheap and good goods by double better than any bankrupt stock.

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

GOLDEN LION OF GUELPH.

CHEAPEST DRY GOODS STORE IN ONTARIO.

From Montreal arriving by the car load every day.

THE HALF PRICE GOODS

The Greatest Bargains Ever Known.

The following are

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Children's Silk Parasols from 25c up. Ladies' Parasols and Umbrellas, from 37 1/2c to \$5—most beautiful articles selling at just half their value.

Dress Goods, from twelve and a half cents—beautiful patterns and styles.

Prints, perfect marvels of cheapness, finest American makes 5c and 6 1/2c a yard; best English 8c. Over 5,000 yards sold on Saturday.

Ladies' Satchels 75c. Costume Linen 12 1/2c. Grenadines 10c. Lawns 12 1/2c.

MILLINERY!

Largest Assortment of MOST TASTEFUL DESIGNS.

All who have called say they never saw Goods so Cheap. Come and See Us.

DRUGS, DRUGS.

CHEAPEST Drugs, Chemicals, Eye Stuffs, Patent and Proprietary Medicines, Fancy and Toilet Soaps, Sponges, Brushes.

Medical Hall, Mill street, Acton. Acton, March 13, 1875.

Second 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 Second Bros.

Second Bros., Acton. The largest Retail Importers of Tea west of Toronto.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To Breeders—C. S. Smith. Church Dedication in Acton. How to Save Money—D. McNair.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

Table with columns: Morning Mail, Day Express, Night Express, Mixed, etc. with times and destinations.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The Drill Shed has been secured by some of our young men, and it is being fitted up for strawberry festivals and promenade concerts, during the summer.

Mr. James Warren who recently went on a pleasure trip to Europe, has written to his brother, John Warren, from London, saying that he had arrived safely, after a very pleasant voyage. He will probably return in August.

Mr. J. G. Beam, General Agent of the Ontario Mutual Life Insurance Company of Waterloo, is now in Acton, on a business visit. He expects to receive applications from a number of our citizens for life policies. This is a good and safe company.

We omitted to mention last week that Mr. Sydney Smith, of the Acton Flour Company, had returned from Philadelphia, where he spent several days. He gives a good account of the exhibition and was well pleased with the appearance of things generally. The Acton Flour attracts a good deal of attention from the peculiarity of its construction and handsome finish.

The Centennial Varieties.

A troupe of colored singers from Tennessee, under the management of Prof. Ashford, gave an exhibition of sacred plantation singing, in the Methodist Church last Saturday evening, to a good audience. The company comprises four male and three female singers, the harmonious blending of whose voices in their rendering of the quaint and melodious songs of the Southern slaves, was remarkably effective, and gave great delight to every one present.

Song of Temperance Convention.

The quarterly convention of the Sons of Temperance of Halton County was held in the Temperance Hall, Acton, on Thursday last. The following delegates were present: Messrs. G. Kennedy, T. J. Starret, McEgley and Thayer, of Georgetown; Messrs. A. McKenney, M. McMillan, A. Aikens, of Nassau; Messrs. Harris and Matthey, of Kildare; S. McForman, D. Mann and R. Lamb, of Crewson's Corners; John P. Secord, John Speight, D. D. Christie, John Warren, and others, of Acton. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term, viz: John E. Skord, of Acton, President; J. Harris, of Kildare, Vice-President; T. J. Starret, of Georgetown, Secretary; A. McKenney, of Georgetown, Conductor; S. McForman, of Crewson's Corners, Sentinel; Rev. R. B. Cook, Acton; Chaplain. After the conclusion of the regular business of the convention, it was resolved to hold the next quarterly meeting in Nassau on September.

The new church building.

The new Methodist Church building is nearly completed, and the finishing touches are being pushed forward as rapidly as possible. The seats are nearly all in position, and the glaziers and painters are busy. Everything in fact is in a fair way for being finished, swept and garnished by this time next week. The formal opening and dedication of the church is to take place on Saturday the 1st of July. Mr. Snyder, the contractor is to be congratulated on this being able to fulfill his agreement so promptly to time, and also upon the superior manner in which the whole work has been accomplished. It reflects credit upon his skill and faithfulness to the terms of his contract. We gather from the trustees the following particulars: Cost of lot \$425; cost of building \$5,500; Eli Snyder, of Acton, Contractor; stone foundation, Duncan Kennedy and Andrew Lang, Acton; brick work, Hicks Bros., Guelph; carpenter and joiner work, E. Snyder, plastering and stucco work, Day & Martin, Guelph; painting

and glazing, John Lee, Georgetown; stained glass, McCausland, Toronto; iron castings, John Crowe and Harley & Heather, Guelph; pulp and furniture, Burr & Skinner, Guelph. The church has a seating capacity for over 600 people. Total cost for everything complete, including fencing and sheds, is estimated at \$7,000. Of this amount about \$4,000 is already subscribed. It is hoped that the contributions at the opening services will be sufficient to reduce the debt to a very small sum. Rev. Dr. Ives of Albany, N.Y., is announced to officiate at the dedicatory ceremonies, on Saturday, and on Sunday Rev. Alex. Sutherland of Toronto, will preach. We have no doubt there will be a large gathering on the occasion.

The following from the Godrich Signal, will be interesting to the many friends of Rev. Mr. Broley, who formerly resided in Acton, and is a son-in-law of Mr. Albin Hattaway. Mr. Broley has removed to Barfield:

The Rev. Jas. Broley having completed his full term on this circuit, the Quarterly official Board at its last meeting passed the following resolution, in connection with some others, cordially and unanimously:

Resolved, That the cordial and unanimous thanks of the Quarterly Official Board be presented to the Rev. Jas. Broley for the fidelity, ability, and efficiency, with which he has discharged the duties devolving on him during the last three years as Superintendent of this Circuit.

Since Mr. Broley came among us he has endeavored himself to his power, his preaching has been able, faithful and instructive; his conduct has been that of the Christian gentleman, and the Great Head of the Church has blessed his labors in the edification of the Church and gathering of about one hundred souls.

Praying that the Great Head of the Church may continue to guide, uphold and protect him; and with the kindest wishes for him and his excellent wife, we express our regret that the time has now come, when, in accordance with our Methodist economy, they must leave us for a new field of labor.

Patent Hay Racks for sale at the Post Office Cash Store, Acton. Also a good second hand Cooking Stove, cheap. Remember the 8 per cent discount for cash.

Mrs. Gohling, lately of Georgetown, has opened a millinery business in Guelph. She has already received a number of beautiful samples of fall millinery direct from Paris, among which are several new designs in ladies' silk riding hats of very fine quality.

STILL AHEAD—Arriving daily new lots of these superior prints at 5c and up. Factory cottons, all weights and widths, from 5c up. See them. Christie, Henderson & Co.

New Goods.—Secord Bros. are just receiving a splendid stock of fresh groceries, sugars, fruits, &c., also all kinds of paints, oils, hardware, &c. Terrier Seed of all kinds fresh, 6 pounds for a dollar.

L. W. Goodenow, of Georgetown, desires to say that he has received better terms on Musical Instruments from Waters & Sons, New York, than what he had a year ago, so that he is enabled to offer the Vielleste Organ, with 10 stop, 3 octaves, for \$135 each. This is the same kind of an organ that he sold to the Acton Division Sons of Temperance in May, 1875. The item Organ for \$200. A set of 20 sets reeds, diapason, melodia flute, principal tremolo diatonic and celest, for \$110. Now is the time to secure bargains in musical instruments. Others equally low. Can supply almost any organ made. Mason Hamlin Organ sold on monthly or quarterly payments, two years time.

The New Dominion Monthly for June has just been received, and, as usual, contains some very interesting reading matter. An article entitled "Quebec since Confederation," treats upon a subject which is attracting a great deal of attention just now, and is written from a strong, unbiased standpoint. "Bearing Witness to the Truth" is a very good story, and the short sketch of Bernadette's career is well worthy a perusal. Some excellent selections for the young folks are also contained in the number, and the home reading is of a quality which will be appreciated by all. Some extracts from "George Eliot's great work, 'Daniel Deronda,' will likewise be found highly interesting. Altogether, the June number is a good one.

We will continue to send the FREE PRESS to all our present subscribers whose term expires in July, unless we receive instructions to the contrary.

DIED.

In Esqueuing, near Acton, on the 20th inst., the wife of Mr. Richard Johnson.

EPH'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which will save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle poisons are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shift by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame.—Civil Service Gazette. Sold only in packets labeled—JAMES EPPS & CO., Homoeopathic Chemists, 48, Threadneedle Street, and 170, Piccadilly, London.

ACTON MARKETS.

Table with columns: Flour, White Wheat, Treadwell, Spring Wheat, Red Chaff Wheat, Barley, Oats, Beans, Potatoes, Butter, Eggs, Hay, per ton, Bacon, Ham, Shoulder, Lambkins.

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Big Drives!

SPECIAL BARGAINS!

Great Reduction in Dress Goods

Dress Goods worth 25c, reduced to 12 1/2c.

Dress Goods worth 30c, reduced to 15c.

Dress Goods worth 40c, reduced to 20c.

Dress Goods worth 50c, reduced to 25c.

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NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS TO CONTRACTORS.

All parties are hereby notified against trespassing by fishing or otherwise, on the premises known as Gordon's Creek, Lot 28, 6th concession of Esqueuing, as they hold themselves liable to prosecution according to law. Take warning.

WM. GORDON. Esqueuing, June 2nd, 1876.

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