

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE. Trains leave Acton as follows: Morning Mail, 9:10 a.m.; Day Express, 10:00 p.m.; Express, 6:12 p.m.; Mixed, 7:15 p.m.; Night Express, 12:45 a.m.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Notice—Mr. Carter, Castle Street, Wm. Gordon, Cow Stray—David Maloney, To Contractors—P. S. Armstrong, Masonic Notice—Regular Meeting, Caters and Sleighs—James Fowler, Dominion Harness Shop—E. K. Cook, For Sale—Desirable Property in Acton, Executors' Notice—Estate of Samuel Worsley.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Village Council meets on Saturday evening. Guelph Central Exhibition opens next Tuesday and will continue till Friday. Election of officers in Crown Point Division Sons of Temperance next Saturday evening. Erasmus Agricultural Exhibition at Rockwood to-day, Nassagaweya at Haltonville to-morrow. Contractors are directed to the advertisement calling for tenders for the new Congregational Church. We learn that Mr. Malcolm McPherson, who recently sold his farm to Mr. D. Williamson, intends removing to Bronte in a few months. Tenders are invited by the building committee for the brickwork, carpentering, etc., of the new Congregational Church in this village. The basement story of stone will be complete in a few days. There will be a social at Mr. P. S. Armstrong's on Friday evening, in behalf of the building fund of the new Congregational Church, to which the general public are invited. Mr. John Hogg's new advertisement is received too late for this week. It announces the arrival of immense quantities of new goods, to be sold at prices amazingly cheap. See the advertisement in next issue. Mr. Duncan Morrison and his wife, of Nassagaweya, returned from their trip to the Lower Provinces on Friday. They were away for six weeks, and expressed themselves as highly satisfied with their journey. No more need the poor man complain that his wages won't afford him the luxury of a good cup of tea three times a day, for he can get a good 50 cent tea for a good cup of tea, or three pence for a dollar, at Secord Bros. Cheap Cash Store. Mr. G. B. Leyens having to vacate the premises occupied by him as an oyster and fruit store, will recommence business in the same line, shortly, in the new store now being erected by Mr. Edward Matthews. The damage to the property of Mr. Joe. Hearnley, caused by the recent fire in his bush which was started on the adjoining farm of Mr. Thos. Davidson, who is settling by arbitration. We learn that the arbitrators have assessed the damage at \$150 and awarded that amount against Mr. Davidson, with costs \$13.50. The attention of the Executive Council is respectfully directed to the bad state of the crossroads leading from Speyde to the 6th line. The culverts and bridges are sadly in need of a thorough overhauling. Indeed it is said that this is the worst piece of road in the township, and that is saying a good deal. The Council meets on Friday at next week and our Speyde friends should make a special appeal to have the road "fixed." It is with pleasure we notice the great reduction the Messrs. Secord Bros. have made in the price of their goods. This firm, always the first to bring down prices wherever possible, have now made the grand reduction of the prices, and they deserve the liberal patronage of the public for their efforts to place goods in the hands of consumers at the lowest possible cost. A man going into that store now with a few dollars, is sure to get from a dollar and ten cents to a dollar and a half's worth of goods for every dollar he spends with them. People requiring goods can't afford to pass their store. They extend an invitation to every person to come and participate in the benefits of their great reduction. Teachers' Association. We are informed that the Hon. Mr. Crooks, Minister of Education, purposes meeting with the Halton County Teachers' Association, at Milton, on Saturday, 28th October. Further particulars will be given hereafter. Sons of Temperance. The following persons were elected officers of Acton Division, on Tuesday evening last: Robert Warren, W. P. Miss Shaw, W. E. Henry Moore, R. S. Miss H. Speight, A. R. S. Benj. Nicklin, Treas. J. Cameron, F. S. Rev. R. B. Cook, Chap. J. Shaw, C. Miss M. Strey, A. C. Miss Weston, L. E. R. Hughes, O. S. Ladies, you can get the latest design of the Circular Combs at the Medical Hall, Acton. Only think of it, three pounds of 50 cent Tea for a dollar. If you can't get a dollar for a dollar, if you can't get a dollar for a dollar, it raises your earnings to a dollar and a half. Think of it. You can't afford to miss such opportunities of adding to your earnings and comforts.

Base Ball. The Independents challenged the Pastimes, of Acton, to play a match in Acton last Saturday, but the latter club made no response. The above is from last week's Milton Champion. In reply, we may state that we have made inquiry concerning the matter, and learn from the secretary of the Pastime club, that a challenge was received on Thursday, 14th inst., the day before our civic holiday—for a match to be played here on the following Saturday. As some of the members of our club had previously made arrangements to be from home on that day, a verbal message was sent through a member of the Milton club, that the challenge could not then be accepted, for that reason. The secretary informs us that he wrote to the Milton club a week ago, explaining the matter, and offering to play a match with the Independents at any time before the close of the season, providing they gave reasonable notice of their intention to come. To this, no response has yet been received. The Pastimes are anxious to have satisfaction from the Independents and trust they will not fail to put in an appearance at an early date. G. M. Scott has by far the cheapest Winceys ever seen in Acton. Christie, Henderson & Co. don't make a practice of blowing that they have 1000 pieces of silk in stock when they have not more than 100 of that they have just opened 500 cases of woolen goods when they have not more than 50. They believe in sticking to facts and small profits, and only ask an opportunity of showing their goods and putting their prices. All goods marked down to half price, and no second prices. They don't buy goods to lie on their shelves. "Sell and repeat" is their motto. Try the Medical Hall, Acton, for School Books and Stationery. Tobacco, Groceries, Crockery, Hardware, and everything else cheaper than you ever got them for before, or than you can get them anywhere else. Secord Bros. NOTICE.—All accounts not settled by cash or note on the first day of October will be placed in court for collection.—Secord Bros. Christie, Henderson & Co. this week show a line of Winceys at 12 1/2 cents net, which they are willing to exchange both in width and weight with any goods of the same class offered elsewhere at 20 per cent higher. They are aware that this is a big challenge, but they are willing that the public should be the judge. New Indian Teas only 35 cents per pound. New Indian Tea only 35 cents per pound. Indian Tea worth 50 cents, only 35 cents per pound at Secord Bros. See them, buy them, drink them, they are good and cheap. Now rich for them only a few chests to be had.—Secord Bros. HATS AND CAPS.—Christie, Henderson & Co. this week show the largest, neatest and cheapest lot of (Gents', Boys' and Youths' Hats and Fall and Winter Caps ever offered in Acton. These fancy Scotch Caps will make any boy look gay. Don't fail to see them. You can get Dye Stuffs at 20 per cent below Guelph prices at the Medical Hall, Acton. Every person is availing themselves of our great reduction in prices. Come and save your money. We make every dollar you expend with us, get from a dollar and ten cents to a dollar and a half's worth of goods.—Secord Bros. For stylish Dress Goods go to G. M. Scott's. Ladies don't fail to see G. M. Scott's Dress Goods, they are very stylish and very cheap. Fancy Dress Goods in all the new and popular shades at the Glasgow House, Christie, Henderson & Co. finding trade rapidly increasing as their popular low cash prices become better known, have in all lines made greatly increased purchases, but more particularly in Ladies Dress Goods in which their stock this season will be unusually attractive in style, color and price. They invite special attention to this line and feel satisfied that their efforts to supply stylish and durable Dress Goods at low prices will be duly appreciated. SPECIAL NOTICE.—All accounts on my books must positively be settled on or before the 1st of October. After that date I shall keep strictly to the Cash System of doing business. My fall stock is now arriving and will be complete in a few days; goods will be sold extraordinarily cheap for cash or produce. J. W. MANN. G. M. Scott's Black Lustres are excellent value. Don't fail to see them. Those who require Dye Stuffs should try the Medical Hall, Acton, before purchasing elsewhere. Galloway Bros. make the best bread in the country. Give them a call. G. M. Scott has a choice lot of Ladies' Silk Ties. New Dress Goods in all the newest colors, at G. M. Scott's. A splendid stock of black and colored Kid Gloves, unusually cheap, at G. M. Scott's. Highest price paid for any quantity of good Butter and fresh Eggs at Christie, Henderson & Co's, Acton. Remember their famous 50c Tea. Choice Winceys only 12 1/2 at Christie, Henderson & Co's, Acton, pronounced by good judges to be cheap at 15c. Full size Cotton Bags only 83 per dozen. See them. Shirts and Drawers at hard pan prices, at Christie, Henderson & Co's, Acton. Grey Flannels, superior quality, at 15 to 20 per cent under last year's prices. Decidedly the best values offered. Gents, if you want a stylish Hat or Cap very cheap, go to G. M. Scott's. Galloway Bros. give 100 lbs. of bread for 100 lbs. of flour. For good tea cakes and buns go to Galloway's Bros., Acton Bakery.

THE CASH SYSTEM

Works Wonders beyond all Anticipations.

All Goods Reduced from 10 to 40 per cent on Credit Prices.

Below we give a few of our present prices, showing a striking comparison between the old Credit Prices and the new Cash System Prices. We have not room to quote all the Goods we handle here but we have given most of the principal articles in the trade. All other goods are being slaughtered in the same manner, and our patrons will recognize the fact at a glance that it has been our aim in marking down our goods to make a genuine reduction on everything that it is possible to reduce. We respectfully invite all persons to participate in the benefits of this great reduction.

SECORD BROS.

Table with 2 columns: OLD CREDIT PRICES, NEW CASH PRICES. Items include: Best [dollar] Hyson Tea, Medium Hyson Tea, Splendid Hyson Tea, Best [dollar] Gunpowder Tea, Medium Gunpowder Tea, Best Japan Tea, Medium Japan Tea, Good Japan Tea, Tolerable Japan Tea, Last pick Japan Tea, Best Black Tea, Good Black Tea, Medium Black Tea, Best Amber Syrup, Best Golden Syrup, Best No. 1 white wine Vinegar, Best XXX Pickling Vinegar, Oat Meal, small lots, per lb., Pot Barley, Lamp Chimneys, large, Lamp Chimneys, medium, Best Benson's Laundry Starch, Best Corn Starch, Best Brown Soap, per bar, Best Judd's Soap three bars, Best new Currants, Best old Currants, Best Turkish Prunes, new, Best Layer Raisins, Best Valencia Raisins, Mixed Pickles, bottles, Mixed Pickles, largest size, Mustard, per lb., Best Java Coffee, extra choice, Good Java Coffee, Fero Java Coffee, Best pure ground Pepper, Brooms, extra heavy, Brooms, medium, Brooms, light, Soda, baking, Soda, in five pound boxes, Set best white granite Tea ware, 44 pieces, Set of China Tea ware, 44 pieces, One dozen white granite Cups and Saucers, One dozen white granite Dinner Plates, largest, Set white granite Toilet ware, nine pieces, One dozen Knives and Forks, One dozen Knives and Forks, James' best No. 1 White Lead, Gold medal White Lead.

Who would buy on Credit when they can get goods at such astonishing Prices.

SECORD BROS.

Acton, Sept. 14, 1876.

CUTTERS STEAM

AND Carriage & Wagon WORKS, Main Street, Acton.

MICHAEL SPEIGHT, General Blacksmith, Carriage and Wagon-maker. Best Horse-Shoers in the County. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed or no price charged.

First-Class Plows and Collard's Patent Iron Harrows always on hand. A good stock of Carriages and Wagons. Repairing promptly and properly at tend to. Acton, July 18, 1876.

FARM FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers to sell his farm consisting of about 50 acres, being the south-west half of Lot No. 21, in the 2nd con. of Esqueving. Good house and barn, small orchard. The land is of excellent quality, well watered, 40 acres cleared, balance good maple wood. Apply to W. L. F. Eger, Milton, or to the owner on the premises, or by letter to Acton Post Office. DANIEL THOMPSON, Esqueving, July 15, 1876. 3-3m.

THAT WONDERFUL MAN.

FIRST EARLY ARRIVAL OF FALL GOODS. 129 PIECES New Styles and Colorings in.

Crossby's Tapestry Carpets, beautiful Goods! Velvet and Turkish Carpets, rich designs! Brussels Carpets, charming colors.

900 PIECES NEW DRESS GOODS, Comprising all of the newest colors, styles, and patterns of the fashionable world. Very pretty goods.

BLACK DRESS SILKS, 300 Pieces. All bought before the recent advance in raw silk. Prices 45 cents to \$3.00 per yard. No better goods to be had in the Dominion.

Plain, Fancy and Brocaded Silks, (701 Pieces). Magnificent quantities. Great selection. And the prices extremely low.

A call at any early day will well repay those who wish the nicest and cheapest goods in town.

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

1876. FALL. 1876.

THE GLASGOW HOUSE, ACTON.

Fresh, Choice, Cheap.

NEW GOODS.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO. Take pleasure in advising the arrival of new goods for the Fall and Winter Trade. Knowing fully the wants of their customers, and having exercised unusual care in making selections, they feel satisfied that they have secured a stock of goods for the Fall trade, which, for quality and cheapness combined will surpass all former efforts.

This week they show a great variety in lines suitable for the season, such as grey, scarlet and check Flannels, all wool, union and wincey shirts, all wool and Canton Shirts and Drawers, heavy Canadian Tweeds and Etoffs, plain, striped and checked Winceys, Dress Goods in popular shades and at popular prices, a large assortment of the far-famed Tiger Brand Black Lustres; Gents' Felt Hats, common to fine fur—all the popular styles in Canadian, English and American makes; men's and boys stoga and kip Boots, at 10 per cent under last year's prices; women's, misses' and children's Shoes in prunella and leather, a great variety to arrive;

Grey and white Cottons, also complete lines of Staple Goods at all times. In plain Wincey we show this week a line at 12 1/2c, pronounced cheap at 15c, and decidedly the best York shilling Wincey offered by any house in the trade.

During the season we shall continue to add whatever the comfort or taste of our customers may command, and hope by careful attention to their wants to merit as large a share of their trade as heretofore.

In all cases our goods are marked at Special Bottom Prices so as to preclude the possibility of putting in thread, buttons, &c., which when required will be charged for as other goods, a change which will be a decided gain to the purchaser. Instance—goods that would be sold at 20c, spoiled in, are marked 19c, showing a decided gain to the buyer of 5 cents in a purchase of 10 yards.

Our Motto—"Quick Sales, Large Sales, Close Prices, Small Profits." Our Terms are Strictly Cash or Produce.

No bad debts. No book-keepers' salaries. No costs for collection. No Division Court Suits. In fact we believe the CASH SYSTEM is the kind of "Protection" we want to restore the country to its former state of prosperity. Come and see us.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO.

N. B.—Choice Lot of Dark American Prints just to hand. Our famous 60c. TEA still leads the list. Try it, is all we ask. We know you will afterwards buy it. Acton, Sept. 6, 1876.

HURRAH FOR BARGAINS.

STILL AHEAD! CHEAPER THAN EVER

AT G. M. SCOTT'S

NEW FANCY DRESS GOODS Stylish and Cheap. NEW BLACK LUSTRES, Extra value. NEW WINCEYS, 25 per cent less than last year's prices. White, Scarlet, Grey and Fancy FLANNELS, Coarse TWEEDS and ETOFFS. Hollands, Table Linens, Towels, Towelling, Factory and Bleached COTTONS. Hosiery, Gloves, Crochet and Knitting Cotton Ladies' and Gents' Collars and Ties. Laces, Edgings, Ribbons, &c., &c.

A Fine Stock of Hats and Caps. In all the Latest English and American Styles. Also a very good Stock of General Groceries, Crockery & Glassware.

If you wish to Save Money, don't fail to call at G. M. SCOTT'S. Next door to Galloway Bros' Bakery, Mill Street, Acton. Acton, Sept. 20th, 1876.

POST OFFICE CASH STORE, ACTON, ONT.

The subscriber desires to thank his numerous cash customers for the liberal manner in which they have supported him in carrying out the Ready Pay way of doing business. When I commenced on the Cash or Trade System and 5 per cent discount for cash. I had to compete against the credit trade of our village, but to day I am pleased to say we are all doing business on the only right principle, that is ready pay. Since the trade of our village is now done on the Cash System, I will discontinue giving discounts for cash on and after 1st Oct., and reduce all my goods in price to the strictly cash figures. My customers will always find my stock complete Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Wall Paper, Stationery, Provisions, &c. CASH FOR PRODUCE. Specialties kept in Season. Sausages, Finnan Haddies, Oysters, &c. JAMES MATTHEWS, Conveyancer, Issuer of Marriage Licenses, &c. Acton, Sept. 18, 1876.

UNDERTAKING.

And is prepared to attend and conduct Funerals on the shortest notice and most moderate terms. Gaskets, Coffins, Burial Robes, And all kinds of Funeral Furnishings kept in stock, and supplied on the shortest notice. Hat Bands and Gloves supplied when required. Acton, Aug. 8, 1876. JOHN SPEIGHT.

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 best quality and at ten per cent below Toronto prices. Don't forget the place. Medical Hall, Mill street, Acton. Acton, March 13, 1875. G. E. MORROW