GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

Trains leave Acton as follows:—

GOING WEST.	
Night Express	1:03 a.m.
Toronto mail	9.10 a.m.
Day Express	1.55 p.m.
Express	5.17 p.m.
Galt mixed	7:07 p.m.
GOING EAST.	
Night Express	3:35 a.m.
Galt mixed	9:42 a.m.
Day Express	11:30 a.m.
Western mail	5:17 p.m.
London mixed	9:30 p.m.

Service in the Methodist Church every Sabbath evening at half-past six o'clock; and both morning and evening on the first Sabbath of each month. REV. R. HOBBS, Pastor.

LOCAL MATTERS.

—Good sleighing.

—The Rink is open.

—The door bell is fixed!

—Two elections this week.

—Clean off your sidewalks.

—Oh! the snow, the beautiful snow.

—Acton Public Schools opened Monday.

—Pure drugs, dye stuffs, &c., at J. E. McGarvin's.

—Try C. W. Hill for a stylish Photograph.

—Don't fail to try J. E. McGarvin's worm powders.

—Who lost her heart at the skating rink, Monday evening?

—Stationery, Ink, Slates, etc., at J. E. McGarvin's.

—Mr. Chester Hill has returned to Acton. He looks well.

—Buy your Lamp Chimneys at G. E. Morrow's Drug Store.

—Great excitement prevailed in town yesterday, over the school trustee election.

—If you have anything to sell invite buyers through the columns of the FREE PRESS.

—The Acton Public Schools holidayed on Wednesday afternoon, on account of the S. S. Convention.

—This being the week of prayer, meetings are held every evening in the Presbyterian Church.

—C. W. Hill is turning out some fine Photos. now. You should just call and see specimens.

—A nice thing to have at this time of the year is a receipt for a year's subscription to the ACTON FREE PRESS.

—If you want to get the best of Drugs go to the Medical Hall, Acton.

—We have a large quantity of waste paper on hand, suitable for wrapping purposes, which we will sell cheap.

—We have for sale one of Beatty's celebrated Pianos that will be disposed of at a great bargain. For particulars apply at this office.

—You can get all the leading patent medicines of the day at G. E. Morrow's Drug Store.

—It is estimated that about $400 changed hands Monday, over the elections in this village.

—Esquesing Agricultural Society meets in Stewarttown, to-day. So does Nassagaweya Society in Brookville.

—Mr. John Secord is removing to the store formerly occupied by Mr. G. M. Scott, where he will open out something next week.

—Mr. H. McDearmid, of Toronto, will (D. V.) preach in the Disciple meeting house, Acton, next Lord's day, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

—Mr. S. Dilts, of the Georgetown *Herald*, is prepared to receive congratulations. Miss Bertha Heaslip, of Caister, Co. of Lincoln, is the happy bride.

—Mr. Alex. Secord, who has been employed at Matthews' store for some time past, has accepted a position as traveller for Storey & Co., glove manufacturers. This makes two travellers for that firm.

—Here is a model for composers of odes on the "beautiful." Its chief merit is its brevity:

Soft and light,
Pure and white!
On the ground
Not a sound!
Now we know
It is snow!

— The annual missionary meeting will be held in St. Alban's Church, on Monday evening, Jan. 14. The deputation appointed to be present consists of the Rev. Canon Worrell, of Oakville, the Rev. H. L. Yeoens, of Elora, and Thos. Rixon, of Milton. A collection will be taken up in behalf of the Canadian Missionary Diocese of Algoma.

PROSPEROUS.—The Georgetown hotels are doing a lively business.—Milton *Champion*. No doubt they do when the editor of the *Champion* is in Georgetown. — ACTON FREE PRESS. We'll send him up to Acton, as soon as we can spare his services here. Times are pretty dull just now.—Milton *News*. We do not require his services here, as the editor of the *News* gives us an occasional call.

RUNAWAY.—On Monday evening last, a young man hired a horse from a livery stable in town, drove to one of the hotels and tied the horse to a post. Some mischevious girls untied the horse in order to have a drive before the young man was ready. While turning a corner the cutter upset, throwing out the girls. The horse felt like running, so it went at a high rate of speed until it reached Tolton's Mills, a distance of about two miles, where it was stopped and stabled. The rig was returned next morning. Neither the cutter nor girls sustained any injury.

—At the regular meeting of Acton Lodge, No. 204, I. O. O. F., on Friday evening last, the following officers were installed by Bro. J. Winlow, D.D.G.M., assisted by Bro. W. Sanley, D.D.G.M., and Bro.'s Lammond and Wright:

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Bro. J. Brown, P. G.
" J. P. Allan, N. G.
" T. Kennedy, V. G.
" N. McGarvin, R. S.
" M. Speight, P. S.
" Jas. Nicklin, Treas.
" J. Winlow, D. M.
" N. McGarvin, M. D.

APPOINTED OFFICERS.

Bro. R. Craine, Ward.
" A. Brown, C.
" P. Johnson, O. G.
" Jas. McLam, I. G.
" T. Smyth, R. S. N. G.
" A. Nicklin, L. S. N. G.
" I. Francis, Chap.
" J. E. McGarvin, R. S. V. G.
" R. Creech, L. S. V. G.

—The following officers were installed on Tuesday evening, for the next quarter, in the Acton Division Sons of Temperance:—

Bro. Robert Warren, P.W.P
" Robert Craine, W.P.
Sis. H. Cameron, W.A.
Bro. F. H. Ross, R.S.
Sis. M. Lawson, A.R.S.
Bro. T. Albert Moore, F.S.
" Benj. Nicklin, Treas.
" S. Worden, Con.
Sis. Clara Speight, A. C.
Bro. T. Watson, I. S.
" A. Lawson, O.S.

—Last Saturday evening, at the regular meeting of Crewson's Corners Division, No. 252, Sons of Temperance, the following officers were installed:

Bro. H. McGowan, W. P.
Sis. A. L. Crewson, W. A.
Bro. O. Crewson, R. S.
Sis. I. Worden, A. R. S.
Bro. R. Moore, F. S.
Bro. J. Crewson, Treas.
Bro. C. Taylor, Chap.
Bro. R. J. McKown, Con.
Sis. A. M. Worden, A. C.
Bro. J. Moore, I. S.
Bro. A. Worden, O. S.
Bro. H. A. Ryder, P. W. P.

—At the last regular meeting of Prospect Division, No. 233, Sons of Temperance, held in the Town Hall, Brookville, the following officers were installed:

Bro. A. Pickett, W. P.
Sis M. Fletcher, W. A.
Bro. A. C. McMillan, R. S.
Sis. S. Agnew, A. R. S.
Bro. James Miller, F.S.
" J. W. Easterbrook, Treas.
" W. S. McIlwish, Chap.
" N Simpson, Con.
Sis. S. Simpson, A. C.
Bro. John Ferguson, I. S.
" James McIlwish, O. S.
" James Collins, P. W. P.

This Division is in a very prosperous condition both financially and numerically. A very handsome new "Bell" organ was purchased recently. An entertainment will be held under the auspices of the Division in Union Hall, Brookville, on Tuesday, evening 15th inst. The committee have secured the services of several excellent singers. Also, the "Dramatic Club," of Rockwood, will perform that popular play entitled "Ten Nights in a Bar Room." Admission 25 cents.

Opening of the Skating Rink.

The Acton Skating Rink was formally opened on Monday evening last. The building was crowded with skaters and spectators, and all seemed to enjoy themselves to their heart's content. The Acton Brass Band was present and played several popular airs. At eight o'clock Mrs. C. S. Smith stepped on to the platform and read the following opening address:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—In behalf of the members of the the Acton Skating Club, I tender to you a hearty welcome to this, the first gathering in the new rink, and hope that you will give your hearty support to an enterprise which supplies a want long felt in this Village, and which affords an excellent amusement and gives health and vigor to both mind and body. Ladies and Gentlemen, on behalf of the members of the Acton Skating Club, I declare this rink open.

The address was received with applause, the Band at the same time playing a lively air. The skaters then went into the fun in right earnest, and the spectators had ample amusement in watching several of the gentlemen cut the "Canadian roll." This "roll" is done by catching the toe of one of your skates in the heel of the other while you are in rapid motion—the result is a Canadian roll. It requires considerable practice to accomplish this feat gracefully. A number of skaters from Georgetown were present and gave some excellent specimens of skatemanship. There were also a number of gentlemen from Guelph. The skaters dispersed about 12 o'clock. We understand that there will be a masquerade shortly on the rink.

Complimentary Supper.

On Wednesday evening, 2d inst., the Acton Division Sons of Temperance entertained Messrs. H. P. Moore and J. L. Warren, at a complimentary supper, in the Temperance Hall, on the occasion of their removal from Acton. After tea had been served an address was read, expressive of the sorrow the members of the Division felt at the departure of two of two of their most energetic members to which Mr. Moore and Mr. Warren feelingly replied. Several of the other members give short addresses expressing their regrets, after which the meeting broke up. The young men left by the 3:35 train on Thursday morning, for Belleville, where they intend to take a course of instruction in the Albert College. We wish them every success in their new sphere of labor.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION.

The annual election of School Trustees took place on Wednesday, in Matthews' Hall, to take the place of those whose term of office has expired. A great number of ratepayers were present, and great enthusiasm was manifested.

Mr. John Speight was appointed chairman and Mr. C. S. Smith sec. The retiring members of the School Board were Eli Snyder, Alex. Kennedy, and Horace Hall (resigned).

The following were nominated for three years:—

James Matthews was nominated by W. H. Storey, seconded by Ed. Moore.

Alex Kennedy was nominated by Major Allan, seconded by Eli Snyder,

James Ryder was nominated by M. Speight, Seconded by W. H. Storey.

S. Moore was nominated by Thos. McLam, seconded by Thos. Ebbage.

M. Speight was nominated by W. H. Storey, seconded by N. McGarvin.

The following were nominated to serve one year.

Major Allan was nominated by Alex. Lasby, seconded by David Maloney.

Joseph Fearnley was nominated by Ed. Moore, seconded by R. B. Cook.

Some discussion arose as to whether the votes should be taken by ballot or open a poll, when it was finally decided by Mr. Kennedy demanding that a poll should be opened.

It was found at the close of the polls that Alex Kennedy had received 40 votes; Jas. Matthews, 65; Samuel Moore, 68; James Ryder, 22; Major Allan, 42; Joseph Fearnley, 71.

The Board for 1878 will consist of the following members: Jas. Matthews, Samuel Moore, Joseph Fearnley, W. H. Storey, Ed. Moore and J. Lasby.

A protest was entered against the election, by Eli Snyder, on the following grounds: 1st, the vote was not taken as the Acts specify; 2nd, for allowing persons to vote whose names are not on assessment roll; 3rd, for allowing persons to vote who have not paid their taxes.

Acton School Board.

The Acton School Board met on Monday evening, 7th inst., pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Mr. Alex Kennedy in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. Moore presented the twelfth report of the Finance Committee, recommending the payment of the following accounts:—

Secord Bros., 15c; express charges on books, 35c; Education Department School Registers, 75c; John Ross, salary as Sec.-Treas, $20; Eli Snyder, taking census, $8; Eli Snyder, fixing doors, &c., 50c. Total $29.75.

Moved by Mr. Moore, seconded by Mr. Snyder, that the twelfth report of the Finance Committee be adopted, and that the chairman do issue his cheques in payment thereof. Carried.

The Committee on Fuel reported that they had advertised for 30 cords of wood, and received five tenders for the same, viz: Alex. Kennedy, $3.25; George Elliot, $3.50; John Cunningham, $3.12½; Robert Sims, $2.87½; James Ryder, $2.75; and recommended that James Ryder's tender for 30 cords of wood be accepted, for which they agreed to pay him $2.75 per cord when the whole is delivered.

Moved by Mr. Moore, seconded by Mr. Hall, that the report of the Fuel Committee be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Snyder, seconded by Mr. Moore, that this Board advertise for tenders for caretaker for Acton school, for the year 1878. Tenders to be addressed to John Ross, up to Monday, 14th inst., who will give all information as to the duties of caretaker. Carried.

Mr. Hall tendered his resignation as Trustee, on account of his leaving town, which was accepted by the Board, and transmitted to the Inspector for his acceptance.

Moved by Mr. Storey, seconded by Mr. Snyder, that the Board do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, 14th inst., at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Carried.

—Every week the Guelph *Mercury* and *Herald* have a space devoted to "Acton Items, from our own correspondent." As the items do not appear in those papers until the latter part of the week, and, as they generally resemble the items which appear in the FREE PRESS, we would judge that they use the FREE PRESS as their "correspondent." We suggest that they would leave out that word and insert "FREE PRESS" instead.

—"Suddenly, and without a moment's warning," says an exchange "the plank broke, and the unfortunate carpenter fell to the ground.

Well, now, what would you expect of a plank? Would you expect it to give warning. "Look out, everybody! everybody can't stand the pressure of this blamed carpenter and if he don't get off me he'll get his head busted!" Would you expect a common two inch plank to do that. The thing is absurd."

—The new Methodist Church which has been erected at Oakville will be opened on Sunday, 13th inst. At 10.30 Rev. Dr. Ives, and at 6.30 Rev. Dr. Ryerson, will preach. At close of evening service Rev. Jas. Gray, President London Conference, will perform the dedicatory service. On the following Monday evening a tea meeting will be held in the lecture room. Tea served from 6 to 8. Afterwards, addresses will be given in the church by Drs. Ryerson and Ives, also other public speakers. On Sunday, 20th, Rev. W. Williams, of Centenary Church, Hamilton, will preach at 10:30, and Rev. E. H. Dewart, Editor *Guardian*, at 6:30; and on Monday evening, 21st instant, Tandy Bros., the celebrated vocalists, of Kingston, will give a sacred concert. On Sunday, 27th, Rev. E. B. Ryckman, M. A., of Guelph, is expected to occupy the pulpit morning and evening. The friends in Oakville are making great preparations to hospitably entertain as many as can make it convenient to attend the opening services of their new church. Their enterprise in church extension is commendable, and we lo speak for them a hearty response of public sympathy at their services and entertainments.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy, for the speedy and permanent cure of consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive, and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt in German, French, or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. W. Sherar, 126 Powers' Block, Rochester, N.Y. 28-4t

MARRIED.

In Georgetown, on the 2nd inst, by the Rev. Mr. Unsworth, Mr. Charles Long to Martha, daughter of Mr. Jas. Ryder, all of Acton.

On the 1st of January, at the residence of the bride's father, Township of Caister, Co. of Lincoln, by the Rev. B. Bristol, Mr. Sylvester Dilts, of the Georgetown *Herald*, to Miss Bertha, daughter of Mr. James Heaslip.

EPPS' 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 may 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 maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette*. Sold only in packets labeled—"JAMES EPPS & Co., Homœopathic Chemist, 48, Threadneedle Street, and 170, Piccadilly, London."

ACTON MARKETS.

Flour	$2 50 to 3 00
Fall Wheat	1 12 to 1 18
Spring Wheat	0 75 to 1 05
Spouted Spring Wheat	0 75 to 1 00
Barley	0 50 to 0 60
Oats	0 30 to 0 34
Peas	0 60 to 0 65
Butter	0 17 to 0 18
Eggs (new laid)	0 18 to 0 00
Chickens	0 05 to 0 06
Geese	0 05 to 0 06
Turkeys	0 06 to 0 07
Potatoes, per bag	0 60 to 0 70
Apples, early, per bag	0 55 to 0 70
Hay, per ton	10 00 to 14 00

GUELPH MARKETS.

Special to the FREE PRESS, *per Dominion Line.*

GUELPH, Jan. 10th, 1878

Flour, per 100	$2 50 to 3 00
White Wheat, per bush	1 20 to 1 23
Treadwell do	1 15 to 1 18
Spring Wheat	1 05 to 1 08
Oats	0 32 to 0 35
Barley	0 45 to 0 53
Peas	0 60 to 0 64
Hay, per ton	19 00 to 12 00
Eggs, per doz.	0 17 to 0 18
Butter, per lb.	0 15 to 0 16
Potatoes per bag	0 60 to 0 70
Hogs, per cwt	4 75 to 5 40
Chickens per pair	0 00 to 0 05
Geese	0 80 to 1 00
Turkeys	0 70 to 1 00
Ducks	0 40 to 0 60

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TENDERS for CARETAKER

Tenders will be received by the Acton School Board, up to Monday, 14th inst., for the position of Caretaker of the Acton School. Tenders to be addressed to

JOHN ROSS, Head Master.

Acton, Jan. 8, 1878. 1t

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT.

The undersigned offers to sell his farm consisting of about 100 acres, being west half of lot 31, 5th Con. Esquesing. Good frame house and barn, small orchard and never failing stream on the premises. The land is of excellent quality, between 80 and 90 acres cleared, balance is covered with good maple, beech and cedar wood. 25 acres good looking wheat in ground. If purchaser requires time he may have it for one year, or a number of years; rent shall be required in advance. Offers will be received for either buying or renting until 15th February.

SIMON McLEAN,
on the premises.

22-6t.

FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber is offering for sale his 50 acre farm, being North West half of Lot 24, 2nd con. The farm is nearly all under cultivation, a good house and barn, a young orchard, and never-failing well on the premises. Apply to

A. WALDIE,
on the premises.

25-3t.

THAT WONDERFUL MAN.

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Mantles, Jackets, Coats,
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Just arrived and opened up for inspection and sale, 2 cases of the above Goods, direct from London, England. Prices extremely cheap; quality of the Goods—best.

WE ALSO HAVE RECEIVED

A large lot of Ladies' Jacket and Coat Cloths, best and newest—prices extremely cheap.

An immense variety of Fancy Goods, Fancy Dress Silks, Black Dress Silks, at marvellously cheap prices.

EVERYTHING THAT A LADY WANTS

Is to be found at the

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Millinery, Hats, Bonnets, Flowers, all that is new, good, elegant in design, and exquisite in taste, is to be had of us.

CARPETS, CARPETS.

Best quality of Brussels, Tapestry, Kidderminster and Dutch Carpets are on exhibition at our Carpet Room. We quote bottom prices; styles, colors, and designs of which are unequalled in town.

Ready-Made Clothing

Ahead of all former efforts. Best assortment of Overcoats to be met with. Prices warranted 20 per cent under anything in town. An early call is solicited.

JOHN HOGG & SON,

Nov. 26, 1877. Alma Block, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Blast Number Two.

The subscriber can with confidence assure his old friends and he trusts many new ones, that he can offer them such inducements to purchase as cannot be offered by any other house in town. His selections are of the very latest styles. His stock will be comparatively light, well assorted, regularly refitted, and carefully selected, and, as to quality and price he can compare favorably with any house west of Toronto. He trusts by due attention to his customers interest as well as those of his own to merit a fair share of the trade of this community. Full lines in Dress Goods, Winceys, Flannels, Tweeds, Cotton Trimmings, Fancy Goods, &c. on hand, and arriving daily in order to meet the requirements of the trade. And as he intends to adhere STRICTLY to the CASH PRINCIPLE his customers may depend on receiving the very best value for their money.

Wishing all a happy new year.

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Produce of all kinds taken as cash at the highest market price.

Acton, January 1, 1878.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

Between the residence of the undersigned and the Railway Station on the 31st ultimo, a Ladies' Ivory and Gold Pencil case, also a guinea and gold dollar. These articles being valued as keepsakes, any person finding the same will be liberally rewarded on returning the same to me.

REV. R. HOBBS.

Acton, Jan'y 3rd, 1878.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Wilson & Johnson, Tinsmiths, of the Village of Acton, County of Halton, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by Mr. Philip P. Johnson, who will pay all debts, and collect accounts contracted by the above firm.

W. R. WILSON,
P. P. JOHNSON.

T. ALBERT MOORE, Witness.

Acton, Dec. 31st, 1877. 27-3t*

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HORACE J. HALL, Esq.

Acton, Nov. 20, 1877. 20-*3m

A LECTURE

TO YOUNG MEN.

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Price, in a sealed envelope, only 6 cents or two postage stamps.

The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from forty years' success, that perfect cure, that may consequences may be effectually cured without the dangerous use of internal medicine or the application of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically. This Lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

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C. S. SMITH.

Acton, Dec. 5, 1877. 22-tf

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FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale that desirable property situated on Main street, now occupied by Mr. Chas. Cameron as a store and dwelling. The property is in first class condition and with a good cellar. Terms Liberal. For further particulars apply to

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Acton, Aug. 22d, 1877.

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You can buy watches and clocks cheaper there than anywhere else, because Pringle having bought from Thos. Russell & Son for cash the whole of their stock in Guelph, and got it cheap, he can afford to sell cheap. All stock bought by him in future will be bought for cash. Merchants and traders know that this is a great advantage. Pringle has no connection with the firm of Russell & Son, any more than he is still their authorized agent for the Russell watch, which is acknowledged to be the best watch made. G. D. Pringle has also been established as agent for the Waltham and Elgin American watches, and a full line of them, from the lightest to the heavy six-ounce case, will be kept on hand. Remember that all those watches are now bought entirely for cash, and therefore can and will be sold by him cheaper than they can be got anywhere else. Beautiful Christmas goods coming in every day. Gold chains, gold rings, lockets, brooches, &c.

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Acton, June 26, 1877.

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Acton, Dec. 12 1877.