

THE FREE PRESS.

THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 6, 1882.

THE NEW YEAR.

1881 has been laid away in the great sepulchre of the past, wherein live the dead years of the centuries which have come and gone since the time of the creation.

At the beginning of the New Year many good promises and resolutions are made—often to be broken—and the year just entered upon is probably no exception to the general rule.

YOUR PAPER, FOR 1882.

In choosing their newspaper for the coming year our readers should remember that none of the big city weeklies have the interests of the people of the County of Halton at heart.

THE MANITOBA FEVER.

Nearly everybody seems to be afflicted more or less with the Manitoba fever. Under its influence people migrate who never migrated before and those who have always speculated now speculate more.

ACTON VILLAGE COUNCIL.

Council met in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening, 3rd inst. Members all present. Reeve in the chair.

By Mr. Speight, that the Finance report be adopted. Carried.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

You civic elections on Monday did not create a very great deal of interest in town, being, no doubt, to the fact that there were no candidates who were positively anxious for office.

The strange and most remarkable feature in connection with the election is the fact that out of the four candidates who announced themselves, in our last issue, in very strong terms as unwilling to accept their nomination, and asking the electors not to vote for them, three were elected, and the one who most strongly declined came out as the head of the poll.

ELECTIONS ELIMINATED.

MILTON.—Major, zone both sides dates having resigned. Reeve, J. E. Harrison. Councillors—G. A. Andrews, W. H. Macnab, Thos. Lush, T. A. Mars, James Lindsay, Michael Conroy, Joseph Martin, John Johnston, John Ripley.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Board of Trustees of Acton School Division met in Matthews' Hall on Monday evening, 2nd inst. Members all present. Mr. M. Speight in the chair.

MASSAGUETOWN NEWS.

From our own correspondent. Mr. William Darby sustained a severe cut on his left foot while chopping, last Friday. Dr. Winn was called in and attended to the wound, and he is getting along well.

It is commonly said that you cannot make an honest man believe that white is black and vice versa, but those who have grey hair by using the 'CROCODILE' Hair Restorer, will find that this is not a very difficult matter to accomplish. For sale by J. B. McFarvin, 50 cents per bottle.

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VILLAGE OF ACTON DEBENTURES.

Special tenders will be received up to the 20th inst., for about \$200 worth of Village of Acton Debentures, drawing six per cent interest. For particulars apply to C. R. SMITH, Receiver.

SHINGLE & STAVE TIMBER WANTED.

The undersigned wants six hundred cords of Elm and Oak Stave Bolts, and a large quantity of Pine, Cedar and Black Ash timber in either the log or bolt, for which cash will be paid on delivery.

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TIMBER OF ALL KINDS.

The undersigned desires to hereby inform the farmers and others in this vicinity who own timber, that they are prepared to purchase a large quantity of all kinds of timber. About \$40,000 worth of timber is wanted.

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