DIED.

KENYON—At Silver Creek, Enquesing, on Saturday, 7th December, Ida Lillie, wife of Albert Kenyon, in her 19th year.

EASTON—At the family residence, River Street, Acton, on Saturday, 7th December, Thomas Easton, in his 78th year.

TAYLOR—At Crewsons Corners, on Friday, 6th December, Robert Taylor, aged 18 years.

MARRIED.

HENDERSON—LITTLE—At the residence of the bride's parents, near Moffat, on Wednesday, December 4th, by Rev. A. Hair, assisted by Rev. J. Little, uncle of the bride, John S. Henderson to Annie Jane, second daughter of Reeve Little, of Nassagaweya.

BLAIR—STULL—At the Methodist Parsonage, Acton, on Wednesday, 4th December, Joseph T. A. Blair, Acton, to Maud Dorella Stull, Georgetown.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1907.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The population of Saskatchewan has increased during the past year by 70,000. The homestead entries totalled 20,401. The total population is now estimated at 325,000.

The latest report regarding the Ontario crop of fall wheat confirms the favorable account given last August. The yield is somewhat below that of 1906 but quite up to the average and the general quality of the grain is good and well up to weight.

Work on Canadian railway construction goes forward rapidly. About 18,000 men are at work on the Grand Trunk Pacific between Winnipeg and Moncton, and on the section west of Winnipeg about 20,000 men are employed. About 125 miles of road between Portage la Prairie and Minnota, Man., are ready for traffic, and an additional 100 miles will soon be ready.

The exports of Canadian cheese to Great Britain in 1890 amounted to $14,000,000, while in 1907 they amounted to $25,000,000, nearly three times as much as the exports from Holland and the United States combined. Mr. Hall gave proper credit to the Agricultural Department for its fostering care of perishable goods during transportation, in the way of cold storage, in his speech on the address in the House of Commons last week.

The Christmas Globe is one of the greatest of American holiday publications. Upon it are lavished year after year the highest skill of authors, artists lithographers and printers. The result is that it has scarcely a rival on this continent and few in Europe. The pictures supplementing The Christmas Globe this year are the best that have yet been issued with that publication. In all respects it is a most creditable and attractive number.

The Toronto News on Tuesday evening gave expression to the following emphatic utterance in its editorial columns: "An active and rather vicious campaign against local option has begun. . . Now, however unanswerable may be the argument in favor of the right of men to use liquor if they so desire, it is impossible to argue that the community is bound to license social drinking places. This is the view of many thousands of citizens who are no "Pharisees" and who have as high regard for personal liberty as the champions of the liquor business. The bar is a nuisance and a danger and it is nothing short of ridiculous to contend that it must be kept open in the interests of personal liberty."

The tide of financial matters in the United States has evidently turned. The Chicago Canadian American says: "Business conditions are returning so speedily to their pristine satisfactoriness that even the great business optimists are astonished at the change for the better noticed in the past ten days. The money institutions have settled back to former routine activity, stocks and bonds are both behaving themselves decently after their into disgraceful manoeuvers, and "boom times" seem about to be ushered in with the birth of the New Year. One good evidence that things are mending is the fact that one of the big railroads has just ordered back to work 6,000 men laid off during the panic. When the captains of industry "get busy" in this manner, there can be no doubt that the golden era of economic peace and prosperity is actually at hand."

NO PAVEMENT APPEALS.

The Engineer's Report of the Year's Permanent Pavement Passed.

BY-LAW PASSED BY COUNCIL.

As per advertisement the Municipal Council met on Monday evening as a Court of Revision to consider appeals against the assessment for pavements laid the present year.

The members were all present.

The Clerk reported that no appeals had been entered.

Mr. H. P. Moore requested that the Council consider the unfair position in which ratepayers owning corner lots are placed when pavements on the frontage tax are constructed on two sides of the property; also the anomaly existing in these cases where one pavement was laid under the 100 per cent. by-law and the other under the 50 per cent.

No action was taken, but Dr. Gray expressed the opinion that a special act of parliament should be secured to put all the properties under frontage tax in town on a basis of equality. Some action must be taken for the municipality has created a grave injustice affecting the property of a number of ratepayers.

At the last meeting of Oakville Town Council action was taken whereby all ratepayers who have corner lots where cement walks have been built are allowed a flankage rebate of one-quarter.

After adjournment as Court of Revision Council met for regular business.

The only business transacted was the passing of the By-law providing for the issue of debentures for payment of the pavements just laid. The debentures amount to $3900 and they are to be issued at five per cent.

Council then adjourned to meet on Monday, 16th inst.

—If your eyesight is defective, or if the glasses you now wear are not suitable, consult Chas. J. Western, eyesight specialist in Brown's Drug Store, Monday, Dec. 16th.

THE BIBLE IN 409 LANGUAGES.

Eloquent Illustrated Address by Rev. Jesse Gibson, M.A., of Toronto.

AT THE BIBLE SOCIETY MEETING.

The annual meeting of Acton Branch of the Canadian Bible Society was held in the Methodist Church last Wednesday evening and was one of the most interesting and largely attended services of the society ever held in town. Mr. Robert Wallace, President, occupied the chair.

The speaker of the evening was Rev. Jesse Gibson, M.A., of Toronto, who is the Upper Canada Auxiliary Secretary of the Society. Rev. Mr. Gibson has given the work of the Bible Society very careful study for many years, and in all its ramifications and exploits he is thoroughly conversant. His address was crowded with interesting facts illustrative of the work of the Bible Society during the century of its existence, and the gratifying results following the generous spread of gospel truth through the millions of copies of the word of God issued from the presses of the Bible Society.

The splendid address was rendered more vivid and impressive by the use of a large number of lime light views. The audience was given a delightful journey to the various countries of the earth where the Bible has been distributed.

Special reference was made to the need for the generous spread of the printed word to the thousands of people who are emigrating into Canada at present, many of them from foreign countries, at the rate of 1000 persons a day. This invasion of Canada by foreign races in ever-swelling streams is a challenge to every patriot and Christian. What a jangling babel of foreign tongues among the thousands who are coming from the Continent of Europe! The serious fact about these is that three-fourths of them come from the backward and less enlightened eastern religions of Continental Europe—Galicians, Poles, Buckowinians, Hungarians, Bohemians, Rumanians, Croatians, Slovenians, Russians, Finns, Italians, etc. It is one of the appealing sights of the world—that ceaseless procession of motley humanity in homespun. Among them what unkempt figures, grizzled faces, and strange baggage of alien ideas and outfits.

When a gospel in their own tongue and type is given them on landing at our sea-gates, they are visibly touched and moved; it is the one touch of kindness that makes the new world kin. Thousands of scripture portions are distributed among the immigrants as they disembark at Quebec, St. John and Halifax. A bible stand is placed in the C.P.R. waiting hall, Winnipeg, and both there and throughout the city the colporteur is busy selling at low prices the bread of life to these promiscuous transients who suffer from a "famine of the Word." Other Bible messengers are at work among the shacks and new towns of the prairies; others among the miners and Asiatics in British Columbia, and Cobalt, among the lumbermen on the Ottawa, or in New Brunswick, among the mixed races in Montreal and Nova Scotia.

These foreigners are soon to become citizens by the ten thousand and give shape to the new nation. The great peril is that they will cast off all old restraints and religious influences and live only for wheat-harvests and dollars. While all are re-making their lives and are open to new influences, every patriot who covets true greatness for his country and every Christian who cares for the souls of men will help to put into all hands and homes that book which builds up righteous nations and leads the feet of the stranger and the sinner into the way of eternal life.

The Bible Society has already helped the gospel to speak in 400 different languages and dialects; eight new names were added to its list of versions last year. It has issued, since its foundation in 1804, over 204 million copies of the Scriptures, and has expended altogether nearly £15,000,000.

At the close of the able address a cordial vote of thanks was moved by H. P. Moore and seconded by James McIntosh.

Revs. J. C. Wilson, B.A., Matthew Wilson, M.A., and G. W. Barker were present and took part in the proceedings.

The officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President—John Cameron; Vice.-Pres.—Rev. G. W. Barker; Sec.-Treas.—A. T. Brown; Executive—same as last year.

CREWSONS CORNERS.

A number of the shareholders of the oil well have been dissatisfied with the report given by the government oil expert who examined the well and this locality some time ago. He reported that no oil could be found here. They have corresponded with one of the best American oil experts and the following extract from one of his letters dated Nov. 26th, 1907, will speak for itself:

"MORGAN CREWSON, Esq., Crewsons Corners, Ont.

SIR—We have received yours of the 20th. We would like to know the name of the government expert who made the statement that "no oil would be found below the red medina." He either has been misunderstood or knows nothing about it. The very best oil fields ever struck in Ohio and Indiana are in the Trenton rock which is below the medina."

As the well has been drilled several hundred feet in red medina Mr. Crewson and several others are more confident than ever and will have the expert examine this locality in a few days. If indications are good they will start operations as soon as a deep well drill can be secured.

Special revival services have been conducted during the past week in the Methodist Church here with considerable interest and success.

After being a patient sufferer from anaemia for about a year and a half, death came rather suddenly to Mr. Robert Taylor on Friday night last. During the summer Mr. Taylor had almost recovered his usual health, and it was thought he would soon be cured of the malady. Last week he began to sink, though he was about until Wednesday. On Thursday night he became unconscious from which state he never rallied and died on Friday. Mr. Taylor was born in Kilham, Yorkshire, England, forty-eight years ago. He came to Canada about twenty-six years ago and settled in Mariposa, Victoria County, where he was united in marriage to his sorrowing widow, shortly after settling there. They lived in Victoria for about twenty years, coming here some six years ago. Their family consisted of four children, two girls who died in early childhood, and Arthur, aged twelve, and Hordina, three years old.

During his residence here Mr. Taylor, by his honest and straightforward principles won the esteem and confidence of all who knew him. And not only has Mrs. Taylor and family lost a kind and loving husband and father, but the community has lost a good man whose place will be hard to fill. In politics Mr. Taylor was a Conservative. He was an adherent of the Methodist Church.

The funeral on Monday afternoon was largely attended, services being held in the Methodist Church and conducted by Rev. Mr. Taylor, of Rockwood. Interment took place in Fairview cemetery, Acton. The pall bearers were, Messrs. Robert Wansborough, Wm. Y. Grey, W. Lamb, Wm. Murray, Edwin Cripps, and Jas. Moore, Jr.

The following friends from a distance attended the funeral of the late Mr. Taylor: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Taylor and daughter, Toronto, Mr. G. Wilson, Oakwood, Mr. Robt. Elliot, Toronto, Mr. Chas. and Misses Beatrice and Ethel Taylor, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jefferson, of Arkell.

Quite a number from here took in the I.O.O.F. drama in Acton on Thursday night and speak very highly of it.

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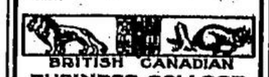

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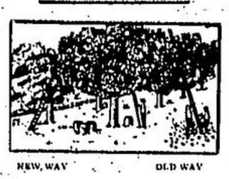

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NOTICE OF PASSING

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-law was passed by the Council of the Village of Acton, on the 9th day of December, 1907, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of $3900.00, for the purpose of payment of the permanent pavements constructed during the current year, and that such by-law was registered in the registry office of the County of Halton, on the 11th day of December, 1907.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

THOS. F. MOORE, Municipal Clerk.
Dated this 11th day of Dec., 1907. 913

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Hannah J. Storey, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Widow, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to R.S.O., 1897, chap. 129 and amending acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Hannah J. Storey, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Widow, deceased, who died on or about the Thirty-first day of October, 1907, are requested to send or deliver to A. J. Mackinnon, of the said Village of Acton, Solicitor for the Executor of the said deceased, on or before the Sixteenth day of December, 1907, their names, addresses and descriptions, together with a full statement of their claims and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after said Sixteenth day of December, 1907, the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

A. J. J. MACKINNON,
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The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:—

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

(3) If the father (or mother), if the father is deceased) of a homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

(4) The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of the width of road allowances crossed in the measurement.

(5) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.

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