

At the meeting of the Board of Health, on Tuesday, the 10th inst., the following resolutions were adopted: That the health of the city be maintained by the Board of Health, and that the Board of Health be authorized to take such steps as may be necessary for that purpose.

**The Acton Free Press.**  
THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1908  
EDITORIAL NOTES  
Two years of quiet in our journals have passed the month of Jan. 1st. The Press, Montreal, two years ago, and Mr. J. R. Cameron, editor of the Hamilton Spectator, on Sunday evening.

The town of North Toronto adopted a local option, by-law No. 1, adopted by a majority of 23. On New Year's day, there was a trial of the by-law, by-law No. 23, by a majority of 111. This is an endorsement that has strong influence in the other municipalities that voted on Monday.

At a public meeting in Boston recently, Hon. T. W. Higginson said that the fourth of July is being celebrated with a temperance wave that will whip every one of every one of the States down there except Louisiana and Texas inside of two years.

Senator Melvin Jones, President of the Massey-Harris Company, has returned from a three months' tour through Europe, greatly impressed not only with Canada's opportunities in the markets of the continent, but also with the manner in which these opportunities are being turned to account.

The Charlotteville Guardian says: "One glances from reading the liquor advertisements in the public columns, and the temperance question is much less advanced in Ontario than in the Eastern Provinces. Here in Prince Edward Island no daily newspaper, Liberal, Conservative or Independent, will print a liquor advertisement. Ontario is different. The liquor trade apparently finds no difficulty in obtaining all the space needed to advertise whiskey or to advocate the license system and denounce local option."

**MORE PLACES CARRY LOCAL OPTION.**  
Thirty-one Towns and Townships Carry the By-law. Three-tenths of the Counties Defeat Many More.

**LICENSE \$2,000 AT COLLINGWOOD.**  
The vote of local option in 107 municipalities throughout Ontario, on Monday added 11 more places to those already under local option and brings the number up to 118. The local option vote means the closing of over 100 licensed bars on the first of next May. The three-fifths vote again proved a serious stumbling block to the carrying of the by-law, for in no less than 21 municipalities was a majority obtained that fell short of the required 60 per cent. These municipalities have added 28 to the number of licenses out off.

**LIMEHOUSE.**  
The Barns Observer has the following news of interest: A quiet, but pleasing, event was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nickell, Pennock street, on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when their eldest daughter, Miss Mary, was united in marriage to John A. Corrick, of the firm of R. Corrick & Sons, contractors, of this town.

**A WORD TO THE WISE.**  
Housekeeper. If you are getting your wares in the Granite Wear line supplied by us you are getting the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices and a large assortment to choose from. If you are not, why not begin now? We have an exclusive line of KEMP'S "PEARL" WARE.

**THE OLD COUNCIL RE-ELECTED.**

A Good-Natured Contest—Matters of Jeans and Prices Left at Home. SPIRIT HEADED THE POLL.  
The electors of Acton paid very decidedly at the polls on Monday that the old Council should be re-elected. It was conceded on the day that there were no issues demanding a change and the consensus of opinion then was that the members of last year's Council should be returned by acclamation. In order to effect this Mr. W. R. Kenney promptly retired from the contest, but Messrs. Jeans and Price decided to try their chances. The people gave their answer at the polls with the following vote:

WATERY BLOOD is an open invitation to disease to take possession of your system. Watery blood is responsible for nearly all the headaches and back-aches and aches and aches that afflict women-kind. Watery blood is responsible for the dull eyes, yellow cheeks and the listless, dragged out feeling that is found in so many growing girls. Good blood means good health, and good blood actually comes through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Weak, ailing, dependent women who use this medicine are made active and strong. Listless pale-faced girls are given new health, rosy cheeks, bright eyes and a new sense of happiness and cheerfulness. Mrs. E. S. Nightingale, Chesley, Ont., says: "My daughter was ill for a long time with anemia and would often be confined to bed for three or four days at a time, and we feared she was going into decline. A lady friend advised the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I got half a dozen boxes. By the time these were used there was a marked improvement, and I got a further supply for her. The change these pills have wrought in her condition is so great that you would not think that she was the same girl. I will always have a kindly feeling for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

**DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS CURE ANEMIA.**  
Pale Faces, Dizzy Spells, Palpitations, Heart Weakness and Shortness of Breath are Symptoms of Anemia.

Both the Council and the Board of Education will be of the same personnel as last year.

**RE-ELECTION MEMORANDUM.**  
HULLINGTON—Reeve—Max C. Smith. BRIDLEWOOD—Reeve—W. B. A. H. Speers, (M.D.), John F. M. Campbell, Geo. Allen. GEORGETOWN—Reeve—John G. Harley, Councillors—William, McConnally, Bruce and Newell. At Georgetown the vote for the Reeve was a tie between John Harley and J. M. Moore. The Returning officer gave the casting vote in favor of Mr. Harley.

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**"Ease the Tickle"**

Tickling throats and coughs that disturb your rest may be of little consequence now, but if allowed to endure they will give you much trouble as the weather changes.

**DR. JARDINE'S MENTHOLATED SYRUP OF WHITE PINE COMPOUND**  
is a pleasant and effective cure for all coughs. A trial will convince you of this fact. 25 cents a bottle.

**E. A. Robertson,** Pharm. Druggist, Stationer, Optician MILL ST. ACTON

**Happy New Year To You and Yours**

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THE PATHWAY TO SUCCESS  
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**LEARN DRESSMAKING IN A WEEK.**  
To enable all to learn we are placing teachers in every six towns in Ontario. These lessons teach how to cut, how to sew, how to make from the plainest shirt waist suit, to the elaborate dress, you can pay up, you are through and perfectly satisfied. This is the only course in Canada that the whole family can learn, by one member taking it up. We have over 7,000, and guarantee to give \$200 to any student who can't make a dress, or who cannot learn. Hundreds of imitations are more than one has had known to copy our style. We are pleased to hear, where they are not known, to be the best of the course. No advance is payable without our \$200.00 guarantee.

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100 yards Fancy Wrapperelette for ladies' Waists, regular size, for 75¢.  
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**COMPETERS.**  
100 Comfeters, 60x75, lined with cotton batting, regular \$1.25, for \$1.17.  
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100 pairs White Wool Blankets, 60x75, for \$2.45 per pair.  
TRIMMED MILLINERY - HALF PRICE.  
Felt Hat Shapes, black, brown, navy, pink, blue, old rose, cream, regular \$1.50 to \$2.00, for 75¢.  
Felt Hats, black, brown, navy, pink, blue, rose, mauve, cream, green, half price.  
6 boxes Wings, regular 25¢ to 50¢, half price.  
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1 lot plain and fancy Ribbons, 4 to 9 inches wide, half price.  
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RECTOR: The Rev. Matthew Wilson, M.A., L.Th.  
Sunday evening service 7:30.  
Subject: "New Beginnings"

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DAY WORK WANTED.  
DAILY work wanted by young men, apply to the Editor.

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EXPERIENCED Cook, Dishwasher, etc. Apply at the Editor's Office.

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A GENTLEMAN for every community for Canada. Apply to the Editor.

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30-40 girls wanted for every good making. Apply to the Editor.

**FARMS AND DWELLINGS FOR SALE.**  
FINE farms in County of Halton, and a number of dwelling houses, etc. Apply to the Editor.

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Persons paying business with house and land. Apply to the Editor.

**POST CARDS FREE.**  
SEND us the names and addresses of 10 or more families in your town in the United States and we will send you a set of 100 post cards. Apply to the Editor.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**  
In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Easton late of the Village of Acton in the County of Halton, Ontario, Deceased.

**NOTICE.**  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to R.S.O. 101, section 10, that the undersigned, as executor of the estate of the late Thomas Easton, late of the Village of Acton in the County of Halton, Ontario, Deceased, has filed in the Court of the County of Halton, Ontario, a statement of the assets and liabilities of the said estate, and that the same is open for inspection by all persons interested in the said estate, at the office of the undersigned, at the Village of Acton, Ontario, from the 10th day of January, 1908, to the 15th day of January, 1908, at which time the same will be read in Court.

**SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.**  
ANY unoccupied section of Dominion Lands in British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, excepting any land reserved, may be obtained by any person who is the head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, on the condition of one quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

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