

STOUFFVILLE SPRING SHOW

We attended the above Fair, on Friday the 27th ult., and must say, that it was very successful. The show of horses was unusually large, and of very superior description. We heard more than one of the Judges say, that it was a very difficult matter indeed, to award the prizes which we can very readily believe. The show of cattle was not so good as usual. The Messrs. Pattersons of Richmond Hill, had one of their Reapers on the ground, which was sold to the Secretary E. Wheeler, Esq., of Stouffville, there were also some first class cultivators, rollers, &c. The greatest credit is due to the President N. Button, Esq., the Secretary E. Wheeler Esq., and the directors generally, for the thoroughly efficient manner in which they discharged their duties. The prize money was paid immediately after the prizes were read, which we need hardly say, was as it should be. There was a large concourse of people on the ground, all of whom spoke in the highest terms of the fair. A very sumptuous dinner was prepared by Mr. John Rayner, and altogether a very pleasant day was spent.

No. of entries—Imported Stallions 3, Canadian Draught Stallions 6, General purposes do 8, Brood Mares 3, Bulls 2, Cows 2, Beef Cattle 2, Sows 3, Wooden Ploughs 3, Cultivators 2, Rollers 2, Judges or Horsemen—Mr. J. Berry, Richmond Hill, Mr. J. Willson, Pickering, Mr. J. Lehman, Markham. Judges for Cattle and Swine—Mr. T. Robinson, Pickering, Mr. J. Berry, Pickering, Mr. N. Kirby, Vaughan. Judges of Implements—Mr. F. Smith, Whitechurch, Mr. D. Willson, Markham, Mr. J. Monkhouse, Pickering.

PRIZE LIST.

Horses.
Best Draught Stallion Imported.

1st—“Sir William Wallace,” John Sanderson, Markham, \$5.00

2nd—“Robt. Roy,” William Scott, Scarborough, 3.00

GENERAL PURPOSES IMPORTED.

1st—“British Splendour,” John Sanderson, Markham, \$5.00

BEST DRAUGHT STALLION—CANADIAN BREED.

1st—“Gambol,” W. McNair, Markham, \$5.00

2nd—“Robert Bruce,” W. Crawford, Scarborough, 3.00

2nd—“Young Lion,” P. McPhillips, Markham, 2.00

BEST STALLION—GENERAL PURPOSES—CANADIAN BREED.

1st—“Exhibition,” Samuel Shunk, Vaughan, \$5.00

2nd—“Brown Acre,” Newberry Butten, Markham, 3.00

3rd—“Black Prince,” A. Sangster, Stouffville, 2.00

BEST BROOD MARE IN FOAL—OR ONE AT FOOT.

1st—B. Brownberger, Whitechurch, \$4.00

2nd—A. Stralven, Whitechurch, 3.00

CATTLE AND SWINE.

1st—Best Bull, E. Wheeler, Stouffville, \$3.00

2nd—Do A. Stouffville, Whitechurch, 2.00

BEST COW FOR DAIRY PURPOSES GIVING MILK.

1st—E. Wheeler, Stouffville, \$3.00

BEST BEEF COW, STEER OR COW.

1st—C. Lehman, Ringwood, \$3.00

2nd—F. Wideman, Ringwood, 2.00

BEST BOW, LARGE BREED.

1st—F. Wheeler, Stouffville, \$1.50

BEST BOW, SMALL BREED.

1st—E. Wheeler, Stouffville, \$1.50

2nd—J. Jernigan, Stouffville, 1.00

IMPLEMENTS—BEST WOODEN PLOUGH.

1st—T. & G. Morgan, Markham Village, \$3.00

2nd—John Jernigan, Stouffville, 2.00

BEST CULTIVATOR.

1st—S. Robinson, Unionville, \$3.00

2nd—T. & S. Morgan, Markham Village, 2.00

BEST ROLLER.

1st—T. Todd, Markham Village, \$3.00

Not long since a premium was offered by an agricultural society for the best mode of irrigation, and the latter word, by mistake of the printer, having been charged to “irritation,” a farmer sent his wife to gain the prize.

A military officer, one day while reviewing his company, happened to be thrown from his horse, and as he lay sprawling on the ground, said to a friend who ran to his assistance, “I thought I had improved in horsemanship, but I find I have fallen off.”

A knotty will case is before the Courts in Baltimore. A wealthy man, Samuel Stevens, died. Some time previous to his death he erased his own name, and also the names of the signers to his will, and wrote under it; “I intend to make another will,” to which he added his name. No other has been found, but lots of litigation is the consequence.

TORONTO MARKETS.

THURSDAY, May 3.

Wheat.—7500 bushels was the extent of the supply which sold readily at high prices. Several loads sold as high as \$1.40 to \$1.50.

Spring Wheat.—Only 60 bushels in market, which sold at 55c to \$1.61 per bushel.

Barley.—65 bushels found ready sale at from 65c. to 70c per bushel.

Oats.—775 bushels at 35 and 38c per bushel.

Peas.—1,000 bushels went off at 55 and 61c per bushel.

Clover Seed.—There was 25 bushels brought in by farmers, which brought from \$5 to \$5.25 per bushel.

Hay.—in from \$12 to \$20 per ton. Straw \$7 to \$8 per ton.

Flour.—Superfine No. 2 sold at \$4.50 to \$4.65; No. 1, \$4.90 to \$5; Fancy (Spring) \$5.25 to \$5.35; Fancy (Fall) \$5.40 to \$5.50; Extra, \$5.75 to \$5.80; Double Extra, \$5.95 to \$6.50. Potatoes—were brought in plentifully, and sold at from 25c to 30c per bushel.

Butter.—Fresh is in fair supply at from 18c to 22c per lb.

Eggs.—Fresh from wagons 10c to 12c per dozen.

New Advertisements.

Letters

Remaining in RICHMOND HILL Post Office MAY 1, 1860.

Brooks, S. John [2]
Brillinger, George
Brynen, John
Clark, Henry
Cober, Peter [2]
Campbell, Alex.
Hewitt, Robert
Hevey, Elias
Haugton, James
Heslop, Gideon
Lee, Ruben
Miller, James
McCague, James
McVicar, John
Naughton, John
Player, Aaron [2]

Pogue, William
Phillips, H. & Son [2]
Phinney, Peter [2]
Revel, Mr.
Russell, W. [for Charles Higwood]
Robinson, William
Stear, Elijah
Symington, J.
Siver, Robert
Shepherd, Aaron
Simpson, William
Thompson, Samuel
Whelpton, Miss
Wheatley, Mrs.

M. TEEFY, P. M.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between J. & R. SIMPSON, Buttonville, Markham, has this day, March 24, 1860, been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due to the late firm are requested to be settled forthwith.

JOHN SIMPSON,
ROBERT SIMPSON.

Buttonville, March 24, 1860. 75-3

W. L. KING, NOTICE.

PARTIES indebted to the undersigned for WOOL, CARBINE and CLOTH DRESSING are requested to call and pay their accounts to Mr. M. Teffy, Postmaster, Richmond Hill, on or before the 31st May instant, after that date all unsettled accounts will be placed in Court for collection. Persons who have not yet received their Wool and Cloth, will find their parcels by applying to Mr. Teffy.

W. L. KING takes this opportunity of returning thanks to his customers for past favours and begs leave to say that he will be glad to see them [at any time] that they have work to be done in his line, at Mr. J. BOWMAN'S Cloth Factory, Altona, township of Markham, when he will do his utmost to give satisfaction.

W. L. KING,
late of Richmond Hill,
May 2nd, 1860. 75-3



State Fire Insurance,
CHIEF OFFICES—3 RAIL MALL AND
32 LUDGATE HILL,
LONDON.

Established in 1856, under Charter of Imperia Parliament.

CAPITAL, \$2,500,000

WITH RESERVE OF 1,000,000 DOLLARS.

The Right Honourable Lord KILGORE, CHAIRMAN, PETER MONTAGUE, Esq., Managing Director, WILLIAM CANNON, Esq., Secretary.

A copy of Stock Book can be seen on the counter at the

Head Office, Canada Branch, Toronto

Trustees and Board of Directors in Canada.

Honorable JOHN ROSS, W. P. HOWLAND, M.P.P., JOHN CRAWFORD, Esq., WILLIAM ROSS, Esq., Wm. McLaughlin, Esq., Wm. Thompson, Esq., Bankers—The Bank of Montreal, Solicitors—Ross, Crawford and Christie.

This Branch was only opened last January, and now has an income of

\$75,000!

Which is retained in this country.

The increase of business in England is unprecedented, as shown by the Parliamentary returns, and the following taken from the last September report:—

It will thus be seen that the total amount of business done during the last nine months of the Company's operations has been TWENTY-TWO THIRTEEN HUNDRED AND ONE NEW POLICIES, producing an additional annual income of

\$150,000

Representing property insured to the extent of

THIRTY MILLION DOLLARS

The Report further says, that “the Directors concur in the Shareholders on this satisfactory increase in the business of the Company, and the have every reason to believe that from the connection now formed it will continue to increase to the same ratio.”

The Capital of the Company is devoted entirely to FIRE LIABILITIES, having no reserve for a Life Branch.

All losses in Canada are submitted to the gentlemen composing the Board, who examine the particulars, and if found satisfactory, at once order the payment of the claim. This system has called forth numerous cards of thanks.

If differences should arise between claimants and the Company, the Manager is fully empowered to accept of any process of law.

ALEX. STEWART, A. LAW, Manager, B. N. America, Richmond Hill.

December 23, 1859 55-6m

Farm for Sale.

TO BE Sold on terms to suit, for the benefit of the Estate of the late George Tensdale, the West-half of Lot No. 31, in the 2nd Concession of Pickering, containing about 100 ACRES, fenced, and about 10 ACRES of Fall Wheat, which may be had at valuation.

For terms and conditions, apply to

WILLIAM SANDERSON, Lot No. 14, 3rd Con. Markham.

ANTHONY BOWES, No. 6, Bond Street, City of Toronto.

Markham, April 26, 1860. 74-4f

(Economist copy till further)

AURORA REVIVING.

Boyd's New Store Creating a Sensation!!

R. BOYD & BROTHER

BEG respectfully to announce to the inhabitants of Aurora and surrounding country, that they have opened a

GENERAL STORE

in this place, where will be found everything in the trade, and at moderate prices, consisting of

STAPLE AND FANCY GOODS, GROCERIES.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

In connection with the above they have opened a

MILLINERY SHOW ROOM!

All the Goods are new, and of the latest styles and Fashions.

Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, and save money. Our motto being SMALL PROFITS & QUICK RETURNS.

R. BOYD & BROS., Aurora, April 26, 1860. 74-4f

WANTED,

A MAID OF ALL WORK. One thoroughly competent to take charge of a small family, in the Village of Aurora, Apply to R. Macchell, Esq., Aurora, or to the Office of this paper.

Aurora, April 27, 1860. 74-3

SHINGLES FOR SALE.

SHINGLES that are Shingles—three to the S. inch—and each bunch warranted to lay a square, Also,

Seasoned Flooring & Siding.

For Sale in large or small quantities, and will be PLANNED to order.

Custom Planing

Attended to as usual, with despatch and at low prices.

H. & J. HARRISON, 2nd Con. Markham, Plank Road, near Richmond Hill, April 27, 1860 74-3m

Pollock's Column!

W. S. POLLOCK,

BEGS to inform his friends and the customers of G. & B. BARNARD that he has bought at

Sheriff Sale,

THE WHOLE OF THEIR

Stock in Trade

At a great DISCOUNT, and is prepared to offer the same

AT AND UNDER

THE WHOLESALE

COST PRICES.

And trusts, by strict attention to business, to merit their future patronage.

He has also PURCHASED a General Assortment of

DRY GOODS!

GROCERIES,

READY-MADE CLOTHING

&c. &c. &c.

Which he can afford to SELL at much

LESS PRICES, for CASH

Than ever before offered on

Richmond Hill.

Call, Examine and See for Yourself before Purchasing elsewhere.

You may depend on Bargains.

Will open on

SATURDAY, April 21, 1860

W. S. POLLOCK.

FOR

NEW GOODS

AND

CHEAP GOODS

CALL AT

W. S. POLLOCK'S

(late G. A. Barnard's).

Good Prints, fast colours, from 4d per yd.

New Spring Delaines, from 2s 2d per yd

New and Beautiful Bonnet Ribbons, from 6d per yd.

And an excellent assortment of

Shirting,

Blue Denims,

Cotton Drills,

Hosiery,

Ready-made Clothing,

HATS, CAPS,

BOOTS, SHOES, &c.

AT EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

For Fine, Fresh, Good

TEAS,

SUGARS,

COFFEES, and

TOBACCOES,

He cannot be SURPASSED in qualities

nor UNDERSOLD in Prices.

Remember to call at

W. S. Pollock's,

(late G. A. Barnard's).

RICHMOND HILL.

April 20, 1860. 73 3m

FRESH ARRIVALS.

MACHELL, FIEL, & CO.,

BEG to intimate to their Customers that they have just received a Choice

SUPPLY OF SPRING GOODS,

CONSISTING OF

COATINGS, Gents & Lady's Felt Hats,

VESTINGS, STRAW GOODS,

Dress Goods of all descriptions

BROAD CLOTHS, DOESKINS,

&c. &c. &c.

And a choice supply of

Boots & Shoes,

&c. &c. &c.

Which they are offering at their usual low rates.

Aurora, April 27, 1860. 74

JAMES J. BARKER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

In great variety;

HARDWARE,

Of all kinds.

Locks, Latches, Butts,

A large supply;

NAILS, SPIKES,

PUTTY, GLASS,

7 x 9 to 24 x 30,

FIELD SEEDS,

Tarrip, Carrot, Mangle Wurtzel, of all sorts, Imported direct from Scotland.—

Warranted Pure and Fresh.

AGRICULTURAL TOOLS,

In their season,

Wall Paper, Writing Paper, School Books,

Of every description.

These Goods are nearly all of this Spring's Importation, and having been purchased of the first hands in Montreal and New York markets, on the most favorable terms,

Will be disposed off at a low figure

FOR CASH OR ITS EQUIVALENT.

IT GIVE HIM A CALL.

Markham Village, May 1, 1860. 75-4

J. K. FALCONBRIDGE

IN OPENING OUT HIS

SPRING & SUMMER

DRY GOODS!

GROCERIES,

HARDWARE,

EARTHEN & GLASSWARE

CHINA, &c. &c.

For Particulars see Small Bills.

April 5, 1860. 71-3m

STATIONERY

AND

HARDWARE

OILS AND PAINTS