

W. R. TEA MEETING.

The Tea Meeting in the Wesleyan Methodist Church, last Monday evening, was one of the best conducted ever held in this town.

Rev. D. McDowell, of Barrie, addressed the assembly in an appropriate and witty speech. He referred to the necessity for liberality in supporting our churches; referred to the grandeur and simplicity of that religion which afforded scope for infinite wisdom, yet was within the grasp of the feeblest intellect.

Rev. John Gamble, of Toronto, followed in an address replete with Irish drollery and pathos, which delighted and impressed all who heard it. He said it would not be beneficial to a congregation or community to have individuals undertake the whole burden or expense of erection of their church or other public works.

The choir furnished music at intervals during the evening. Votes of thanks were tendered to the ladies who assisted in getting up the entertainment, to the choir, and to the chairman. Rev. John Gamble closed the proceedings by pronouncing the benediction.

Editor of THE EXPOSITOR:— Sir.—"Justice Watchman" failed in showing one-half of what is going on in Thorah. Robinson's sly and cunning is only another link in the chain of his arbitrary and selfish career to cope with laying the public plank down to the threshold of his own door.

Business Locals.

Boy wanted at THE EXPOSITOR office, to learn the Printing. W. R. TUDHOPE's stock of hardware is not surpassed north of Toronto.

J. J. HIRD has a large stock of Amber Syrup which he is selling at the lowest price. W. R. TUDHOPE is receiving the largest stock of Sewing Machines ever offered for sale in Orillia.

J. J. HIRD has commenced selling off his winter stock to make room for spring importations. Call and get some of the bargains. G. M. WILSON leads in Dry Goods and Groceries.

J. J. HIRD's stock of Groceries is complete, and you can get as much for one dollar as any other shop in Orillia, with the advantage of being able to rely upon getting a good article.

On Wednesday we dropped into W. H. Carpenter's while the County Inspector of Weights and Measures was testing his honesty by examining his weights. They stood the test. Carpenter is honest, and continues to do a rushing trade.

At Fenelon Falls, on Wednesday, the 8th inst., the wife of E. D. Hand, Esq., of a son. At Beaverton, on Jan. 14th, the wife of Mr. R. Ferral, Beaverton Steam Mills, of a daughter.

At Orillia, on Thursday, 16th inst., the wife of Mr. G. C. Macnab, of a daughter. At Orillia, on Friday, 17th inst., the wife of Mr. J. D. O'Brien, of a son.

At Orillia, on Saturday, 18th inst., the wife of Mr. W. McGee, of a daughter. At Orillia, on Monday, 20th inst., the wife of Mr. John Fox, of twins.

On Thursday, the 9th inst., at the R. C. Church, Sp. Mr. J. Preston, of Waverly, to Miss Winslow, of Mount St. Louis. By the Rev. Thomas Argue, at the Exchange Hotel, Main Street, Orillia, on the 13th inst., Mr. Thomas R. Scott, of Thorah, to Miss Hannah Harrison, of Scott.

At the house of Mr. McDonald, Monk Road, Mara, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Fowler, Mr. Loughlin McDonald, of Mara, to Miss Chari' the Cox, of Orillia. In this village, on the 18th January, by the Rev. J. Gray, Thomas Slinchey, of Orillia, to Hannah Bradley, of the same place.

At his residence, near Orillia, on Tuesday last, the 21st inst., after a short illness, proceeding from a severe cold, Andrew Moffatt, Esq., aged 70 years. Deceased came from Wernersburgh, Ireland, to Orillia, 34 years ago, was a successful merchant, a Magistrate for the County, and a consistent Mason, having been a "Royal Arch" for over half a century.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership lately subsisting between John Perry and James B. Perry, of the Village of Orillia, under the firm of J. & J. B. Perry, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN PERRY, JAMES B. PERRY. F. W. THOMPSON, Witness. Orillia, 31st Dec., 1872.

IN connection with the above, I would intimate that I will open, in a few days, an entirely NEW STOCK of Goods, in that large Brick Store recently erected by Mr. Wm. Tudhope, Sr., nearly opposite Mr. Bulster's, consisting exclusively of Staple and Fancy DRY GOODS, Ready-Made Clothing and Men's Furnishings.

ESTRAY. (CAME into the premises of the subscriber, Lot 5, 1st Con., Rama, a ONE YEAR OLD STEER. The owner can have it by proving property and paying expenses. DOMINICK HESLIN Rama, 4th Jan., 1873. 165-3in

WANTED. TO Lease for 5 years, with option of purchase, 50 to 100 ACRES of LAND, partly cleared, with a good dwelling, &c. on the lake shore, within 7 or 8 miles of Orillia, or Barrie. Apply to F. J. R. GRANT. Orillia, 19th Dec., 1872. 165-3in

TEACHER WANTED. FOR S. S. No. 5, Mara, holding a 2nd Class A. certificate. Apply to H. WHITNEY, ALEX. MCINNIS, Trustees. MARTIN KELLEY, Atherley P. O. Mara, Dec. 24, 1872. 164.

ESTRAY. (CAME into the premises of the undersigned, Lots 3 and 4, Front Con., 1, Rama, ONE YEAR OLD HEIFER, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take her away. JAMES SMITH, Rama, Jan. 4th, 1873. 166-3in.

BEAVERTON BRICK and TILE YARD. The Subscriber is prepared to furnish any quantity of White and Red Brick and Tiles of any size at low prices. Orders by Mail will receive prompt attention. GEORGE DRAKE, Beaverton, P. O. 20th May, 1872. 165.

Best Bread in Town. Only 12 cents, AT T. DUNLOP'S. Bakery next door to the "Orillia House."

NOTICE. THE Subscriber being about to make a Change in his Business. Would take this opportunity to thank his customers, and the general public, for the liberal patronage he has received from them for so many years, and he requests Those Indebted to Him! to PAY UP at ONCE, as AN ACCOUNTS UNSETTLED BY THE 1st of February!

Placed in Suit for Collection! GEORGE VICK. Beaverton Agency! MR. P. MURRAY, Sr., Beaverton, will take subscriptions, orders for advertising, job printing, &c., receive money and grant receipts for THE EXPOSITOR office. P. MURRAY. STEAMBOAT & STAGE HOUSE, GRAVENHURST. DOUGLASS BROWN, PROPRIETOR. This Hotel is large, neatly furnished, and always supplied with the choicest Wines. Sample and suite rooms for Commercial Travellers and visitors.

BUSY AS A Getting Ready for Xmas & New Year's.

Amongst our arrival this week are 50 Barrels of that famous STAR BRAND FAMILY FLOUR, acknowledged to be the very best made. 100 Extra Turkeys and Geese! 800 LBS. ROLL BUTTER AT 20c. PER LB. 100 DOZEN EGGS. 25 Brls. Buckwheat Flour, Oatmeal and Corn Meal. 20 BARRELS LAKE SUPERIOR TROUT AND WHITEFISH! HESSIN'S BISCUITS AND CANDIES! Our TEAS and TOPACOS ARE UNEQUALLED in Quality and Price! LARD, FRESH AND GOOD. POTATOES, PEAS, OATS and CORN. CRACKED GRAIN, PORK and BEEF. ONIONS, HONEY, &c., &c.

CALL AND SEE ME. W. H. CARPENTER, Peter Street, one door South of G. I. Bolster's.

Advertisement for W. & W. G. Bingham, Headquarters for various goods including COIL CHAIN, ROPE, SHEET PILE, and various tools and hardware.

LOOK MIT YOUR EYES

GEORGE M. WILSON'S NEW AND LARGE STOCK OF BLACK SILKS, BLACK LUSTRES, AND COBOURGS! Just Arrived and now offering at 10 per cent. below usual prices, for this month only.

At the Anvil House. Beautiful Bronzed Lamps, Hanging Chops, Table Knives and Forks, Good Lamps, Side Lamps, Stoves, Table Knives and Forks, Buck Lamps, Ball Lamps, Twin Lamps, Chandeliers, Shades, Globes, Glass, Silvered Reflectors, Lanterns, etc., etc. The rush still continues for Armatures & Stoves.

Advertisement for W. R. Tudhope, Gold & Silver Watches, Electro-Plated Ware, and Fine Gold Jewellery. Includes an image of a pocket watch.

Advertisement for Black Jewellery, featuring an image of a watch and text describing the quality and variety of the goods.

Advertisement for Ontario Boot & Shoe Store, featuring an image of a man in a suit and text promoting various styles of boots and shoes.

Advertisement for Medical Dispensary, offering a discount of 10 per cent off to clergymen of all denominations, and listing various medical supplies and books.