Mr. Fred Pendry spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Thos. McIntoo, Fairmount.

☞ Don't forget that Carmel's store keeps everything fresh and good. Prices very low.

Mr. Harold Fry was in Peterboro, Saturday, on business.

The premium picture given this year with the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal is a decided change from former years. It is entitled "The Princess at Work," and is proving immensely popular. Those who have received their copies pronounce it easily worth more than the entire year's subscription to that great paper. The publishers are on the look out for energetic canvassers in every locality. Any smart boy or girl can make lots of pocket money for Christmas by writing to the publishers.

Messrs. Robert and Richard Nurse left on Saturday for a deer hunt near Minden. We wish them success.

Mrs. W. D. Leach is spending the Thanksgiving holidays at her former home in Newtonville.

On Friday evening, Nov. 18th, there will be a Stereopticon Service, entitled "Farmer Brown's Awakening," in the Salvation Army Hall, Millbrook, conducted by Ensign Edwards. Everyone is invited to attend. Admission 10 cents.

Messrs. John and Thos. McBride have been out deer hunting the past week in the vicinity of Minden. They are accompanied by Miss Annie McBride, who is a good shot. We learn that Tom had captured one deer up to Friday, and reported deer numerous.

Messrs. George Hetherington, Chas Needler, Wm. McIvor, Herb. Shield, John Dawson, John Patterson, Ira Nattrass and Rev. H. V. Mounteer have all returned from their hunt, and had good luck. Mr. McIvor got two fine large bucks, and most of the others got two each.

Cavan Council will meet in the Council Chamber, Millbrook, Monday Nov. 21, at 10,30 a. m.

Anniversary Services of the Bethany Methodist Church.

The Anniversary services, on Sunday and Monday, Nov. 6 and 7, were a great success. On Sunday, the Rev. Dr. Meacham, of Toronto, preached two excellent sermons. The attendance at the services was very large. The people were delighted with the singing of Miss Graham, of St. Thomas, and Mrs. Edwards, of Manilla. The choir also did well. On Monday, there was a great crowd at the supper and entertainment. The programme was excellent. In addition to the choir, the two ladies who sang on Sunday, again delighted the congregation with their superior singing. Besides addresses by the Rev. Mr. Johnston, Mr Trewin, and Wm. Graham, the church mortgage was burned, the financial report was read by James Graham, the Treasurer, and an illuminated address was presented to Miss Elsie Richardson, by Mr. L. R. Graham. The proceeds of the services amounted to some $150, a part of which will be applied towards paying for the church organ.

A Toronto man of standing said the other day that he had found nothing that came so near to providing the elixir of life as does a bright daily newspaper. It stimulates one to take a lively interest in events the world around. He went further, and declared that the paper that provided this perennial stimulent to the greatest degree was The Toronto Daily Star.

The Star's brightness is not, however, the only factor which has contributed to its marvelous success in the daily newspaper field. The Star has a complete and accurate record of stock and commercial transactions daily, which business men may consult with confidence. On the staff of The Starr are three woman writers, who compile a page which makes The Star very popular around the fireside. The Star's editorials are not blindly partizan, but are fair, sane, and strong. Mr. C. W. Jeffreys, The Star's black and white artist, is probably the best in Canada, and his contributions to the paper are a feature of great charm. Altogether, a more evenly balanced newspaper it is impossible to find, and it goes without saying that a daily newspaper of some sort should go into every home.

You may get The Star and the paper you are now reading from now until December 31st, 1905, for $1.75.

Growing Rhubarb in the Cellar in Winter.

By H. L. Hutt, Horticulturist.

Most farmers who have a garden at all usually have a good supply of the old fashioned pie plant or rhubard. This vigorous growing plant provides a wholesome substitute for frut early in the spring before strawberries come in. It is not generally known, however, that it can be made to produce its crop in an ordinary cellar during the winter, when it would probably be more appreciated than when grown in the usual way in the garden in the spring.

The rhubarb plant makes its most vigorous growth under natural conditions early in the spring, when its large leaves store up in the thick fleshly roots a large amount of nutriment for the production of seed during the summer and growth early next season. To get the best roots for winter forcing it is well to allow the plants to make their full growth with little or no cropping of the leaves the previous season, and above all not to allow them to exhaust themselves by throwing up seed stalks. The more liberally the plants are manured and the better they are cultivated, the stronger the roots become and the better the crop they will give when forced in the cellar.

In preparing the roots for the cellar, they should be dug up late in the fall, just before the ground freezes hard. They should then be left where they will be expesed to severe freezing for three or four weeks. If placed under cover in an open shed, or where they will not be buried in snow, it will be all the easier to get at them when it is time to take them to the cellar. About Christmas time they may be put in the cellar and should be banked with earth to keep the roots moist. Care should be taken to see that the plants are set right side up, as at that season it is sometimes difficult to tell which side of the ball of earth the crowns are on. In the course of a few days the roots will thaw out, and usually enough moisture is thus accumulated to keep them fresh for some time. They should be watched, however, as they may need watering once or twice during the winter to keep the soil moist. The warmer the cellar, the more quickly growth will start, but for the most profitable results a ratther low temperature, about the same as that in which potatoes are kept, is best. In a poorly lighted cellar, the leaf blades will be pale and very little, and all the strength of the roots will go to the development of the stalks. If the cellar is light, it is well to darken the part of it where the plants are kept. If the roots are strong and vigorous, stalks from one to two feet in length and stalks in diameter will be produced with little or no expansion of the leaf blade at the top. When grown in the dark, none of the chlorophyl or green coloring matter of the leaf developes, and the stalks are blanched to a pinky white. When cooked and made into sauce or pies, they turn a beautiful pink color and are much finer in appearance and flavor than stalks which are grown in the ordinary way in the garden. Cropping may begin as soon as the stalks are well developed, and may be continued for several weeks, until the roots have exhausted themselves, after which they should be thrown out, as they are of little use for growing again.

We would suggest that our readers try growing two or three roots this winter, and let us know the result next spring.

The Ven Archdeacon Allen and Rev. W. C. Allen were in Toronto last week in connection with Church work.

The services in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday next will be at 7 p.m. The Misses McKutchen and Nugent will assist in special music on the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Lancashire, and Mr. Geo McCartney, of Peterboro, spent Thanksgiving Day with friends here.

Mr. C. M. T. Maycock and Miss Jessie Skinkle are spending Thanksgiving Day with friends at Bailieboro.

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H. A. TURNER,
Millbrook. : : Ontario.

The Misses Kells were visitors to Peterboro yesterday.

Mrs Geo. A. Payne, of North Ops, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walsh.

The Official Returns for Durham

		Aylesworth.	Ward .....
PORT HOPE.			
No 1—North Ward		74	100
1—South Ward		64	89
2—East Ward		50	39
2—West Wara		141	60
3—East Ward		68	74
3—West Ward		122	38
Maj	119		
HOPE.			
No 1—Dale	110		42
2—Welcome	112		30
3—Zion	106		28
4—Moon's	68		74
5—Garden's Hill	49		90
6—Ellzabethville	74		56
Maj	190		
MILLBROOK.			
No 1—	43		61
2—	34		39
Maj			23
CAVAN.			
No 1—Brown's House			61
2—Dixon's House			35
3—Gardiner's	71		70
4—Cavanville			
2—Mt.Pleasant	54		80
Maj			121
MANVERS.			
No 1—Lotus	24		48
2—Ballyduff	15		77
2—Pontypool	32		93
4—Carscadden	10		84
5—Bethany	47		103
6—Fleetwood	29		93
7—Janetville	42		81
Maj			380
CLARKE.			
No 1—Newtonville	63		51
2—School House	39		39
3—School House	42		30
4—Kendal	34		77
5—Orono	66		56
6—Leskard	42		63
7—School House	23		58
8—Starkville	44		62
9—Fire Hall, Orono	75		52
Maj			70
BOWMANVILLE.			
No 1—West	61		84
2—West	57		45
1—North	72		47
2—North	65		78
1—South	61		46
2—South	38		56
Maj	58		
DARLINGTON.			
No 1—Wright's House	118		31
2—Tyrone	91		72
3—Maple Grove	71		34
4—Hampton	80		64
5—Enniskillen	88		49
6—Courtice	91		51
7—Enfield	112		48
Maj	302		
CARTWRIGHT.			
No 1—Blackstock	27		73
2—Devitt's, Orange Hall	10		85
3—S. House, Cesarea	42		97
4—Taylor's House	31		63
Maj			208

RECAPITULATION.

Port Hope	119	
Hope	190	
Millbrook		23
Cavan		121
Clarke		70
Newcastle		16
Manvers		880
Darlington	302	
Cartwright		208
Totals	669	818
Total maj. for Ward		149

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Mrs. (Dr.) Turner and daughter are visiting friends at Ottawa.

Thanksgiving services were held in St. Thomas' Church to-day.

Mrs. John McBride and Master Roy were guests of Miss Skinkle yesterday.

The Misses Gertie and Cordie Richards are spending Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Flossie Mullen, at Zion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Leatch will take up their residence in Millbrook. We join with their many friends in welcoming them to town.

Mrs. McBain paid here Peterboro friends a visit this week.

Miss Blanche Clarry, who is attending College in Toronto, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents here.

Mr. J. J. Morton, of the G. T. R. Station here, attended the Anniversary Services of the Bethany Methodist Church.

Messrs. W. H. Coombe, Morgan Carry and Fred Pendrie will have a box at the Princess Theatre this evening in Toronto. The Henry W. Savage Standard Musical Comedy, "The Prince of Pilsen," will be the attraction.

We understand that Mr. Robert Nurse has captured two fine deer, and the McBride party have captured seven. The Mirror will surely come in for a roast of venison.

Mr. Ted Burnham and party went down to Bensfort this morning on a hunting expedition.

Miss Gray, Milliner, is spending Thanksgiving Day with friends in Toronto.

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At $3.90, reg. $5 and $7.50

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At $4.90, reg. $7.50 and $10

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At $6.90, reg. 8.50 and 12.50

In this lot there are the best bargains; every coat is in excellent material and the popular tight-fitting styles, 27 to 30 inches long; colors are fawn, grey, navy, brown and black.

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Mrs. A. Wood was a visitor to Peterboro this week.

An apple kept in a cake box will keep a rich cake moist and fresh for a long time. Remove the apple when it is withered.

Mrs. Charles Needler and children were visitors to Peterboro this week.

BORN.

In Millbrook on Saturday, Nov. 5th, to Mr. and Mrs Robt. Nurse, a daughter.

At St. Luke's rectory, Ashburnham, Nov. 14th, 1904, to Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Langfeldt, a son.

The Editor of the Mirror met with an unfortunate mishap on Saturday evening, having severely sprained his ankle, which necessitates the use of crutches. Our readers will not, however, be deprived of the paper—which they look for most—as we are not at a loss for hands if we are for feet, and everyone who knows anything about typesetting knows that it is the hands which are mostly used. Of course it is not pleasant to have a sprained ankle, or to be hopping about with the help of sticks, but 'tis better so, than to be laid up altogether, or that our readers should miss the news—so here we are to give you "the best that is." All orders for job work will receive our best attention as usual.

A special meeting of the Millbrook Council was held on Monday evening, to consider a petition signed by upwards of one hundred and thirty ratepayers, which was presented at the regular meeting of the Council last week, asking to have a by-law passed, calling for a vote on Local Option at the Municipal Elections of 1905. The motion put by Coun. Argue, sec. by Coun. Needham, to have the first reading of the by-law was lost on the following division—Yeas, Coun's Argue and Needham. Nays, Coun's Doak, Kells and the Reeve.

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My long experience as an amusement caterer has taught me that the best article offered is invariably the best means of attaining a Good Reputation, and by anticipating the requirements and desires of the theatre-going public, I am sure of establishing my own success in a managerial capacity. I therefore assert, without fear of dissent, that I have succeeded in placing before the public the Great Drama, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," in a style of equipment that has never before been seen on the American stage. Thanking the public for past favors, I beg to be, obediently,

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