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Victoria Square, J. EVENING MAIL. Southern... 5.30 P.M. N.B. REGISTERED LETTERS will require to be handed in 15 minutes before the time of closing. M. TEEFY, Postmaster. Richmond Hill, Dec. 2, 1867.

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RICHMOND HILL, DEC. 27, 1867.

THE WAY TO KEEP DOWN TAXATION.

On Monday, the 6th Jan., Farmers and Rate-payers will have the privilege of selecting men to represent them in our Township and County Councils for the ensuing year, when, it is to be hoped, they will elect such persons, irrespective of political leanings, as will economize the public expenditure, and save an already over-burdened people from further additions to the constant draft upon the pockets of their labour. Now is the time to mark with disapprobation, the acts of men who seek re-election, after recording their votes for extravagant salaries to already overpaid officials. It is upon this ground, more particularly, that we object to the re-election of Mr. Thomas Grahame as Reeve of the Township of Vaughan; his votes in the County Council have been in favor of increasing the burden of taxation. On the 29th Feb. 1865, "Mr. Grahame (Vaughan)" seconded by Mr. Hartley, moved that it be resolved, that the Treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized to retain out of County funds in his hands, the sum of \$100, for balance of salary, at \$1800 per annum, for 1864; this motion was carried; thereby, not only raising the Treasurer's salary, for the year 1865, but adding an additional hundred dollars to his salary for the year previous. On the same day that Mr. Grahame so generously threw away \$100 of County money, it will be seen, on reference to page 29 of the minutes of the County Council, for 1865, that Mr. Grahame, seconded by Dr. Berryman, moved that the salary of the superintendent of the York Roads be \$2000 instead of \$1000—luckily, this extravagant motion was voted down, but we have not Mr. Grahame to thank for our escape, as he and three others voted for his motion; in fact, wherever we turn, either in the minutes of the County or Township Councils, we find Mr. Grahame's name foremost in voting away money to increase salaries. No doubt Mr. Grahame is a good natured young man, and is moved by generous impulses to his friends; a kindness now and then, but the mischief is that it is done at the expense of the toil-worn farmer, who has had to learn the value of money by hard work and a lifetime of economical saving—not so with Mr. Grahame, he has been born and raised in the lap of luxury, and has never had the sad experience to undergo, of "work or starve;" hence his recklessness in voting away the hard earnings of the farmers of this County, and of the Township of Vaughan, to increase the salaries of officials who are already amply paid. At the meeting of the electors in the Town Hall on Monday last, Mr. Grahame spoke of his "experience" being a reason why he should be elected Reeve of the Township of Vaughan; our opinion is that it is this very "experience" that proves him to be a dangerous man to send to the County Council; and his colleague in the Township Council, Mr. Webster, proved to the satisfaction of the great majority in the Town Hall that day, that Mr. Grahame did not study the public interest as a member of the Council. We were much pleased with the remarks of Mr. Webster in the Hall that day, and believe him to be a most useful man for our Township Council; he pointed out many of Mr. Grahame's shortcomings, and several times placed him in an awkward predicament before the audience, so much so as to cause Grahame to lose temper. Mr. Peter Patterson comes before the electors, at the earnest solicitation of a large and influential number of the rate-payers of the township of Vaughan, as an active and successful business man, whose every interest is identified with the Township; it is known to be a man of extraordinary energy and careful business habits, and anything that Mr. Patterson undertakes to do is always done well. As a manufacturer of farming implements, we consider Mr. Patterson has rendered great service, not only to the township of Vaughan, but to the county generally; he has purchased property, and gone through the necessary form to qualify himself as a subject, and has settled down amongst us for life; he has accumulated wealth by his industry and energy, and is now willing to devote a portion of his time and valuable services to assist in the management of Township and County affairs; we can only say, that the assistance of such men as Mr. Patterson is exactly what the ratepayers need, and we hope that he will be returned as Reeve with

of Markham and the County of York, that Mr. Robinson will be elected.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. Hiram Piper, in another part of our paper; they will find it to their advantage to call at his establishment when they go to the city. Mr Piper's place of business is the oldest of the kind in Toronto; and his experience and business connections affords him facilities for offering bargains that are not equalled by any other house in his line. We recommend this old and favorite establishment to our numerous readers throughout the County of York.

WHITCHURCH COUNCIL.

Pursuant to adjournment, the above Council met at Mr. George Sexsmith's Inn, on Tuesday the 17th inst. Members all present. Reeve in the Chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Received and read two communications from R. Q. St. George, Esq., in reference to the road running across his farm at Wilcox Lake.

Also, from W. D. Seaton, Road Commissioner on the Town Line East, desiring a further grant of \$25 on said Line.

Also, the Petition of James Gormley, for a grant of money to purchase clothing for the winter.

Bills presented, from John Hastings, for \$5.50; George Brown, \$3.00, and Philip Cook, \$1.00, for the plank used on the Road in their several Road Divisions.

Also, from E. Jackson, for printing, stationery, \$49.03.

Also, from W. C. Chewett, & Co., for Binding Rolls, Stationery, &c. \$7.02. Claims for damages done to sheep by dogs, by William Simpson, \$10; James Gray, \$4, and Henry Wilson, \$5.

Also, an application from George Colquhoun, Road Commissioner on the Town Line South, in front of the 1st and 2nd Concessions, for an extension of the time for expending the grant on said Line.

When, on motion of Mr. Macklem, seconded by Mr. Clubine, the Reeve was authorized to take the title for the land required for the Road on the East side of Wilcox Lake, of H. Q. St. George, Esq., and grant his order for the money according to contract.

On motion of Mr. Jones, seconded by Mr. Baker, a further sum of \$25 was granted to complete the contract on the Town Line East, payable to the order of W. D. Seaton, Road Commissioner.

On motion of Mr. Clubine, seconded by Mr. Macklem, the time for expending the grant on the Town Line South, was extended to the first day of June next.

Moved by Mr. Jones, seconded by Mr. Macklem, that, whereas James Gormley is receiving one dollar per week from this Corporation for support, resolved that the prayer of the petition now presented for further aid to the said James Gormley be not granted; and that the amount now appropriated for his benefit, shall cease to be payable on presentation of any further petition or petitions from him, the said James Gormley.

On motion of Mr. Macklem, seconded by Mr. Clubine, the Treasurer was instructed to pay the following Bills: for plank in Road Division No. 1, in the 7th Con. \$5.40; for Do on the Town Line South, \$1.00; for Do in Road Division, No. 1, in the 9th Con. \$3; for Do on the 8th Con., at the Marsh, \$3.60.

On motion of Mr. Jones, seconded by Mr. Macklem; the Treasurer was instructed to pay the following claims for damages done to Sheep, viz:—To Henry, Wilson, \$5; James Gray, \$4, and to William Simpson, \$10.

On motion of Mr. Macklem, seconded by Mr. Clubine, the collector was authorized in the event of failing to collect the taxes assessed against Christopher Knievel and William Tarland, respectively for dogs, to take the course prescribed by law, for the destruction of the same.

On motion of Mr. Macklem seconded by Mr. Clubine, the Inspectors report as presented was adopted, and his charges (\$8) allowed.

Passed a By-Law, describing the boundaries of School Sections, with the following alterations, viz:—by adding the westerly one half of Lots 74, 75, 76 and 77, in the first Con., formerly belonging to Aurora, to School Section No. 1, taking the west half of Lot 20, in the 7th Con., from School Section No. 11 and adding the same to School Section No. 9.

Also a By Law to provide for the payment of certain bills and allowances of Township Officers as follows:—

To the Reeve and Assessors for selecting jurors each \$3; to the Clerk \$9; Returning Officers each \$3; Auditors each \$2; Assessor \$80; Collector \$70; Members of Council each per day \$1; Chewett and Co's Bill \$7.02; E. Jackson \$49.03; Clerk and Treasurer \$240; and for postage, preparing By Laws for the press, Marginal Notes and travelling expenses to Toronto, \$30.

Council then adjourned sine die.

Bowman, moves that the sum of fifteen dollars be granted to John Langstaff, for the last six months. Carried.

Robt. Marsh, seconded by James Bowman, moves that the sum of six dollars be paid to Joseph Ellerby for damage done to his sheep by dogs on or about the first day of Dec., his account having been certified by two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for this County. Carried.

Robt. Marsh, seconded by James Bowman moves that a certificate for a Tavern License be granted to Mr. Newberry Button, to enable him to keep the Ontario Hotel, Ringwood. Carried.

Robt. Marsh, seconded by James Bowman, moves that the sum of thirty dollars be paid to Benjamin Wilkinson, being for damage done to his horses and wagon by falling over the embankment near the Buttonville bridge through the embankment not being properly protected. Carried.

Win Eakin, seconded by Robt. Marsh, moves that Newberry Button pay the sum of ten dollars to this Municipality, as fee for License Certificate to keep an Inn at Ringwood, for the balance of the License Year. Carried.

Win Eakin introduced a By Law to appoint places for holding the nomination, which was passed by the Council.

Robt. Marsh introduced a By Law to provide places for holding the Municipal Elections for the ensuing year and to appoint Returning Officers for the same, which was passed.

The Council then adjourned sine die.

RICHMOND HILL MECHANIC'S INSTITUTE.

We understand that the Rev. Wm Stephenson, of Toronto, has been engaged by the Lecture Committee connected with the Mechanics' Institute in this village, to deliver a lecture in the Temperance Hall, on Monday ev'g next, at 7 o'clock.

We do not know of any individual more deservedly popular on account of ability and eloquence than the Rev. gentleman whose services have been secured by the above society. In addition to his pulpital ministrations in the City of Toronto, Mr. Stephenson has been frequently engaged by members of various societies at home and abroad to deliver lectures on a variety of subjects. Did space permit, many excellent "opinions of the press," on the ability and success which characterize the Rev. gentleman's popular lectures might be cited, but the mere announcement of his name ought to be sufficient to insure a good audience.

We hope that the public will show their appreciation of the efforts of the officers of the Institute to enter intellectually for their benefit by a liberal patronage. The subject, "Curiosity and Curious People," is one which ought to awaken the curiosity of curious people at any time, but much more so when it is to be handled by a gentleman of superior talent and eloquence. Hitherto the attendance during the lecture seasons has not been such as to encourage the managers in their laudable endeavors to procure intellectual entertainment and instruction for the community, the sums realized being quite inadequate to the expenses incurred, the committee, therefore, have resolved to make this the test lecture: on its success depends the future continuance of the course.

MARKHAM NOMINATION.

The Nomination for this township of candidates for Reeve, Deputy Reeves and Councillors took place at Unionville, on Monday, the 23rd instant. They were as follows:—

FOR REEVE.—James Robinson and William Eakin.

FOR DEPUTY REEVES.—William M. Button, John Lane, William Flummerfelt, and A. H. Fenwick.

FOR COUNCILLORS.—Robert Marsh, James Stoutenburg, Jesse Reesor, and William Padgett.

The elections for Markham will be held at the following places: 1st Division, at Brown's Corners, Thomas Thompson, Returning Officer.

2nd Division, at Richmond Hill, John Newberry, Returning Officer.

3rd Division, at Unionville, George Eakin, Returning Officer.

4th Division, at Cashel, James Bowman, Returning Officer.

5th Division, at Ira Marr's Hall, James Boyd, Returning Officer.

APPOINTMENT.—His Excellency the Governor General Lord Monk, has been pleased to appoint Thomas Carr, Esq., of Thornhill, County of York, to be Issuer of Marriage Licenses,

James McNeill, proposed by Robert McNeill, and seconded by Dugald McMurehy.

John C. McQuarrie, proposed by David Boyle, and seconded by Benjamin Davidson.

FOR COUNCILLORS. Daniel Racman, proposed by Thomas Page, and seconded by George Wallace.

Thomas Webster, proposed by David McOutlecon and seconded by Michael Racman.

Neil Maloy Jr., proposed by Archibald Cameron, and seconded by Arthur McNeil.

James Thompson proposed Levi Snider, and seconded by Thomas Armstrong.

The polling which will take place on Monday, the 6th day of January, will be at the following places: For the 1st District, at Richmond Hill.

For the 2nd District at Barwick. For the 3rd District at Klineberg.

The 1st District comprises the whole of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Concessions. The 2nd District comprises the remainder of the Concessions in the Township from Lots 1 to 15, both inclusive.

And the 3rd District comprises the same Concessions from Lots 16 to 35, both inclusive.

The polling is for one day only, commencing at 9 a.m., and closing at 5 p.m.

SOCIAL.—A social will be given in the Vestry of the Methodist Church in this Village, (this) Friday evening, at seven o'clock. The proceeds to be directed to the Sabbath School. During the evening the Rev. John Bredin will favor those present with a few "personal reminiscences."

SABBATH SCHOOL TEA PARTY.—The Victoria Square P. M. Sabbath School will hold their anniversary party on New Year's Day. Tea will be served at 12 o'clock. Tickets 25 cents.

THORNHILL SABBATH SCHOOL.—The W. M. Sabbath School, at Thornhill, purpose giving a grand party on New Year's Day. Tea at 4 p.m. Tickets 40 cents.

Correspondence.

To the Editor of the York Herald. DEAR SIR.—In the last issue of the York Herald, there was a communication headed "Agricultural Supper at Barwick," over the signature of "Z," and purporting to be from a correspondent of yours at Barwick. Your correspondent may have been at Barwick on the 14th (the date of his communication) and very likely got disappointed in the object of his mission. Poor Man! therefore, he resorts to an untruthful squib. It would take a very small stretch of the imagination, without any sight, not only to name him, but also the place he hails from.

Hear what he says, "But it is rumored that the main object (of the supper) was to make capital for Mr. Thos. Grahame, in his present electioneering canvass for the Reeveship, against your neighbour Mr. P. Patterson." Your correspondent may rest assured that the Officers and Directors of the Vaughan Agricultural Society are men who scorn such an imputation being laid to their charge; and no one acquainted with them, except your correspondent or such as travel upon the same plan would venture to draw such a low inference. Injustice to the President, Mr. Abel, it is known by several persons that the supper would have come off long before it was even hinted who were to be the candidates for the Reeveship, had Mr. Abel been in a position to attend to it.

'Tis true, the friends of Mr. Grahame know that Mr. Patterson in the event of his being returned as Reeve, will not disgrace the position he is looking for. But 'tis not true that there was any connection between the object and Mr. Grahame's electioneering canvass. 'Evil be to him that evil thinks.'

Barwick, Dec. 23rd, 1867.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Dec. 2, 1867. Flour, per barrel..... \$6 75 @ 6 80 Wheat, per bush..... 1 63 @ 1 68 Spring Wheat, per bush..... 1 40 @ 1 45 Barley, per bush..... 0 73 @ 0 80 Peas, do..... 0 73 @ 0 75 Oats, do..... 0 55 @ 0 55 Pork fresh per 100 lbs..... 4 50 @ 5 50 Butter per lb..... 0 00 @ 0 00 DIED.

At Thornhill, on Sabbath, the 22nd inst., Julia Ann, daughter of John Lane Esq., aged 6 years.

On Sabbath, the 22nd inst., at his father's residence, 2nd Concession, Vaughan, Thos., son of William Cook Esq., aged 24 years.

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of dissatisfaction by any one who uses it, on the contrary, all are delighted with its operation, and speak in terms of commendation of its magical effects and medicinal virtues. We speak in this matter "WHAT WE DO KNOW" after years of experience, and PLEDGE OUR REPUTATION FOR THE FULFILLMENT OF WHAT WE HERE DECLARE. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered.

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"ECONOMY IS WEALTH."—Franklin. Why will people pay \$50 or \$100 for a Sewing Machine, when \$25 will buy a better one for all practical purposes? Notwithstanding reports to the contrary, the subscribers beg to inform their numerous friends that the "FRANKLIN" and "MEDALION" Machines can be had in any quantity. This machine is a double-thread, constructed upon entirely new principles, and DOES NOT injure upon any other in the world. It is emphatically the poor man's Sewing Machine, and is warranted to excel all others, as thousands of patrons will testify.

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New Advertisements. WANTED. LUMBER, LATHS, SHINGLES, AND Round Cedar Posts! At the Lumber Yard No. 618 & 620 Yonge Street, Toronto, December 16, 1867. 492-2m

STRAYED. FROM the premises of the Subscriber, on Richmond Hill, about the 15th inst. TWO SHEEP. Any person giving information as to their whereabouts to the undersigned will be suitably rewarded. ROBERT HOPPER. Richmond Hill, Dec. 19, '67. 491

RICHMOND HILL SKATING RINK. THE above Skating Rink is now open, and the Ice is in good order. SEASON TICKETS 50CTS. May be had at Mr. Barnard's, Mr. Atkinson's and Mr. Crosby's or on the Pond, from JAMES H. TERRY. Richmond Hill, Dec. 19, '67. 491

S. M. Sanderson & Co. WILL thoroughly warrant every pair of BOOTS made by them at their new store No. 90 Yonge Street. S. M. SANDERSON & Co. No. 90 Yonge Street, Toronto.

Stray Horse. CAME into the premises of the subscriber, Lot No. 36, 1st Con. Vaughan, on Saturday, Nov. 30, A SOLEIL HORSE. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away. BARNABUS LYONS. Cook's Gate, Dec. 11, 1867. 491-31

S. M. SANDERSON & Co. Are Manufacturing all the Newest Styles of Men's, Women's and Children's Boots & Shoes At their New Store—No. 90 Yonge-st, Toronto.