

NORTHERN RAILWAY OF CANADA
Richmond Hill Station. Change of time
taking effect September 29, 1873.
Going North 8.10 a.m., 2.15 p.m., 5.10 p.m.
Going South 9.25 a.m., 3.40 p.m., 7.27 p.m.

The York Herald.

BIRMINGHAM HILL, Dec. 5, 1873.

THEN AND NOW.

The last twenty years of Canadian History has been criticised by the appearance on the stage of public life of statesmen, who have shed a resplendent lustre upon the annals of our country. Their achievements have fixed our status high in the family of nations, and opened an ever-widening vista of future prosperity before us. It will undoubtedly be regarded in future times as the Augustan age of Canadian statesmanship. Orators, financiers, legislators. All men of sterling ability, stainless integrity and independent judgment. But the one man whose controlling genius and marvelous tact was instrumental in making all this talent available to the country, was Sir John Macdonald. On the page of history he will tower high above the other great and able men who acted with him. His remarkable popularity and success were undoubtedly owing to the fact that he never for a moment forgot that he was of the people. He never allowed himself to have any ideas or crochets of statesmanship. He always tried to ascertain in what direction the popular will pointed, and on such knowledge he acted with that unerring sagacity and promptitude which characterized him. It will be perceived that it requires a mind of extraordinary natural talent and resource to enact such a *role*. Should a crisis arise requiring his peculiar powers, we are convinced that they would be sought for in vain elsewhere. The reaction is already setting in which heralds his return to power. But whatever takes place his great services have enshrined him in the pantheon of history. We will glance for a moment at the great array of high-minded men who have unhesitatingly risen at his bidding and placed their distinguished talents at the service of the state.

At one period in our history—through the reckless and unscrupulous system of agitation carried on by an Upper Canadian political party, who have made themselves notorious—the French of Lower Canada were excited into an attitude of jealousy and mistrust. Their religion and political leaders had been persecuted and mismanaged, and they were consequently indisposed to listen to any compromise with Upper Canada in the way of constitutional readjustment. It was a period in which the least *contempt* or false move might lead to permanent estrangement. The situation required the intervention of the highest efforts of the statesmen. The danger was happily averted and the crisis surmounted by the mutual good understanding which Sir John inaugurated between himself and Sir G. E. Carter, the boldest and most talented of French leaders. Sir George was the very embodiment of the genius of the people that he represented, and enjoyed their fullest confidence. Though he was firmly devoted to the interest of his co-religionists and compatriots, yet he was unmistakably a statesman of broad and liberal views and always open to the suggestions of friendship and the voice of reason. Rapid in conception and prompt in action, he was often apt to be carried beyond his mark by the enthusiasm of an ardent temperament. He was not for sleepless tacts of his able colleagues whose warning note always came in time to prevent mischief. The part which he played in our history was very important, and the fine example of moderation which he set will cause his memory to be cherished. Then there was Dr. McGeoghegan, golden-tongued orator, statesman, patriot, and man of true genius. He had a martyr to his loyalty to Canadian nationality, and thus gave the highest proof which it was possible for any man to give of faith in our future and respect for our institutions. Faithful unto death, crowned with the orator, poet and martyr's wreath, he is the saddest and most interesting figure in our history and will ever command our highest admiration. In the department of finance, Sir Francis Hincks has displayed the most signal ability. In a young country where there is a continual drain upon her resources on the score of public improvements, this becomes a matter of far greater difficulty than in older countries, who merely rise with exigencies of civilization. It is undeniable owing to his far-seeing sagacity that our finances have been able to stand the exhaustive strain put upon them, and that our great public improvements have been projected with such signal success. His services in arranging the reciprocity treaty between this country and the United States, and thus giving a great impetus to our trade, were very signal. Sir A. T. Galt is another statesman of transcendent merits as a financier, who, to the great regret of the whole country, has thought fit to retire from politics altogether. New Brunswick sends us a son that does her infinite honor in S. L. Tilley. He has sprung from the ranks of the people—a self-made man—and the people delight to honor him. His province has lauded him with well-earned honours. No one grudges the blameless knight the victor's laurel. He is a man of undoubted talent. No one gave him much credit for finance, yet the budget that he submitted to the last Parliament was praised through the whole country as a masterly effort. Tupper, the bonanzas of the House, whose voice of thunder, energetic action, and bold speech, is the terror of his opponents, well represents the country that faces the gales of the stormy Atlantic. His claims on the Dominion are of the weightiest, for he—and he alone—understood to plead for Confederation and face the tide of public opinion, and the ire of his countrymen when their anger against the alliance was aroused. And Joseph Howe, a host in himself, also came from "that kingdom by the sea." What a stormy career was the lot of the brave old man. But he faced it all with a princely port and a quenchless eye. The orator, the statesman and the man of

genius. These men were kings from head to heel! We need say no more. But now we come to the day of small things. We have to content ourselves with a pitiful mediocrity. We have got tired of being governed by great statesmen and are content to place our destinies in the hands of men who have succeeded only in becoming political failures. Mackenzie's milk-and-water platitudes, and Blake's tea party statesmanship is enough for our weak capacity. These siamese twins, of whom it takes two to make one political figure. Men of straw! Men of today! Men who have no political record to point to. Mankind endeavouring to array themselves in the armour of giants. Blake is the head piece—as for the rest they appear to be simply so many joints in the tail of this wonderful Cabinet. Rump administration indeed! The head is a very small one undoubtedly, but all the rest is tail. Conservatives! The hopes of this Great Dominion turn to you with unflinching confidence and she puts her trust in your honour and your loyalty for it will soon be your turn to replace these imbeciles by the great men who have brought to it nothing but honour and prosperity.

Editor's Notes.

VILLAGE TAXES.—Be sure to pay your taxes before the 14th December, or you cannot vote.

Mr Room, Kay, gave one of his classic entertainments in the Victoria hall, Thornhill, on Wednesday evening last.

The Presbyterians in this neighborhood we learn purpose having a social on or about the 9th of January.

Miss Campbell's pupils' Soiree Musicale and Tableaux Vivants comes off in the Hall this (Friday) evening. Every one ought to be present.

LACROSSE CONCERT.—On Friday next, the 19th inst., the young men are members of the Star Lacrosse Club of our village will give their concert in the Masonic Hall. We hope they will have satisfactory patronage, as the amateurs who will assist them are of great ability, and will give selections that are superior to the general run.

VILLAGE COUNCIL.—There will be a meeting tomorrow (Saturday) evening in the Court Room, at seven o'clock. As the year is fast drawing to a close, it is probable that this will be the last meeting of the Council for the year 1873. In that case we expect a valedictory from the Reeve, addressed to his Colleagues before the council rises.

YORKVILLE CLERK.—We are given to understand the Clerk of the village of Yorkville is about to resign his office. More than likely a by-law will be passed, making the Treasurer and the Clerk into one office. This was tried sometime since and then failed to be accomplished, but circumstances have changed since then, and now it may be deemed expedient.

RED TAPE.—We have been informed by a gentleman who has two daughters attending the model school, that the authorities of this school will not permit the scholars to use blue foolscap paper to write their exercises, and his children having been told that they must buy white paper as blue would not suit, it being against the rules. Some rules are better observed in the breach.

THE LECTURE AND FESTIVAL under the auspices of the Masonic Hall Building Committee, on Monday ev'g, the 15th inst. The Rev. John Bredin has kindly consented to give a Lecture, subject: "The Power of Money." Tea to be served at 5 o'clock p.m. Admission to Tea and Lecture 30 cents. Tickets to be had of the Committee and at the door. Proceeds to be applied to repairing the Hall and improving the grounds.

The public with us, will be glad to learn that the 20th Anniversary of the Patterson S. S. will take place on Christmas Eve the 26th inst., the Exercise will consist of Singing, Dialogues, Recitations, Declamation and the usual Christmas Tree. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Only a limited number of tickets will be sold; they may be had at the stores of Messrs. Savage, Atkinson, Moodie, Crosby, Harrison and at the Herald Book Store.

ANNIVERSARY AND TEA MEETING AT MAPLE.—The Anniversary of the W. M. Church, Maple, will be held (D.V.) on Sunday, 21st December. Sermons will be preached by the Rev. John Gumly, Sec. of the Bible Society, at 10 1/2 a.m. and Rev. E. Dewar, Editor "Guardian" at 6 1/2 p.m. Collection after each service. The Tea meeting will be held on Monday following. Rev. S. J. Hunter, of Toronto, and others will address the meeting. The services of the Victoria Square W. M. Choir have been secured. A large attendance is kindly solicited. Tea Served at 5 p.m. Tickets, 25c. Proceeds to aid the Trust Fund.

A CAUTION TO DOGS, THEIR OWNERS AND HARBOURERS.—By a By-law of their Municipal Council of the village of Richmond Hill, it is among other things enacted "That the Inspector of Nuisances or other person authorized by the Village Council shall kill or destroy and bury any dog or bitch for which the owner or harbourer has not paid the tax herein before stated (in preceding sections) after the said tax has been once demanded by the person authorized to receive or collect the Village Taxes." We would suggest to our village friends who own dogs to keep them up until they have refused to pay—to chain them up until next year. For such dogs are permitted to run at large and the danger is that Mr. Inspector Crawford or some other person authorized by the council will send them to David Jones locker.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—The Concert in connection with the Mechanics' Institute in this village came off, as announced, on last Friday evening. The audience was not as large as on some previous occasions, but the renditions were excellent and highly appreciated by those present. The President, Mr. Wm. Trench, ably presided and began the programme by calling on Miss F. Barnard and Messrs. Spalding for an "Instrumental," which was rendered with much skill. "The White Squall" followed, by Mr. A. Wilson, which was loudly encored. Mr. Wilson returning the compliment with "My Pretty Jane." In the absence of Miss Velle, Miss M. Sanderson, by request, supplied her place with "The Nightingale," which was deservedly encored and responded to. Next came an "Instrumental," by Miss Teffy. This young lady appeared quite at home at the piano, and played with a proficiency that drew forth the plaudits of the audience. The "Village Blacksmith" was then called for, and was given by Mr. Bright, eliciting an encore which was answered by "Safety Follow Him." "Tuesdays" giving crowning the Sea," by the Misses Campbell and Sanderson, was highly appreciated. "Nativity, the Maid of the Mill," by Mrs. James, closing the first part of the programme. Mrs. James' style is exceedingly lively and decidedly pleasing. Part second

opened with an "Instrumental," by Miss F. Barnard and Messrs. Spalding in their usual attractive manner, and was listened to with much attention. Then the "Old Sexton," by Mr. Bright, was appropriately sung, followed by "Waiting," by Miss Sanderson an encore was the result. Next came another excellent "Instrumental," by Miss Teffy, which was executed with admirable taste. Mr. A. L. Wilson, to whom the Institute is indebted for much assistance, was in his accustomed happy manner "The Jora of Youth," drawing from those present a hearty encore, to which he responded by "Relief of Lucknow." Mrs. James finished up the programme by giving "Robin's Return." It is scarcely necessary to say that an encore was the next order which resulted in the audience being favored with "Tap, Tapping of the Gun Gate," with the same spirit and animation which characterizes all Mrs. James' efforts when before an appreciative assembly. A vote of thanks was given to the ladies and gentlemen who assisted at the entertainment.

York County Council.

SPECIAL MEETING.

A Special meeting of the York County Council was held at the Court House, Adelaide Street, on Monday afternoon, Mr. W. H. Thorne, Warden, in the chair. There were present Messrs. Jones, Jackson, Lane, Boyle, Cane, Cunnig, Duncan, Eakin, Law, Macklin, Miliken, Marrat, McDonald, Stephenson, Morier, J. Phillips, J. D. Phillips, Porter, Reid, Speight, Webster, Bull, Leslie and Severn.

The Warden said he had received a petition from a number of the residents in the townships of East and North Galloway and Georgian, praying the Council to pass a by-law, to be submitted to the ratepayers of these townships, for their vote, to grant a bonus of \$45,000 to aid in the construction of the Lake Simcoe Junction Railway.

The Warden, in answer to an enquiry said that nothing further would be done at present in the erection of a new registry office for York.

The Warden said his attention had been directed to the dangerous state of the bridge across the Humber on the Lake Shore Road, and he had ordered plans and specifications for a new iron bridge to be asked for.

Mr. Tyrrell gave notice that he will tomorrow introduce a by-law to aid and assist in the construction of the Lake Simcoe Junction Railway by granting a bonus of \$45,000, and to issue debentures therefor, and to authorize the levying of a special rate for the payment of the said debentures and interest.

Mr. J. D. Phillips gave notice that he will tomorrow for a committee to draft a petition to the Legislature to repeal the clause authorizing the grouping of municipalities for the purpose of granting aid to railways.

The Clerk then read the petition for the by-law to grant aid to the Lake Simcoe Junction Railway.

Mr. J. D. Phillips, seconded by Mr. Jackson, moved that a Committee consisting of Messrs. Cane, Merritt, and the mover, be and is hereby appointed to obtain a legal opinion as to whether this Council has the option of passing a by-law or not, such as is prayed for by the petition, aiding the Simcoe Junction Railway; also, as to whether this Council can compel applicants to deposit the amount of costs attending the passing of this by-law, an holding an election as prayed for. Carried.

Mr. Lane gave notice that he will introduce a by-law authorizing the Warden and Commissioners to establish check gates and side rails on Yonge street.

Also, that he will move that parties now passing through Gate No. 2, on Yonge street at half toll shall pay full toll in going through that gate south and return.

The Council then adjourned until nine o'clock Tuesday morning.

YORK TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

The Council met at the Prospect House, Eglington.

All the members present.

An opinion was received from Mr. S. H. Bull relative to Municipal Elections.

A report was received from the Health Officers for 1873.

Communications were received from K. L. Donnan in reference to Miss Harding.

From John Dampy, recommending a grant of money to support Mrs. Murphy.

From John West, re Saggate Child; and from W. A. Law, protesting against the conveyance of old Yonge street.

A circular and blank petitions were received from the Secretary of the Temperance League.

Accounts were received from the Township Engineer, Treasurer, and Assessor East.

Petitions were received from John Zeagman, Michael Glancy, and Colin Skinner, each praying the Council to convey to them a portion of old Yonge street.

From Thomas Mitchell, re Sparkball's Hill.

From John Lawrence, et al., praying for damages for injury done to a horse while crossing a defective bridge in the township.

From A. Law, re Wright mortgages.

From W. A. Moore, praying for a grant to assist in conveying water to the Third Concession.

From George Tremble and Moses Findlay, praying for aid.

A certificate from Miss Harding, praying for a refund to obtain a shop license.

The Council examined into the claims of W. A. Moore, John Jackson and Thomas Mulholland, for sheep killed by dogs.

The Clerk was instructed to prepare a by-law for conveying certain portions of old Yonge street to John Davis, John Zeagman, Colin Skinner and Michael Glancy.

The Council granted the prayer of the petition of W. A. Law, and extended the time for the payment of the principal secured by the Wright mortgages for five years, on the conditions mentioned in said petition.

The Clerk was instructed to issue a certificate to enable Miss Harding to obtain a shop license.

The Treasurer was instructed to pay the following sums:—John Davis, \$10; John Zeagman, \$10; Thomas Vaughan, \$4; John Jackson, for sheep killed, \$11.50; Wm. A. Moore, for sheep killed, \$6; Thomas Mulholland, for sheep killed, \$10.50; Mrs. Wick, \$4; George Teffy, \$10; Mrs. Gibbs, \$4; John Hogg, \$15; Mr. and Mrs. Rowley, \$4; Mrs. Murphy, \$8; Moses Findlay, \$10; Mr. Peacock and Mr. Baker, \$10; Mrs. Milan, \$4.

A by-law, No. 423, was passed, providing for the nomination and election of Reeve and Deputy Reeves for York Township during the year 1874; the nomination to take place and be held at the Masonic Hall, Eglington, on Monday, Dec. 20th, and the election (in case the candidates are not elected by acclamation) to take place and be held at the Masonic Hall, Eglington, on Monday, January 5th, 1874.

By-law No. 424, to divide and apportion the Clergy Reserve Interest, for 1873, was read a first and second time.

By-law No. 425 was passed, to pay Township officers for 1873.

The Council then adjourned sine die.

MARKHAM COUNCIL.

The above Council met at Hunter's hall, Unionville, on Saturday, 29th ult. Reeves, the chair; members all present. Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Communications presented: By the Reeve from Harrison, Oslar & Moss, accompanied by articles of agreement between the Municipality of Markham, Richmond Hill and Markham Village, relative to distribution of surplus fund and railway assessment.

By the Reeve, from Fred. Reesor, collector for S. S. No. 18, asking the Council to place the following lots on the assessment roll which was inadvertently omitted by the assessor for the present year: C. Maguire, 50 acres, 9th Con.; Mrs. Webb, 1 acre, 9th Con.; C. Patton, 1 1/2 acres, 8th Con.

Petition presented: By the Reeve, from John Button and twenty seven others, praying the Council to set apart the square property of Robert Cunningham from S. S. No. 8, as asked by his petition, unless a similar amount of property be added to the section in its stead.

By Mr. Marsh, from Alex. Young and thirty others, asking aid for Mrs. Dunn, a widow in destitute circumstances and also accompanied with a lame daughter.

By Mr. Marsh, from James Bliss and three others, praying that the east half of Lot No. 10, in the 4th Con. be separated from S. S. No. 8, and added to School Section No. 5, in lieu of Mr. Cunningham's land which is now being taken from said Section 5, and added to School Section No. 8.

Mr. Miliken, seconded by Mr. Lane, moved that the following amounts be paid by the Treasurer to the parties herein named for damages done to their sheep by a dog or dogs owned, as testified on oath: Thomas Donnan, \$22.66; Wm. Cherry, \$21.50; Peter Finnie, \$5.36.

Mr. Lane, seconded by Mr. Miliken, moved that the sum of \$60 be granted to complete the approaches to the bridge on Lot No. 5, in the 3rd Con.; said sum payable to the order of commissioners appointed to open the said road across Lot No. 5.

Mr. Lane, seconded by Mr. Miliken, moved that the accounts of James Boyd and Samuel Reesor for gravel laid on in Road Division No. 68 and 65 be paid to the said party by the Treasurer. To J. Boyd \$5, Samuel Reesor \$4.

Mr. Button, seconded by Mr. Marsh, moved that a further sum of \$5 be granted to complete the bridge in front of Lot 29, in 6th Con.; to be payable to the order of the present commissioners.

Mr. Marsh, seconded by Mr. Lane, moved that the Clerk of this municipality do notify the members of School Section No. 5 and 8th that this Council will, at its next meeting, introduce a by-law for the purpose of altering the said section by separating the east quarter of Lot No. 10, in the 4th Con., from Section 8, and adding the same to No. 5.

Mr. Marsh, seconded by Mr. Button, moved that the sum of \$1 per week be and is hereby granted for the support of Ruel Stark and his wife, an old and indigent couple who have no other means of support; the said sum payable to the order of Geo. Lawson, and to continue to be paid during the pleasure of this Council.

Mr. Marsh, seconded by Mr. Button, moved that the sum of \$1 per week be and is hereby granted for the support of Elizabeth Dunn, an old and indigent person, who has no other means of support; the above grant payable to the order of J. H. Button, Esq., and to continue to be paid during the pleasure of this Council.

Mr. Lane, seconded by Mr. Miliken, moved that the account of James Hawkins, road overseer of road division No. 46, amounting to \$2.14 for repairing and planking a culvert, be paid to him by the Treasurer.

Mr. Marsh, seconded by Mr. Button, moved that the sum of \$60 be and is hereby granted for the purpose of purchasing gravel and to assist in placing the same upon the sidewalk between Lots 20 and 21 in the 2nd Con. and that Jonathan Brilinger, Nicholas Lynott and Jacob Byer be and is hereby appointed commissioners to expend the same; said sum payable to the order of commissioners, after the money and work subscribed has been expended and the work is completed, as per standard resolution of Council.

Mr. Marsh, on motion, introduced By-law 226 in blank for fixing the salaries of officers of the Municipality. On motion the Council went into committee of the whole thereon. Mr. Miliken, in the chair. The committee rose and reported By-law as amended with blanks filled as follows:—Commissioners, as provided by the statutes, for each meeting of Council and committees of Council; Clerk and Treasurer, \$300 per annum including all services and commissions; Auditor, \$60; Assessors, \$50 each; Collectors, \$100 each; Inspector of Licenses, \$25 for first tavern and shop inspected and \$25 cents for the inspection of each additional shop; Returning Officers, \$2; Inspector of weights and measures, 50 cents for each additional set of measures, scales and weights he may inspect, said Inspector to visit every establishment where used, each and every year.

Mr. Marsh, seconded by Mr. Lane, moved that By-law 228 be now read the third time.

Mr. Miliken asked for the yeas and nays. On division the motion was carried. Yeas—Marsh, Lane and Button. Nays—Miliken.

Mr. Marsh introduced a By-law in blank to amend No. 146, and to amend S. S. No. 5 and 8 of this municipality which, on motion, received its first and second reading.

Mr. Marsh, seconded by Mr. Button, moved that the account of David Break, amounting to the sum of \$4.50, for furnishing planks and cedar for culverts in road division No. 51, be paid by the Treasurer.

Mr. Lane introduced a By-law in blank for providing for holding municipal elections, which was read the first and second time. On motion the Council went into committee of the whole thereon. Mr. Marsh in the chair. Committee rose and reported the By-law as amended and blanks filled as follows:—Nomination on Monday, December 29, 1873, at Unionville. The election in the several Electoral Divisions as follows:—No. 1—At Brown's Corners—T. Thomson, Returning Officer. No. 2—Victoria Square—J. Gormley. No. 3—Unionville—John Stephenson. No. 4—Cushel—J. Bowman. No. 5—Boxgrove—J. Boyd. No. 6—Mongolia—Walter Miller. The By-law received its third reading and was passed.

Mr. Miliken, seconded by Mr. Marsh, moved that the Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay the account of R. A. Harrison, solicitor, amounting to \$10, for preparing agreement between this municipality and the municipalities of Richmond Hill and Markham Village.

Mr. Lane, seconded by Mr. Marsh, moved that the Reeve and Clerk be and is hereby authorized to execute the agreement in regard to settlement with the villages of Markham and Richmond Hill by this municipality.

Mr. Miliken, seconded by Mr. Button, moved that the Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay Andrew Nicholson, the sum of \$7, for expenses incurred in the term of Mrs. Cutler, a poor woman.

Mr. Lane, seconded by Mr. Miliken, moved that the Clerk be and is hereby authorized and required to retire ten rail road debentures of this municipality.

The Council adjourned to meet on the 20th inst.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

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AT CASH PRICES.

GEORGE A. BARNARD!

Is determined to sell the CHEAPEST GROCERIES to be had on Richmond Hill this year. Just look at the prices and compare with other stores:—

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| Fine Bright Refined Sugar, 100 lbs and 11 1/2 lbs for..... \$1 | New Crop finest Valencia Raisins, 10 lbs for..... \$1 |
| Fine powdered Leaf Sugar, 50 lbs for \$1 | New Crop, finest Sieved and dressed Currants, 10 lbs for..... \$1 |
| Good, Natural Leaf, Japan Tea, 30 lbs for..... \$1 | New Crop, finest Seedless Raisins, 10 lbs for..... \$1 |
| Fine, Fresh, Young Hyson Tea, 45c per lb better than any sold on Richmond Hill for..... 50c per lb | New Crop Zante Currants, 15 lb for..... \$1 |
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| Strong, fine Flavored Maynue young Hyson Tea, 45c per lb as good as any sold in the village for..... 50c per lb | Soft Shell Almonds, 5 lb for..... \$1 |
| Fine, full flavored young Hyson tea 65c per lb as good as any sold in the village for..... 75c per lb | Sweet Hickory Nuts, 10c per lb |
| Valencia Raisins, last season's crop 14 lbs for..... \$1 | Fine Fresh Ground Coffee, 25c per lb |

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| Best Old Rye (not surpassed in quality) \$1 per gallon | Finest Hennessy's French Brandy \$2.75 per gallon, .75 cts per quart |
| Best Family Mail, not surpassed in quality \$1 per gallon | Imported Stewart's Blended Scotch Whiskey, quarts, 50cts bottle |
| Dekay's Holland Gin, 40 cts per qt | Imported Stewart's Scotch Whiskey, in Pint Flasks, 30 cts per flask |
| Pinet, Castillon & Co's French Brandy, \$1.50 per gallon, .40 cts per quart | Imported, Fine Irish Whiskey in Pint Flasks, 40 cts per quart |
| Fine, Pure Old Jamaica Rum \$1.50 per gallon, 40 cts per quart | Dekay's Scheidat Schnappi, 50c to 70c per bottle. |
| Fine Dry Golden Brown, Sherry Wine, \$1.50 per gallon, .40 cts per quart | Finest & Best French Brandy, 60c to \$1 per bottle. |
| Fine Pure Ferragous Port Wine \$1.50 per gallon, .40 cts per quart | |

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In the neighborhood Saws, Nails, Screws, Locks, Files, Buis, Hinges, Pocket and Table Cutlery, and almost every variety of Carpenters' tools, which I will sell at

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A Great variety of Chopping Axes, Double Steel, from \$1 each. Give me a call and examine my Goods and Prices.

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Richmond Hill, Dec 9, 1873. 803-5.

New Advertisements.

THOMAS B. COPELAND, PHOTOGRAPHER, RICHMOND HILL, begs to inform the public that he intends REMOVING HIS BUSINESS TO OSK DOR SOUTH OF JNO. BROWN'S STORE

AND as he is getting a gallery there fixed up in good style he will be able to do first class work. He intends moving on THE 22nd DECEMBER INST AT COPELAND, Richmond Hill, Dec. 10, 1873.

A STRAY STEER. Came into the premises of the Subscriber Lot No. 21, in the 3rd Con. of Markham, in the Month of August last, A Red & White Steer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take the animal away. JAMES LACKIE, 803-3. Headford, Dec. 9, 1873.

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Salmon Trout, Cod Fish and Labrador Herring. A general stock of goods to be found in a general store. GOODS DELIVERED. A. MOODIE.

CHRISTMAS CHEER. FULL SUPPLIES For the Season, AT WM. ATKINSON'S Central Store. Richmond Hill, Dec. 9, '73.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING. "Throughout the house a busy stir, The cook in glory reigning The maid's soft dream of mistletoe, 'Midst graver cares distracting For, in her ears the magic voice Of another song is humming, 'The Christmas pudding must be made, 'For Christmas Day is coming!" P. G. SAVAGE

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"Throughout the house a busy stir, The cook in glory reigning The maid's soft dream of mistletoe, 'Midst graver cares distracting For, in her ears the magic voice Of another song is humming, 'The Christmas pudding must be made, 'For Christmas Day is coming!" P. G. SAVAGE

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