



TO THE  
**ELECTORS**

OF  
**West York**  
GENTLEMEN,

I had the honor of being nominated to contest this riding at the next election for the Ontario Legislature, and I may say that, considering the reckless extravagance of the present Government in expending during the past five years Two Million Seven Hundred and Thirty-five Thousand Dollars more than the revenue amounted to, as shown by the annexed figures, it is time we had a change in the management of Provincial affairs.

Pledging myself, if elected, to use every endeavor to largely reduce the expenditure, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Yours truly,  
**WILLIAM TYRRELL.**

1874	DEFICIT
Expenditure.....\$3,871,500	
Revenue.....3,446,300	\$425,200
1875	
Expenditure.....\$3,604,500	
Revenue.....3,159,500	\$445,000
1876	
Expenditure.....\$3,140,000	
Revenue.....2,589,000	\$551,400
1877	
Expenditure.....\$3,117,400	
Revenue.....2,452,000	\$665,400
1878	
Expenditure.....\$2,902,400	
Revenue.....2,254,400	\$648,000
Total excess of expenditure over revenue.....	\$2,735,000

**Village Directory**

**SOCIETIES**  
RICHMOND LODGE, A. F. & A. M. No. 23, G. R. C.—Meets in the Lodge Room, Masonic Hall, on Monday or before full moon, at 8 o'clock, p.m. Isaac Crosby, W. M.  
RICHMOND O. L. No. 778—Meets in the Temperance Hall, on the Friday or before full moon, at 8 p.m. J. H. Sanderson, W. M.  
RICHMOND HILL TEMPLE, No. 465, I. O. G. T.—Meets in the Temperance Hall every Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Wm. Harrison, T. D.  
DUNKIN ACT—Central Committee meets at the hall of the President in the Temperance Hall, Dr. J. N. Reid, Thornhill, President; John Sanderson, Richmond Hill, Sec.  
The Methodist Sabbath School Temperance Association meets on Wednesdays every Sunday when desired. Wm. Harrison, Supt.  
MORNING INSTITUTE—Library of over 1000 volumes open every Tuesday evening, in the Masonic Hall, from 7 to 9 o'clock. R. E. Law, Librarian. Lectures and discussions periodically.  
RICHMOND HILL GOLF BAND—Meets for practice every Tuesday and Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A. Morrison, Leader.  
VILLAGE COUNCIL—Reeve, Wm. Trench; Coun. Chas. W. Lewis, Thos. H. Lee, Hon. D. L. Macpherson, Mayor; Wm. Powell, Chas. M. Teedy.

**CHURCHES**

ST. MARY'S (EPISCOPAL)—Services at 3 p.m., except the third Sunday of every month, when the service and sacrament are held at 11 a.m. Sunday School at 11:30 p.m. Rev. R. Shaughnessy, Rector.  
METHODIST—Services at 10:30 a.m., and 6:30 p.m. Sunday School at 2:30 p.m. Prayers meeting every Thursday evening, and Sunday School Teachers' meeting and Bible Class on Friday evening, led by the pastor, Rev. M. McCullum. Assistant, Rev. M. Lawson.  
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**Money**

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Hon. Geo. W. Allan, Senator, President.  
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Directors—Samuel Platt, M.P., Wm. Goodhand, Geo. W. Lewis, Thos. H. Lee, Hon. D. L. Macpherson, Senator.

**Saving's Bank**  
**BRANCH**

Money received on deposit, and interest payable half yearly or compounded.  
**MONEY TO LOAN.**  
See our reduced loan table. For further information apply at the Offices of the Company.

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**BOULTBEE & EVATT, BARRISTERS.**  
Attorneys, Solicitors-in-Chief, etc., 61 Adelaide street East, opposite the Court House, Toronto.  
ALFRED BOULTBEE. WM. WORTH EVATT.

**Ferguson, Bain, Gordon & Shipley,**  
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors-in-Chief, etc., 61 Adelaide street, Toronto.  
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P. O. Box 2527.

**Medical**

**DR. R. S. TYRRELL, LICEN**  
Graduate of the Royal College of Physicians, London, England. Consultation days—Monday and Thursday, forenoon. Residence—Weston, March 21, 1878-9.

**Where to Buy ?**

**GOOD BARGAINS**  
Those of our subscribers living in this neighborhood need not go past Richmond Hill for good bargains in all kinds of Dry Goods, Groceries, etc., as will be found on referring to our advertising columns.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
Cheap Spring Goods—J. Brown.

**THE HERALD.**  
Only One Dollar a Year

**RICHMOND HILL; ONT**  
THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 1879

**Improving Yonge Street Road.**

There has always been considerable complaint about the miserable condition of certain sections of Yonge street, particularly during the Spring and Fall, but up to the present time, no perceptible improvement appears to have been made. The chief grievance is that during the Fall, when the road is at its best, a layer of stone is put on, and the public are either compelled to drive on the side of the road, or get such a terrible jolting that every bone in their body aches, besides injuring their horses seriously. In the Spring instead of scraping the road, a layer of fine stone, it is contended, should be put on, and when the road is dry, a good, hard solid bed would result. We are informed that four gentlemen,—Dr. Langstaff and Mr. Wm. Trench, of this village; and Messrs. David James and Thompson, of Thornhill,—are endeavoring to induce the County Council to give them the privilege of repairing, improving and taking care of five miles of Yonge street, from Elgin Corners, (a few miles above the village) to Thornhill, for one year. This section of the road will be treated after a different manner to what it has experienced in the past, and these gentlemen contend that they can put it in a much better condition than it has ever been heretofore, at a much less cost. The gentlemen mentioned should certainly know what a good road is, and doubtless also know how to improve Yonge street. In any case, there can be no harm in making the experiment, while there is every reason to believe that their efforts will have the result of shaming many other sections.

**Local Elections.**

The elections for the Local House are to be held in June. We hope our friends in the East and West ridings will make good use of their time, and see that their candidates are returned by a good majority. We are informed that a public meeting will be held in this village shortly, at which Messrs. Meredith, Morris, Davin, etc., are expected to deliver speeches.

**Approval of the National Policy, etc., by a Public Meeting**

At a public meeting held in the Orange Hall, Brown's Corners, on Tuesday night, John Langstaff in the chair, the following resolution was carried on a division:—Resolved that in the opinion of this meeting the National Policy as introduced by Sir John A. Macdonald's Ministry, as also the action of the Dominion House in reference to the dismissal of his Ministry by the Governor of Quebec, merits our approval.

Messrs. Chandler and John Gibson made able speeches in support of the resolution; and Messrs. Badgerow, Tait, (of Toronto,) and Doctor McConnell, in opposition. We will give a fuller report in our next, of the meeting.

According to the report of the Ontario School of Agriculture, page 32, the production and liability to disease of some varieties of Fall wheat which is there given, we find that the Soule was the most affected by rust. The Clawson was the next affected. The gold medal held second place; whilst Arnold's victor and Silver chaff held third place in this respect. The weight per bushel of the Soule wheat was 6 1/2 lbs., being three to four lbs. heavier than any of the others. The Soule wheat also showed the least attack by the Hessian Fly. It also showed the best standing straw; whilst as regards weight of straw, it stood second best, being 6,000 lbs. per acre. It also stood equal to any of the other sorts as regards quantity, being 33 bushels to the acre.

Although the farmers of Ontario decided last September by a majority of three to one that they were being purveyed by the Grit free trade policy, the Bulletin of this week eagerly insists that "An Ontario farmer wants no protection." The wisdom of a Grit editor is somewhat like the contents of a mince pie—it passes all human understanding.

**Self-Condemed.**

The Newmarket Era says—It is well for our Reform contemporary at Richmond Hill, *The Liberal*, that he is outside the pale of this riding, or he would be ostracised from the party quicker than he could write the sentiments of his mind. He says—"It would be much better for the country if this idea of party, were discarded from the Local House. There is nothing in the questions which come before it which afford any ground whatever for the formation of parties. The most important and particular question to the country is the wise and economical management of its finances, and the men who can best handle these are the men who should be elected to the Provincial Parliament."

The Era is quite correct. Reformers do not like to be condemned by those they are accustomed to regard as friends and supporters. There are some members of the party in this section who certainly have a claim on their paper, having started and carefully fostered it. They therefore have a right to expect that instead of blundering into a condemnation of their principles, it should uphold and champion them. The Reform party has always endeavored to run the Local House on mere party lines, and even now the Globe strongly appeals to all Reformers to hold to the straight line, and vote for their man, regardless of other considerations. And yet this sheet actually—and innocently, no doubt—dares to raise an objection to such a course. It is well that the statement is generally regarded as having been made through ignorance of its real meaning and effect, or the writer might have a hauling over the coals. It is not very agreeable to find a friend turning on you at a time when his services are needed, if ever—a friend who has been secured for a certain purpose actually blundering into the opposite course. No wonder the Era thinks such a sheet would naturally be ostracised from the party. But the hardest blow is given to the party when our friend says "the most important and particular question to the country is the wise and economical management of its finances, and the men who can best handle these are the men who should be elected to the Provincial Parliament." Exactly so, that is precisely similar to the sentiments we have always advocated, and that is the principle that the Conservatives have contended for since the defeat of Sandfield MacDonald. During the last session, they succeeded in forcing the Government to make a reduction in the estimates. Slight though it was, it proved that the Ministers were at last awakening to the danger of running the Local House on Party lines, and increasing the expenditure to an alarming extent regardless of the opinion of the public. This reduction was not made of their own free will, it was forced upon them by the vigorous and persistent action of the Opposition, who contended that a much greater saving could be effected. In saying that "the men who can best handle our finances should only be sent to the Local House, our friend gives the Reform party a direct hit. He has not done so through a feeling of independence or patriotism, or because he thinks they are deserving of it. Oh, no, no, bless your heart, he's held too well-in-hand for that. The fact is he actually supposed that the present Ministry had proven economical, or else did not know for certain whether they had or not, and just took the chances. The Era is quite right. A sheet which allows itself to commit such outrageous blunders; which hits the salary grabbers such a terrible slap on the face while it intended to pat them on the back, would be ostracised from the party very quickly, if another could be procured. Half a loaf is better than no bread; and acting on this principle, such faults are overlooked by the faithful.

**Serious Accident.**  
We regret that our esteemed friend John Duncan, Esq., (who lives on the Markham side of Yonge street, about a mile south of Richmond Hill) met with a very painful and dangerous accident on Thursday last. He was employed in pulling down an old building (formerly used as a hotel, which he had purchased from Mr. Lyburner, with the intent of using the timber to erect a new barn) and had taken all down except the frame. He climbed up to the second floor, to assist in letting down the beams, thinking that the frame was securely stayed. While one beam was slowly descending, the support gave way, and the whole frame fell to the ground. When Mr. John Duncan felt the beams giving under his feet he involuntarily bent down to break his fall, and by so doing undoubtedly saved his life. He struck one side of the cellar and fell back into it, the timber falling across the cellar, but not going below the surface. Had Mr. Duncan fallen in an erect position, he would have been instantly crushed to death under the heavy beams. He was severely bruised in the face, breast, legs and arms. Doctor Langstaff and Doctor Reid are in attendance, and we are extremely glad to learn that under their skillful management the injuries sustained are rapidly improving; and in a few weeks we hope to see Mr. Duncan moving round, completely restored to health.

B. Parnard, Esq., of Bradford, has been appointed Official Assignee for the County of Simcoe.

**LOCAL NEWS.**

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Herald Book Store, Dewsbury's Block for sale 10 cent and 5 cent music.  
Almanacs for sale.  
French Dictionaries and other school Books just received.  
Franklin Square and other libraries.  
Berlin Woollens & Co. in stock.  
Parties not receiving the "Herald" will please inform us by postal card.

Orders for printing can be left at the YORK HERALD Book and Stationery Store, Dewsbury's Block.

The Bishop is elected, and J. Brown is selling Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Provisions cheaper than any house in town.

A meeting of the Village Council was held last night, not much business done. Minutes next week.

We print visiting cards cheaper and as well as any office in the County. Come and see.

Lending Library at the HERALD Book Store. Call and see. Cheap reading of all the standard works.

Now is the time to advertise. The spring season, when everything takes new life and vigor after lying dormant during the winter is at hand. Business men should, therefore, avail themselves of the opportunity of such means of announcement which reach the greatest possible number at the least possible expense. The Herald fills the bill exactly.

Subscriptions for periodicals and newspapers taken at the HERALD Book Store. See advertisement in another column.

Read the communications from "Goat," "Granger," and "Kingston Road" which will be found on our third page.

That's it gentlemen. A hundred new subscribers since we came back, and all paid for. Send them along. The Herald is good for another twenty years, at that rate.

Parties owing for the paper &c. will kindly forward the amount due. Some amounts have been standing over two years.

REPAIRED.—The Insurance Company have repaired the damages done to Mr. McCosachy's shop by the late fire.

Horse Bills printed at the HERALD office, as cheaply, neatly and quickly as any other office in the County. Orders for all job work may be left at Palmer's or Cosgrove's Hotel.

Our thanks are due to A. Boulton, Esq., M.P., for a copy of the Public Accounts for the fiscal year to the 30th of June last.

At a meeting of the North York Conservative Association held at Newmarket, on Tuesday last, Mr. J. R. Stevenson, Merchant of Sutton, received the unanimous nomination to contest the riding for the Local House. With good organization and vigorous canvass there is every indication that the salary-grabber will be defeated.

REVIVAL SERVICES.—These services are still being held in the vestry of the C. M. Church every evening, commencing at 7:30, by the Rev. Messrs. McCullum and Howson. They are well attended, the room being filled every meeting. A number of persons have joined the church, and much good is being done. May the good work go on successfully.

RE-BUILT.—We understand it is the intention of the British American and Western Insurance Companies who held the risks on Mr. Ambler's buildings, to rebuild them at an early date. At present the place presents a very desolate and ruinous appearance.

TENDERS WANTED.—Tenders will be received by E. Gallanough, Thornhill, up to Friday, 11th of April, for the moving and rebuilding a Stable, 40x80; a Driving Shed, 60x24, and a room on top, 24x60. Specifications and plans can be seen at E. Gallanough's Store, Thornhill. The lowest tender not necessarily accepted. Terms cash.

**Voting RePeal of the Dunkin Act.**  
A petition having been sent to the Government, bearing the genuine signature of forty thousand one hundred and seventy-two electors of the County of York asking that a vote be taken to repeal the Dunkin Act, the Government have appointed Wednesday the 23rd inst as the day on which voting will take place. Voting will be by ballot, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Mr. Bastedo, of Newmarket, has been appointed Returning officer, who will appoint a Deputy Returning officer and scrutineers for each polling place. The votes will be counted and the result declared on Saturday the 26th inst.

**Simcoe Spring Assizes**  
DARK, MARCH 25.—The Spring Assizes of the county of Simcoe opened to-day before his Lordship Justice Burton. The business of the assizes this session is heavy. The civil calendar consists of twenty-three cases, viz.:—False imprisonment, 1; ejectment, 2; slander, 2; trover, 1; dowry, 3; education, 1; common counts, 2; assumpsit, 1; breach of promise, 1. The criminal docket is an unusually heavy one, the first and second standing over from last assizes. The following are the criminal docket:—Neil Livingston, murder at Collingwood; Andrew Brown, felonious assault; James Sheison, r.p.; Bernard O'Neill, felonious assault; Daniel Kelly, arson; Wm. Green, arson; John Campbell, rape; James A. Macaulay, forgery; Walter Morris, r.p.; Samuel Armstrong, larceny; and Thomas Dodds, fraud, in all twelve criminal cases. Mr. J. O. Crear, Q. C., of Hamilton, is the prosecuting counsel.

**The Dunkin Act In York**

The following letter we republish, together with comments thereon by the Newmarket Era, at the request of that paper. No doubt Dr Reid will be able to explain, and defend his position satisfactorily.

THORNHILL, MARCH 5th.  
To the Editor of the Herald.

Sir—I notice among the items of news in last week's York Herald a short paragraph from the Newmarket Era, endorsed by the Economist, and which reads as follows:—"Referring to the Dunkin Act in York, it says: 'We have all the evils of the traffic, and are deprived of the License Fund.' This is untrue, and the editors of both the Era and Economist should know better. The result of the License year ending May, 1877, was \$1,300 for the whole county. The amount of fines collected in East and West York alone, up to date, amounts to about \$3,000 and at the end of the year will be double the amount collected under the License Law, and the share of this fund falling to the Municipalities will largely exceed any former year. It is to be lamented that so few members of the press are to be found who do not panter to Licensed Whiskey selling interest."

Yours respectfully,  
JOHN M. REID.

We have purposely waited replying to the above communication till trustworthy data was received; and to prevent the charge of unfairness, have given it in full. By a return just printed, ordered by the Ontario Legislature, we are now in a position to do so intelligently, and whether agreeably or not to our censor, at least to our own satisfaction. In the first place Dr. Reid says—"The result of the License year ending May, 1877, was \$1,300 for the whole county." Turn we now to official authority. We return before us under the heading—"Amount that was paid to municipalities after deducting expenses in 1876 '77," the year our censor quotes, was as follows:  
East York.....\$ 879 45  
West York.....1,032 75  
North York.....1,670 18  
Total.....\$3,582 58

Only a discrepancy of \$168,258; but quite sufficient to show that either our censor is woefully ignorant or has willfully misrepresented a plain statement of fact.

The next point to which we take exception is as follows: he says—"The amount of fines collected in East and West York alone, up to date, amounts to about \$3,000, or at the end of the year will be double the amount collected under the License Law; and the share of this fund falling to the municipalities will largely exceed any former year. Now, we do not pretend to know what the fines will amount to; but taking the Dr.'s own estimate, as above, and adding thereto we have learned from officials connected with this riding, we are bold to challenge the assertion. As in the first instance, we apprehend the Dr. is all wrong in his calculations. Turning to the Government Return above referred to, we learn the License Fund in 1877-8 the last license year, amounted to the following:—  
East York got.....\$1,720 85  
West York got.....1,426 16  
North York got.....2,250 85  
Three License Inspectors say 1,500 00  
Total.....\$6,897 87

And in addition to this \$68,786 the Ontario Government received \$1,812,449. Now, let us look at the other side. If the data given by the Dr. be correct, of \$3,000, for East and West York, we will give him the benefit of another 600 to be collected from now till the end of next month, which will make \$3,600. Deduct \$1,500 for License Inspectors (the same as in 1877-8, and instead of having \$53,286 to distribute to municipalities, instead of double the amount for municipal purposes, as he suggests, we will only have \$200, with this data before us, it seems to us the worthy Dr. has now an opportunity to go into the "lamenting" business on his own account; and possibly a little sober reflection on the facts above given may inspire more generous thoughts towards conductors of the press than the imputation of "padding" to licensed whiskey selling interest" as the motive government in them in the discharge of duty. Let us add when he again attempts to play the role of Sir Oracle, a little less of the censorious, and a little—just a little more candour on his part, will be quite advantageous to the cause he espouses and equally creditable to his heart and head.

Our contemporary at Richmond Hill will please copy this reply.

FOR MANITOBA.—Messrs. Speight & Son shipped on Monday last week the first instalment of 25 of 4000 wagons, ordered for the Manitoba trade this season. They are unique, light and attractive, and much admired by our farmers here. They have received orders to ship 75 more immediately.

FARMERS' CLUB.—The Farmers' Club will meet at the Victoria Hall, Unionville, on Saturday, April 5th, prox. at 2 o'clock p.m. The subject for discussion "Which are the best seeds?" We trust the farmers will all become members of the Club and as the constitution is to be submitted it is to be hoped the attendance will be large.

MILITARY.—Captain Loyd of the Newmarket Company of York Rangers, is about making up a list of the uniforms required for his men. The uniforms are issued new every five years, the present suits having been furnished for the men in 1874. It is a good time now for any of our young men who wish to enter the volunteer service to join Captain Loyd has been at considerable trouble and expense in keeping his company up to the mark, and we hope that the new uniforms will induce a number of them to enroll their names on his books. The Newmarket company has always been a credit to the service.—Reformer.

A GOOD YIELD.—Up to the 12th of February last, Simon Johnston, an aged and highly respected resident of the Township of Mountain, had made since the 1st of May 1878 from nine cows, 2,185 pounds of butter, besides that used in his family. This would be an average of nearly 243 lbs. per cow. But as the season was not then closed, and they were still churning, and taking into account that which was used in the family, we will be safe in putting the total average at something over 250 lbs. per cow. Who can beat that?

Under the new tariff the rich man pays 50 cents per pound more duty for his 50 cent tea than the poor man does for his 25 cent tea. Under the Grit tariff the poor man paid as much duty on his 25 cents as the rich man did on his 80 cent tea. And yet we are told the Grits are the "poor man's friend."

**Aurora News.**

From the Liberal Conservative.  
On the 20th ult., Messrs. W. F. and Geo. Smith were brought before South Abston J. P., charged by John Williamson, with obtaining goods under false pretence. After hearing the case for the prosecution, his Worship held there was no case made out against W. F. Smith, and therefore discharged him. The defence was gone into, after hearing all the evidence, his Worship reserved decision until the 29th ult. Mr. Robinson for the prosecution, Mr. Morphy of Aurora, and Messrs. Morgan and Woodcock of Newmarket, for the defence.

There has been another rise of five cents on oats on the Aurora market. This makes a rise of eleven cents within two weeks.

FIRE.—Early on Saturday 22nd ult, a fire broke out in a farm house occupied by Mr. Jas. Livingston, a short distance south of Aurora. There being little help at hand the building was entirely consumed, together with a greater portion of the furniture. We understand there was a small insurance.

On Thursday, the 20th inst, Mr. A. Mager, of the Aurora saw mill had occasion to dispatch his team to Toronto. Shortly after arriving, one of the animals seemed to be ill, when a veterinary was immediately sent for, but before he arrived the animal was dead. The surgeon pronounced it a case of inflammation. Mr. Mager has been extremely unfortunate since embarking in business here, having had the mill twice burned, also having lost two valuable horses.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. A. G. Lepper, of this village, has received an appointment in the North West Mounted Police. Seventy five men were called for to fill vacancies when there were sent in no less than 800 applications. We wish him prosperity in the manly calling he has chosen.

The concert under the auspices of the Independent order of Oddfellows, for the benefit of Mr. John Mayers, is to come off on Wednesday, 16th of April. The committee intend procuring the best local and other talent, and in every way hope to make the concert a success.

It is now settled that the Local Elections will take place during the month of June next, when we may expect to see a repetition of the famous Strange-Dymond battle of Sept., '77. When honorable, straightforward manliness is pitted against cunning deceitful jobbery the result of next June's contest is easily foretold. The electors of North York we believe are pretty well acquainted with our present members pedigree for the last four years and will not want a repetition of it.

An accident happened on Monday, of last week, to Mr. Alex. Dennis of Spruighill brother-in-law of Mr. Hogan, hotel keeper. It appears Mr. Dennis had a team bringing home a load of posts, and about three miles from home in the ridges, he had occasion to drive on a sliding piece of road when the sleigh cut off the track causing it to upset. Mr. Dennis had not time to get off and was thrown over backwards quite a distance, striking his shoulder on a log.

Being by the side of the road he got up and unbuckled the horse not thinking that much was the matter, but in a few minutes he found that his shoulder pained him very much, and therefore called to a man working near, who helped him to the nearest house. On the arrival of Dr. Augustin it was found that his shoulder was dislocated. By this time the pain was so great that the Dr. had to administer chloroform while it was being set. He was then brought to Mr. Hogan's, Springhill, and although undergoing great pain, is doing as well as can be expected, considering the injuries received.

"The disturbance of the monetary and industrial condition of the country, stimulating over production and leading eventually to stagnation and decay, is what on the severest search of last September we deliberately chose."—Bulletin.

Well, don't get excited over it, my dear fellow, because long before the 17th of September the Grit Government compelled Canadians to furnish all the money they had towards paying off the United States debt, and our industries were situated in Massachusetts, New York, and other States. No use in your fainting over the "stagnation and decay" of what we did not possess.—Messenger.

The Cardwell Sentinel notices that township Councils are regularly in the habit of extending the time for collectors to return their rolls up to the middle of February middle of March, and even longer. Now municipal bodies should know that such a practice is illegal in the highest degree. The statute distinctly states that in no case can the Council extend the time for the full collection and return of the roll beyond the first day of February.

**Auction Sale.**

Parties getting their bills printed at this office will receive a notice like the above—free of charge.

TUESDAY, APRIL 8th.—Farm Stock, Implements, etc., at lot No. 33 in the 2nd con of Vaughan, Robt Crocker, proprietor. Sale at 1 o'clock. J. C. Stokes, Auctioneer.

**BIRTH.**

PALMER.—At the Palmer House, Richmond Hill, on Tuesday, the 1st April, the wife of Mr. John Palmer of a daughter.

**MARRIED.**

DAVID—RUBEN, On Wednesday, the 19th inst., by the Rev. W. McCullum, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Andrew Boyd, of the township of Vaughan, to Maggie eldest daughter of Jacob Rapert, Esq., of the village of Maple.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage, which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and properly nourished frame.—Civil Service Gazette. Sold only in packets labelled—"JAMES EPPS & CO., Homoeopathic Chemists, 48, Threadneedle Street, and 170, Piccadilly, London."

**Yorkville News.**

People ask the question, have we got an Inspector. From the condition of the sidewalks and crossings, in places impassable for mud, we are inclined to believe our Inspector is a myth. He can only exist in the pay sheet.

The Dunkin Act will be submitted to a vote of the ratepayers on the 23rd of April. There were upwards of nine hundred signatures more than the law required sent to Ottawa for its repeal.

Another old citizen and Justice of the Peace, Oswald Foster, Esq., breathed his last on Thursday morning of last week. His death is also a loss to the public, who heartily sympathize with his mourning relatives.

Yet again, has death been busy with us. Anthony Madders, Esq., recently from England, and a late resident of Cottingham street, a member of the firm of Evans & Madders, accountants and Official Assignees, expired suddenly at his residence on Tuesday afternoon of last week. The deceased gentleman, though a comparative stranger, having only been a few months in this country, had won to him many friends. A man of good culture and education, and of general and unassuming manners, he was held in high esteem by all who knew him. R. I. P.

**RICHMOND HILL MARKETS**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1879.

Four-fall per barrel	\$4.00 to 4.75
Spring per do	3.75 to 4.25
Barley per bushel	0.90 to 1.10
Oats per bushel	0.38 to 0.35
Peas per bushel	0.50 to 0.50
Eye new washed	0.05 to 0.00
Hay per ton	8.00 to 9.00
Timothy per ton	0.90 to 1.00
Poplars per bushel	0.60 to 0.50
Apples per bushel	0.14 to 0.15
Butter—No. 1, our best	12 to 14
Large rolls, per lb	12 to 14