

POST OFFICE NOTICE

Until further notice, Mails will be closed at the RICHMOND HILL POST OFFICE...

MORNING Going South, West and East, including the Maple, Thornhill, Toronto, Markham, etc. at 7:30...

EVENING Going South, East and West (as above) at 7:00 N.B.—Registered Letters must be handed in at least Fifteen Minutes earlier than the above mentioned hours for closing...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS Dissolution of Partnership—Reynolds & Newton.

The York Herald.

Richmond Hill, Ont. No. 40; Whole No. 1284; Volume 23

ACCOUNTS.—Parties indebted to this office for advertising, job work, and subscriptions, will confer a favor by paying the same.

THURSDAY, MAR. 10, 1881

EXEMPTIONS.

There is a wide field of labour yet in cutting down the long list of exemptions on the statute book. The aggregate of exemptions in Toronto is figured up as being over fifty millions of dollars.

Census Notes.

The following from the 14th and 16th of the Census Act is published for the benefit of those whom it may concern: Every person having custody or charge of any Provincial, municipal or other public records or documents, or of any records or documents of any corporation, from which information sought by the census, or which would aid in the completion or correction thereof, can be obtained, shall grant to any census officer, commissioner, enumerator or other person deputed to that end by the Minister of Agriculture, reasonable access thereto for the obtaining of such information therefrom; and every such person willfully or without lawful excuse refusing or neglecting to do so, and person willfully hindering or seeking to prevent or obstruct such access, or otherwise in any way willfully obstructing or seeking to obstruct any person employed in the execution of this Act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanour.

Garfield's Inaugural Address.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—President Garfield delivered his inaugural address this afternoon. He says the war has forever settled the great question of the supremacy of the nation. The negro is entitled to full rights, and as far as he (the president) is able they shall be so accorded.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Richmond Hill and Yonge Street Ag. Society.

The Annual Meeting of the Richmond Hill and Yonge Street Agricultural Society, was held in the Court Room, in this village on Monday evening last, 7th inst. The attendance was not very large.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and adopted. Treasurer's report was read, showing that the receipts of the last annual Exhibition amounted to \$620.65, and the expenditure amounted to \$566.80 leaving a balance of 53.85 in the Treasurer's hands.

Mr John Palmer moved, seconded by Mr McConell, that Mr Chris. Duncumb be appointed 1st Vice-President, and Mr Wm Trench 2nd Vice-President, for the ensuing year.—Carried.

Mr Palmer moved, seconded by Mr Duncumb, that Mr Robt. Marsh be appointed Sec-Treas for the ensuing year. Mr Marsh was desirous of having a change in this office, and requested the meeting to appoint some one else to fill the position, but it was considered that he was the best man for the place, and the motion was carried.

On motion the following names were added to the Board of Directors, Messrs Lahmer, W Boynton, G Heaslip, D. T. Fairbairn, G Stevens, Wm Marsh, and Basingwright; and the names of Messrs R Phillips and Bell were struck off.

Mr D T Fairbairn moved, seconded by Mr Boynton, that the seventh annual Exhibition be held on Mr Palmer's ground on the 24th of May next.—Carried.

The question of establishing a Horticultural Society was discussed, and the Secretary explained that no action could be taken to draw any Government aid, until next October.

WOODBRIDGE.

(From our own Correspondent)

The Social in connection with the Congregational Church, did not come off on Friday evening last as was advertised, on account of the rough state of the weather, but will come off on Wednesday evening of this week.

The case of abortion, the account of which appeared last week in the Toronto daily papers, was on the person of a young widow of this village, and turned out to be a very sad affair. The sympathy of all was felt for the parents and family of the unfortunate one, and it is hoped that the principals of the crime will be severely punished.

Another sad case appeared in the Liberal of last week, written by a gentleman named Wm A Wallis, President of the W Y Reform Association, about the late and departed anti-Synagogue meeting held in Weston. He felt so bad over it that he took him nearly a month to write this poorly written letter, and he tried to blame the Liberal man, who went out through storm and rain to post up the bills, I am sure the bills were posted up in Woodbridge fully a week before the meeting. I think W. A. is a bad leader, and as a Grit said the other day, "he don't amount to much."

The Grangers of Coleraine Grange held their annual Oyster Supper in their Hall, on Monday evening. Quite a few of our village were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Rolling home at 2 p.m. in the morning.

The "Bon Tons," upper and lower "Tens," etc., held a combination party at the "Woodbridge" on Monday evening, and had a grand time, to heal up all old sores and wind up the party business for the season. But I heard since that the "Upper Tens" were going to have another party at the "Revere House," on Tuesday night.

The Shady Mills are running night and day, and some hands in the Agricultural Works are working over-time.

Over 600 cords of wood has been shipped from the station to Toronto this winter, and teams are hauling steadily to the station yet.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr Moore, from Illinois, purchased one yearling lamb from Wm Boswe, Township of Vaughan, for \$120, the other day.

A BARGAIN.—Mr. Gallanough offers for sale the Queen's Hotel, Thornhill, with a large hall and good stables, recently built. Will be sold on easy terms, or exchanged for farm property. Also a store and dwelling house in the village of Thistletown will be sold or exchanged.

Alex Cameron, Esq., an old resident of the neighborhood of Teston, and Mr Dugald McMurchy, of Vaughan, having leased their farms, intend visiting the Old Country for the benefit of their health. We wish them a pleasant trip.

RECOVERING.—We are glad to hear that Mr. Wm. Munsbaw, who has been suffering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism, is recovering, and will soon be able to get around again.

THE CENSUS.—The census commissioners for York are as follows: East York—Jas. Robinson, Markham, West York—M. H. Keefer, Richmond Hill, North York—Erastus Jackson, Newmarket.

IMPORTANT.—A special meeting of the Fire company will be held in the Council Chamber, on Thursday evening, 17th inst., at 7.30. The postponement to this date, from Friday evening, is rendered necessary by the public meeting called by the Reeve for Friday evening. We hope to see a large attendance of freemen on the 17th inst.

CHINESE CHOP HOUSE.—At last the Heathen Chinese has invaded our village, at least there was a rumor to that effect the other evening. Two cats hung over the door of a certain establishment on Yonge Street, seemed to lend an air of probability to the rumor. As the proprietor of this establishment has so very much to say about cats, it may be some kind friends thought these useful domestic animals would be of some particular service to him, in the way of sausages. What this man said when he saw the cats, we cannot, dare not, print.

GRAND MASS.—The Archbishop of Toronto, requests the Priests of the diocese to celebrate mass for their people in their principal church, and to give them a sermon or exhortation on St. Patrick's Day, exhorting them to receive Communion, and to pray for the people of Ireland in the present crisis. A plenary indulgence, still in force, was granted by a former Pope on the usual conditions, to all who communicate on that day. In accordance with this request, Grand Mass will be celebrated at Thornhill on St. Patrick's Day, the 17th inst., at 10 o'clock, a.m. The Rev. Father McGinley will deliver a discourse on the occasion.

Who is He?—At the Police Court, Toronto, on Saturday last, James Muldoon, when asked if he was drunk, said: "My Lord, I belong to Richmond Hill. I heard so much about Hanlan's reception last night that I came to town to see it. I had no dinner, my Lord, so I took a glass of beer. If you will let me go home, my Lord, I will never trouble you again, and I won't be five minutes in the city. I am no trouble to the police, but a hard-working man." The Deputy Chief of Police having put in a good word for the prisoner, he was discharged, thanking his Lordship profusely. Evidently our friend was "Muldoon, the Solid Man."

PUBLIC MEETING.—The Reeve has called a meeting of the ratepayers of this village, to be held in the Council Chamber, on Friday evening, 11th inst., at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the following resolution, passed at a meeting of the Board of Education, on the 19th of Feb. "That the proposition of selling the High School Building to the Public School be laid before a Public meeting, called by the Reeve." As greater school accommodation is required, and the expenditure of a large sum of money is involved, the ratepayers of the village are respectfully requested to attend.

SCHOMBERG DRAMATIC SOC.—This Society will give an entertainment in the Lorne Hall on Monday evening, 14th inst., when the great drama "Uncle Tom's Cabin" will be performed. On Tuesday evening, 15th inst., they will give "Ten Nights in a Bar-Room." These dramas have been acted in other villages, by this Troupe, and the performance is very highly spoken of. Every person is familiar with the works from which the dramas are taken. The Company have a complete outfit of scenery, costume, and stage apparatus, and have always been greeted with large houses. There can be no doubt that the dramas will be well performed, and we hope a large house will greet such an excellent company. Music specially adapted to each play furnished by an efficient Orchestra. For particulars see bills.

C. M. CHURCH OPENING.—The Richmond Hill C. M. Church will be opened on Wednesday, 16th inst. by the Rev. J. Potts, D. D., of Toronto, who will deliver a sermon, at 10 o'clock p.m. after which dinner will be served by the ladies of the congregation from 3 to 6 p.m. A meeting will be held in the evening, Capt. McMaster, of Toronto, in the chair. The audience will be addressed by Revs. J. Potts, J. W. McCallum, W. W. Canon, J. Dick and I Campbell. On Sunday, 20th inst., sermons will be preached at 10:30 a.m. by Prof. Burwash D. D. Victoria University; at 2:30 p.m. by Rev. J. Metcalf; at 6:30 p.m. by Rev. J. Bredin. The Choir will be present at all services to render appropriate selections of music. Collection at close of service. We hope the services will prove successful, financially and otherwise.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Grip's Almanac for sale here.

Albums for sale at the HERALD store Call and see.

On Dit, that a Masquerade Ball will shortly be held in the Skating Rink.

Pack away your little skates, and let the Dutch Roll fade away into the dim mistiness of the past.

We regret to learn that Mr. William Duncan, of York Township, father of Mr. John Duncan, of this village, is seriously ill.

Our Weights & Measures Inspector returned home last week, looking well after his sojourn in the neighborhood of the North Pole.

It is not true that our esteemed friend "across the way" is buying up all the spare cats, and the boys should not "meow" whenever he goes by.

The Rev. Mr. Steele, of Stouffville, occupied the pulpit in the C. M. Church on Sunday morning and evening, delivering interesting and impressive sermons.

"Skating is o'er," the young man says, "This thaw has rung its knell." He slings his skates in the back yard. There's three dollars gone to,—well The place where there is no winter.

The back of winter appears to have been broken, and the snow which came down so "everlastingly" on Thursday and Friday, is fast disappearing under the melting rays of "Old Sol." "Bad roads" will soon be the complaint.

The County of York is hard to beat for good horses. Last week a dozen of fine-looking draughts passed through on their way to Toronto for shipment to the Eastern States, and on Tuesday nine horses passed through for the same destination.

The "Crosses" on the new C. M. Church are being fixed, so that the most sensitive persons on this matter can not object to the shape of these ornaments. They would not have done any particular harm to any one the way they were. Still it is better to have any cause of complaint or dissension removed, when it can be done so easily.

FIRE.—At the last meeting of the Fire Company a committee was appointed to canvass the village for subscriptions in aid of the fund for purchasing Firemen's Hats. The firemen have been promised \$30 from Elgin Mills. This village will, no doubt, contribute handsomely, and the hats will be secured immediately.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS.—The Census Enumerators for West York are as follows:—Brookton, G. P. Denison; Parkdale, A. Stuttaford; Richmond Hill, W. E. Wiley; Etobicoke, John D. Evans and John J. Hill; Vaughan, A. G. G. Robinson, John McClure, Richard Haslam, John Wright, Robert Hollingshead; York Township, W. J. Conroy, Wm. Brown, Walter J. Bull, R. Wilson, M. Boland, and J. Bailey jr.

BUSINESS CHANGE.—As will be seen by our advertising columns, the firm of Reynolds & Newton has dissolved partnership, Mr. Thos. Newton retiring. The business will, in future, be conducted by Mr. Reynolds, who collects all accounts, and assumes all liabilities. Although the youngest firm in town these young men have by careful attention to the wants of their customers, established a good business, and the public will find the latest and most desirable class of goods always on hand at reasonable prices. Reynolds will clear out the balance of winter goods at low prices, and shove the spring weather a trifle.

THE CHAMPION TEAM.—Mr. Thos. Palmer sold a span of heavy draught horses this week to Mr. Tramer, of Burlington, near Hamilton, which were with equal to any in the Dominion. The team is well matched, in height, weight and appearance. Both animals were raised by Mr. Palmer, and are coming five years old this spring. They were sired by Donald Dinnie, the mare's dam being a Notherly mare, and the horse's dam a William Wallace mare. The team weighs 3170 pounds; the horse going 1590 pounds, and the mare 1580 pounds. The horse stands 16 hands 2 1/2 inches high; girts 6 feet 8 inches; measures around the arm 22 1/2 inches; below the knee 10 1/2 inches; and below the hock 11 1/2 inches. The mare stands 17 hands high; girt 6 feet 9 inches; measures around the arm 23 inches; below the knee 10 1/2 inches; and below the hock 12 1/2 inches. The team was sold for \$600 cash. That is the kind of horses to raise. Next!

NEW SCHOOLS.—It has long been felt that increased school accommodation would have to be provided in this municipality, and the affair has been discussed pro and con during the last two or three years. The time has now arrived for action, as will be seen by notice in another column, calling a public meeting, for the purpose of considering the question. There can be no doubt that more room is required. The question is what action will be taken to secure the desired result. Among the propositions discussed are:—To sell the present school property, and erect new buildings, on Mr. J. Arnold's corner, if it can be purchased, or on Mr. A. Law's lot, south of Mr. P. Crosby's. Some persons appear to be in favor of disposing of the present buildings and land outright, and erecting a two story High and Public School on one of the sites mentioned. Others, again, contend that there is sufficient room on the present lot, and that all that is required is to pull down some of the old buildings and erect larger. These matters have been discussed for the last few years, and the ratepayers ought to be prepared to give their ideas on the matter, next Friday evening.

LOCAL ITEMS.

A report of the last meeting of Markham Council will be found on the third page.

We are pleased to see that the Rev. Mr. Shanklin has recovered from his recent illness.

BURNED TO THE GROUND.—Last night about eight o'clock the reflection in the sky of a large fire in the neighborhood of Newmarket was observed in this village. The fire proved to be at Lundy's Mills, 2 miles north of Newmarket, which were burned to the ground. Cause unknown as yet.

GAS-LIGHT.—The new C. M. Church was lit up with gas last night, for a short time. There was quite a number of persons present to see how the church looked. The light was very good, but the whole force was not turned on. The building has been so often described in this paper that it is needless to do so any more. It is constantly improving in appearance as it approaches completion, and should be seen to be appreciated. Everything will be in readiness for the opening services on the 17th, a notice of which appears in another column.

Markham Items.

Gleaned from the Economist.

How did the DOG GET THERE?—About two weeks ago Wm Cross, on lot 3, 4th Con. Township of Markham, felled a pine stump about 40 feet long, and in the hollow top they found a dead dog, the head originally weighed twenty or twenty-five pounds. He had been there some time. How did he get there?

FROSTY FROZEN.—Thomas Devitt, of Greenwood, Pickering, was found on Saturday morning, 26th ult., three-quarters of a mile east of Brougham, so badly frozen that he died on Monday. He left Brougham late in the evening, under the influence of old King Alcohol, and laid in a snow bank all night.

SEED SHOW.—The Farmers' Club held their annual seed show at Victoria Hall, Unionville, on Tuesday, the 1st inst. The attendance was fair, notwithstanding the inclement state of the weather. There were twenty entries of good, clean seed, and a considerable quantity changed hands. At the next meeting of the Club will be held at the Wellington Hotel, Markham, on Tuesday, April 5th, next. Subject for discussion "Spring Seeding." The President to lead. The subject of "Roadside Tree Planting" will also be considered.

A pleasant surprise and presentation was accorded Mr John Hagerman prior to his removal to Chatham. A large number of friends at his residence, Hagerman's Corners, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 23, Mr Wm Milliken in behalf of the sabbath school and friends, presented Mr Hagerman with a volume of Clarke's Commentary, and in a few well chosen remarks alluded to the cordial relations that had ever existed amongst them, and the regret that all experienced in the removal of so useful and esteemed a friend from the home of his childhood.

NEWMARKET.

(Gleanings from the Era.)

During Monday night some parties entered the barn of Mr. J. W. Stewart, lot 12, in the 3rd Con. of Whitechurch, and abstracted therefrom a set of new heavy harness, an overcoat, a muffler and a pair of mits, valued at about \$40. The thieves drove to the church sheds, on the corner of the lot, where they tied their horses and went on foot to search the premises, as their tracks were easily seen in the morning. Suspicion is aroused regarding the guilty parties and it is hoped they may be brought to justice.

On Friday evening about ten o'clock it was discovered that the building occupied in the lower story by Mr. T. Botsford, harness maker, and the second storey by Mr. R. Prater, boot and shoe maker, on the corner of Main and Botsford Streets, was in flames. The Fire Brigade and a large number of citizens were soon in attendance; and by their combined efforts the fire was speedily extinguished. The building, which is owned by Mr. T. Botsford, was considerably damaged however, but said to be covered by insurance. Mr. Botsford's loss, we understand, is estimated at between \$250 and \$300; and Mr. Prater's loss about \$150. The generally credited opinion is that the fire was occasioned by a defective flue.

Murder, Suicide, or What?

A UNIONVILLE BIGAMIST.

About a year ago a man who had evidently passed his sixtieth year, but well preserved for all that, appeared in our sister village Unionville, and took up his residence there. From all appearances he was well endowed with worldly goods, and an announcement that he made, on settling there that he was a widower, and was in search of a suitable companion, doubtless caused the hearts of many of the fair sex to flutter in anticipation. Little time was lost before a suitable wife was found, and the pair lived happily together till one day there arrived a detective on the scene, who in the interest of a wife number one, joined by a magistrate, visited the bigamist and charged him of having another wife and nine children in England, in the presence of wife number two. Before any legal action could be taken by the officer for the first wife, the double husband, (Mr Russell) fell sick and after a short illness, during which no person was allowed to see him, or indeed enter the house, he died and was hurriedly buried by wife number two. Strange reports are in circulation relative to his disappearance, some think he is still living and the coffin which was so hurriedly put out of the house, contained only bricks; some hint at darker deeds, and others think that he committed suicide to save himself from disgrace. But whatever was the cause of his death, it still remains a mystery to the public.—Economist.

THE MARKETS.

Table with columns for TORONTO, THURSDAY, MAR. 10, 1881, and various market prices for wheat, barley, oats, peas, rye, dressed hogs, beef, mutton, chickens, ducks, turkeys, butter, eggs, apples, onions, cabbage, celery, tomatoes, turnips, carrots, beets, parsnips, hay, straw, wool, etc.

Rest and Comfort for the Suffering. "BROWN'S HOUSEHOLD PENICILIN" has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures Pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago, or any kind of Pain, and when used, it will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful. "Brown's Household Penicilin" being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted. It is really the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the stomach, Cholera, and Aches of all kinds, and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle.

The World's Benefactor!

Who, that has had opportunities of reading, but has heard of the philanthropist, Howard, the greatest part of whose life was spent in visiting the prisons of Europe, and administering relief to countless numbers of suffering inmates, and whose name will be handed down to remotest times, crowned with the honors which millions yet unborn will bestow upon it? In the same category we may place the name of Holloway. The possessor of an immense fortune, which would allow him to traverse the world in search of pleasure, he chooses, instead, to devote his leisure and his talents to the benefit of his fellow-creatures, by dispensing among them the most remarkable remedies which he himself discovered.

To these researches Professor Holloway was first incited by the enormous amount of suffering from various diseases which he everywhere saw around. Success has met him at every step,—yet no greater than he anticipated,—has proved his well-earned reward. So great, indeed, has become the popularity of his medicines, even in the remotest corners of the earth, that his establishment in London outstrips the largest in the world; and the most valuable virtues have been extolled in almost every language from pole to pole. We have seen innumerable testimonials from persons who have used these remedies, in which their wonderful powers are extolled in the highest degree. In every case of incipient disease, recourse to Professor Holloway's never-failing remedies will save months of painful illness, if not life itself. We do not overrate the man, nor his medicines; but when we are reminded that we are willing to bear testimony in his favour; and as we are our absolute knowledge extends, covering a space of years, we feel competent to speak upon the subject in the warmest terms. Therefore, it is our earnest wish that not a family in the land should be ignorant of the Professor's remedies, and that they should always be kept on hand to use in cases of sudden illness, as well as preventives of curatives; while there is no possibility of danger to the system arising from their use.

SPORTING NOTES.

Port Perry races have been postponed till the 16th and 17th inst. The ice is in splendid condition.

Courtney says the coming sculler is Wallace Ross, and, furthermore, that if Ross had one half the chances Hanlan has had, and were handled as well, he could beat the champion.

Prior to leaving for Australia, Laycock, the carman, wrote to the London Sportsman as follows:—"To those gentlemen (many of them total strangers to me) who, unbidden, so generously contributed to make up my stake in the last match with Hanlan my thanks are specially due. I can assure them that I tried my very best to win, and I was fairly and honourably defeated. My great regret is that Australia had not a better representative than myself."

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of Mrs. WIGMORE'S ANTI-TEETHING POWDER. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and the prescription of a regular and distinguished female physician and nurse in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle.

A SAD CASE.—Lynden, Mar. 4.—A young woman named Maggie MacKay, from Woodbridge, arrived by train one day early last week, and repaired to the house of Bridget Blasdalt, a reputed abortionist, where she submitted to an operation at the hands of the woman Blasdalt, which resulted in the death of the unfortunate young woman.

The coroners jury in the case of Mrs. Mackay, alleged to be the victim of an abortion at Lynden, Ont., have returned a verdict of murder against the prisoner, one Mrs. Blasdalt, who was removed to the county jail in the same train which conveyed the remains of the unfortunate victim to the Woodbridge cemetery.

THE PALACE HOTEL.—We notice by the Buffalo Evening News, that Dr. Pierce's Palace Hotel, recently destroyed by fire, will not be immediately erected. A Sanitarium is to be built for the accommodation of patients. The cost of a Palace Hotel, similar to the one destroyed, would be about \$500,000.

DISMISSAL OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between JAMES REYNOLDS and THOMAS NEWTON, of Richmond Hill, under the name and firm of REYNOLDS AND NEWTON, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Thomas Newton Retiring.

The business with all fixtures to be carried on by Mr. James Reynolds, who will collect all debts and assume all liabilities of said firm.

SIGNED James Reynolds, Thomas Newton, J. K. Falconbridge, Witnesses.

Deed at Richmond Hill, this 7th day of March 1881.

FOR SALE!

The subscriber offers for Sale that VALUABLE PROPERTY, Situated on the corner of Yonge and Centre St. Richmond Hill.

On which is erected a good frame STORE & ROUGH-CAST DWELLING attached. A Large STORE HOUSE, For storing Grain, Flour and Feed. A Large DRIVING HOUSE WITH STABLE For 6 Horses.

A Brick Building For Pork Packing, nearly new. Good Cellar. Hard and Soft water.

EVERYTHING COMPLETE, for any person wishing to go into the Grocery, Flour and Feed Business. This is a Chance Seldom Offered. If not sold before April 1st, will be rented for a term of years.

TERMS VERY EASY. And will be made known on application to the Proprietor, on the premises.

JOHN BROWN, Richmond Hill, March 2nd, 1881.

B. KEEFER, CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER, Sherwood, 4th Con. Vaughan. Special attention given to Steam Engine Fitting. Pugh's attention will be given to all orders. Address Maple P. O.

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Low Rates and Prompt Payment of Losses. For particulars apply to D. C. O'BRIEN, Agent, Richmond Street, Richmond Hill, Richmond Hill, Jan. 19th, 1881.

Removed! BLACKSMITH SHOP. Geo. STEPHENS General Blacksmith. AND HORSE SHOER. Has removed his shop to next door south of Dr. Tupper's, near the old station, where he is prepared to do all kinds of work in first class style, at reasonable prices. Horse shoeing done at \$1 a set for Cash and 40 cents for removes.

Auction Sales.

TUESDAY, March 2nd.—Credit Sale of Farm Stock, Implements, etc., at Lot No. 25, 4th Con. of Vaughan, the property of Alex Cameron, Esq. Sale with reserve, as the proprietor has leased his farm, and is retiring from business. Sums of \$5 and under Cash, over that 7 months credit. Sale at 12 o'clock. J. C. Stokes, Auctioneer.

FRIDAY, March 18th.—Credit Sale of Farm Stock, Implements, etc., at Lot No. 25, in rear of 5th Con. of Vaughan, the property of Mr. Malcolm Malloy, Sale without reserve, as the proprietor is giving up farming. Sale at 12 o'clock. Sums of \$8 and under cash, over that 10 months credit. J. C. Stokes, Auctioneer.

Parties getting their Sale Bills printed at this office, will receive a notice free of charge, from the time the bills are printed until the day of sale.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.—Newmarket, March 8.—James Micks, who broke into McGuinness' store on Sunday night and stole a quantity of groceries, was arraigned before the Mayor and Reeve this morning. He acknowledged the theft, saying he was drunk, and was sent to gaol to await his trial.

BIRTH.

STOTT.—At Markham, on the 11th ult., the wife of Mr. W. L. Stott, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

WRIGHT.—MARRIED.—At the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. James C. Reynolds, assisted by the Rev. Isaac N. Robinson, on the 1st inst., Miss Lydia C. Major, both of Pickering.

BROWN.—STUDIED.—At the Christian Parsonage, Stouffville, on the 23rd ult., by the Rev. W. P. Pater, Mr. James Brown, to Miss Margaret S. Studin, all of the township of Etobicoke.

MORTON.—WEDDING.—On the 23rd ult., by Elder D. Prosser, at the home of the bride, Mr. Perry Morton, to Miss Lizette, eldest daughter of North Gwillimburgh.

RUTLEY.—DOHERTY.—In Newmarket, on the 1st inst., by the Rev. Father Harris, B. D., at his residence, Mr. Joseph Rutley, of the township of King, to Miss Bridget M. Doherty of Aurora.

TRAVETT.—O'LEIN.—At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 2nd inst., by the Rev. J. B. Fraser, Mr. John Travett, of New