

POST OFFICE NOTICE

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MORNING Going South, West and East, including Markham, &c., at 7:30

EVENING Going South, East and West (as above) at 7:00

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

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1881

No Cause for Anxiety.

Every one and a while the Opposition organs become greatly excited about the leaders of the Ministerial party.

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The Crops Around Here.

The farmers are wishing for rain and as yet it rains not. Many fields of wheat in Markham and Vaughan will be destroyed, but these two townships are not so badly affected by the drought as King.

The following report of the condition of crops in Markham, Scarborough and York is taken from the Globe:

Mr. Simon Miller, lot 27 and 28, 4th concession Scarborough (Milliken Station), said: "The acreage of fall wheat in our section is fully up to the average, and is considerably more than there used to be three or four years ago."

Mr. J. S. Pike, con. 10, lot 13, Markham (Maple Leaf Farm), said that in his locality the acreage of fall wheat sown was larger than last year, and on the whole it was showing up better than last year.

Mr. David Duncan, concession 3 East York, said that in his part of the country the top soil was light, and therefore the fall wheat was not so much winter killed as in other places.

Woodbridge Fair.

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The Claremont and Pickering Fair.

The Show was held at Claremont on Tuesday, the 26th ult. Mr. John Russell, the celebrated breeder, exhibited a pair of fat steers that would average 1650 to 1700 pounds each.

The 24th of May will be a Big day here. The Presbyterian Church opening, the Methodist Bazaar and Concert, and the Ag. Exhibition, will make things lively.

CRICKET.—At a meeting of the Richmond Hill Cricket Club, held on Friday evening last, the following officers were elected:—President, Honorary, Mr. W. Trench; Vice-Pres. Mr. John Coulter, jr.; Captain, Mr. T. McMahon; Vice-Capt., Mr. A. Wright; Sec. & Treas., Mr. Wm. Cook.

FIRE MEETING.—The regular monthly meeting of the Richmond Hill Fire Brigade, will be held in the Council Chamber, on Friday evening next, 6th inst. Any person desirous of joining the brigade are invited to be present, and have their names registered.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—A Cure for Abscesses, Piles, Fistula, and Sores of every description.—The very satisfactory results arising from the use of this invaluable Ointment, when the patients have been suffering from any of the above disorders, have induced the Medical Profession to introduce it into the hospitals and their private practice, and in many instances where the sufferer was considered incurable, Holloway's Ointment, in conjunction with his Pills, healed the most desperate cases.

MAPLE.—From our own Correspondent, Times are lively here just now. Mr. R. McMillen sold his entire colt for \$500.

APPOINTING JUDGES.—The Directors of the Richmond Hill and Yonge Street Agricultural Society meet in the Court Room, on Friday evening, 6th inst, for the purpose of appointing Judges, etc. A full attendance is requested.

THE LIFE AND CHARACTER OF ROBERT SHIELDS, by Geo. W. Grote, is a work published by Messrs. Hunter Rose & Co, Toronto. It is got up in a neat manner, and is highly commended by the press, both in the Dominion and in the Old Country.

TEMPERANCE ENTERTAINMENT.—The Thornhill Christian Temperance Society held their seventh semi monthly meeting in the Victoria Hall on Saturday evening, 23rd ult. A good performance was rendered by their Toronto friends. The hall was well filled, owing no doubt, to their former excellent entertainment, and the low rate of admission, only 5 cents.

CASH BOX STOLEN.—A cash box containing a purse and some money was stolen from Mr. Griffin, who lives on the 2nd Con. Markham, the other day. A young lad belonging to this village, who had been around the house considerable was suspected and tried before J. M. Lawrence, J. P. The evidence against him was of a circumstantial nature, and was not sufficient to send him before a Grand Jury, and the case was dismissed.

NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE.—The Evening News is the name of a new paper, published in Toronto. It is a lively, newsy and readable sheet. It is independent in politics. In its "salutation" it says:—"We propose to extend to the present Federal Government a cordial but independent support. Our conception of independence is not realized by standing in the middle of the street and throwing mud in alternate handfuls at the passers-by upon either side—a dab at the red banner to day, and a splash at the blue flag to-morrow. Our notion of political independence involves the intelligent support of such a general policy as we can honestly approve of, but reserves the right to criticize such features of that policy as may be weak or unsatisfactory."

WATCH STEALING.—One of the workmen at the Methodist Church, named Blanchard, had his watch stolen out of his vest whilst working on the tower the other day. The boy who was suspected and accused of the crime denied it at first, but at length owned up, and said he took it in a joke. His father could not see the joke, and punished him severely, after making him return the watch. A warrant had been issued in the meantime, and the case was tried before J. M. Lawrence, J. P. The plaintiff withdrew the charge, stating that he was satisfied the watch had been taken in a joke, and the case was dismissed. The lad's parents are honest, industrious people, well-respected by all who know them, and feel much grieved at the boy's misconduct. Stricter home discipline for the future, would appear to be beneficial in this case.

THE KING RAILROAD.—Sir,—I notice in the Aurora Borealis, under the heading "The Schomberg Railroad," that the inhabitants of Schomberg are agitating a line of Railway, or rather a branch line from some point, either from the T & B R, or the Northern Railway. It seems they would prefer to have a line from or near Kleinburg Station, on the T & B R; by adopting that route it would pass through the western part of the Township of King, which would be a great benefit to that part of the Township. It would pass through the village of Nobleton and Loch Erne, direct to Schomberg, and in fact it would be the very shortest route to the capital of Ontario. By that route it would pass through the best part of King Township, for agricultural purposes, and where a great trade could be done, with a line of Railway in the west, and the Northern in the east, the Township of King would be placed in a splendid position, a position very few Townships in Ontario could boast of. If the line should go to Aurora, it would nearly pass through the extreme northern part of the Township, and as any person can see would be of no benefit to the southern or western part of Township at all. There is no doubt but it would be a great benefit to Aurora, just as the Borealis says but we should look to our own interest and never mind Aurora. I believe a bonus could be got from the western part of King, to assist in building the proposed line to Kleinburg, and if it cannot be got from the T & B, then I say strike off at or near Richmond Hill, on the Northern, and bring it through the southern and western part of the Township, by that route it will do away with the heavy grades between the village and Aurora, and be a direct route to Toronto, from Schomberg. In conclusion, I would say to the people, and Schomberg especially, to advocate either one of these routes, and they will further their own interests.

AN UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT happened to Wm. Mased, 11th con. King, last week, which resulted fatally. He, along with some others, had been down to the mouth of the number river, fishing, and in coming home one of the wheels of the wagon got into a hole in the road. The unfortunate man was thrown out with great force. He died about two hours after the accident. He leaves a wife and family to mourn his fate.

THE FARMERS here are just about through with their spring seeding, and say they never experienced such fine weather for seeding purposes, in fact they have not been delayed an hour since starting the spring work.

REST AND COMFORT to the Suffering "BROWN'S HOUSEHOLD PENICIL" has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures Pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago, and any kind of Pain or Ache. It will most surely quiet the Blood and heat, as its acting power is wonderful. "Brown's Household Penicil," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Linctus in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, as it is really the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Aches of all kinds, and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle.

THE MARKETS. TORONTO. THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1881. PRICES AT FARMERS' WAGGONS. Wheat fall, new per bush \$1 08 \$1 10

Barley, do 1 16 1 18 Oats, do 39 40 Peas, do 60 65

Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs 8 00 8 50 Beef, hind quarters, per 100 lbs 6 00 6 50

Butter, 14 lbs 21 25 Eggs, fresh, doz 12 13 Apples per barrel 1 25 1 75

Onions, per bag 2 50 2 80 Cabbage, per doz 9 50 10 00

Carrots, per bush 40 45 Beets, per bag 45 50

DRAIN TILE, OF THE BEST QUALITY AT THOS NIGHTINGALE'S, YORKVILLE.

TESTON.

(From our own Correspondent.) Farmers are about through seeding. Fall wheat looks bad around here. Some fields are plowed up.

Bo-Peep, of Maple, says I gave the Teston Band too much taffy. I do not think so, but I suppose he is annoyed because he did not get a share. He tried to get the Band at Maple, but the Teston boys knew two much for him. If the fellow that handles the brush finds out who Bo-Peep is, he will paint him in a wonderful and fearful manner.

A correspondent says that Mr. McEachran's shop divides Teston from Hardscrabble, and for the information of the public, it is as well to state that Hardscrabble is on the north side.

TESTON. May 3rd, 1881. Ball Knitting Cotton, in fast colors, for sale at the HERALD Store.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. RELIGIOUS SERVICE. In the Temple at SHERWOOD! On Lord's Day MAY THE 8TH, 1881.

Mr. C. E. Pomeroy. Will Discourse on the Following Subjects:—MORNING: "PAUL'S DETERMINATION." EVENING: "Address to the Young." Hours of Meeting, 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. ALL ARE WELCOME.

FOR SALE! One Buggy, new One Buggy, second hand One Set Single Harness, new One Set Single Harness, second hand

One Bow, 15 feet long, run one season, with two sets of cars and one raddle. 400 Gnocberry trees, imported last year 500 Apple trees, and a quantity of green-house plants.

One Gun, breech-loader, No 12 One Gun, muzzle-loader, No 10 One Gun, muzzle-loader, No 10 One Rifle, 40 to the pound And a quantity of two-inch dry lumber Apply to C. DUNCUMBE, Richmond Hill, April 27th, 1881

THE THOROUGH-BRED STALLION MILESIAN! Will stand for Mares at his own stables, OAK RIDGES!

To insure foal,—through-bred mares, \$25; Other mares, \$15; Single Leap, \$10. H. QUETTON ST. GEORGE. Oak Ridges, April 18th, 1881.

THE YORK HOUSE! FAIRBANK. R. Wilson, Prop. Every Accommodation. Fairbank, April 28th, 1881.

Chancery Sale PURSUANT to the decree of the Court of Chancery, in certain cases...

Mr. Salem Eckardt, Auctioneer at the PALMER HOUSE hotel, in the village of RICHMOND HILL, in the County of York, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on FRIDAY, MAY 20th, A. D. 1881, the following lands in one parcel:—

All that part of Lot No. forty one, in the first concession of the Township of Vaughan, containing about thirty-eight acres, which was owned and occupied by William Lund, late of the said Township of Vaughan, deceased, deceased, up to and at the time of his death, and which may be known as follows:—Commencing on the southerly boundary of said lot, at a distance of fifty chains from Yonge Street, thence northerly twenty chains, to the northerly boundary of said lot, thence southerly along the Eastern boundary of said land owned by John Ashburn, northerly limit of said land, thence along the easterly boundary of said land to the southerly boundary of a reserve land, further particulars limit to the place of beginning, excepting about 1 1/2 acres, owned by Joseph Grainger.

The purchase is very desirably situated, and is about half-a-mile from Yonge Street, within two miles of the said village of Richmond Hill, and is intended for use of servant men, also an excellent farm, driving house, cow and horse stable covered by one roof, and standing on a fine foundation of rock. No one can fail who is willing to work. Women are as successful as men. Boys and girls can earn large sums. Many have made fortunes. Business over one hundred dollars in a single week. Nothing like it ever known before. All who engage are surprised at the ease and rapidity with which they are able to make money. You can engage in this business during your spare time at great profit. You do not have to invest capital. Business interest, risk, or loss who need ready money, should write to us at once. All furnished free. Address TRAU & Co. Augusta, Maine.

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