NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

For Sale or to Let—Isaac Snider
Annual Meeting of Agricul'al Soc—Joel Reaman
Note Lost—Chas Cooper
Annual Meeting of Ag Society—Joel Reaman
Gold—Stinson & Co,
Best—True & Co
$66 Per Week—Hallett & Co,

The York Herald.

Richmond Hill, Ont.

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British and Canadian Trade.

There is something instructive in the comparison between the improvement in the trade of Great Britain and Canada during the past year. On the authority of the London *Times*, the increased volume of British trade during that period is only between three and four per cent. On the aggregate of British trade this is something very considerable, but to individual industries it can mean very little improvement. In Canada on the other hand we believe there has been an improvement of at least twenty-five per cent. all round. Some industries have more than doubled in the volume of transactions, and we do not know of one which has not a greater increase to show than the average of English trade. There must be some reason for this beyond the fact that Canada is a new country, for its newness is becoming less so every day. Providence has dealt bountifully with the country, and the harvests have been plentiful; but activity in agricultural affairs does not necessarily imply commercial activity, though the stereotyped economical argument is to that effect That the manufacturing interests of the country have been judiciously encouraged is self-evident, and to the activity so produced combined with the natural prosperity of the agricultural community must be attributed the increase in the volume of business transacted by the dealers of middlemen. However strongly the free-traders may argue in favor of their dogma, the fact remains that that dogma recognizes only two out of the three parts of which every industrial community consists: manufacturer, husbandman and middleman. The free-traders talk of consumers, but all are consumers, and to enable all to be consumers as well as producers, all must have work, and that all may have work suitable for their physical strength or mental endowment there must be variety of employment. By adherance to the free trade dogma only husbandmen (by this term is meant all who garner natural resources) and middlemen receive consideration, therefore variety of employment is impossible, and as sustenance must be provided for all those who above have a chance to work under the free trade restriction have to carry the dead weight of the unemployed. Political economists have been pursuing a will o'the wisp in their researches. They have been trying to demonstrate to the world that cheapness of production is the end and aim of all employment, whereas cheapness is entirely subordinate to an all pervading activity. By way of illustration, suppose for argument sake that under Tilley's tariff the taxation on imports has risen $2 per head, is this too much to pay for an increase of 25 per cent. in the volume of business transacted, implying as this increase does a rise in the rate of remuneration? Of course such a contention as that a change in a tariff can produce activity will be scouted by free traders; but the facts lie on the surface and can be observed by all who do not wilfully shut their eyes. Those who have no incense to offer at the altar of any theory will contrast the state of trade in Britain with its condition in Canada, and if they cannot go as far as we do in our deductions therefrom they will at least admit that the contrast is instructive.—*Telegram.*

Municipal Elections.

The following are the returns for municipalities in the County of York, and adjacent thereto. Vaughan, Richmond Hill, and a number of others, returned by acclamation, were announced last week. In Markham Township, the election was by acclamation with the exception of 3rd Deputy-Reeve, which was contested by Mr John Duncan and Mr Foster, the latter being returned by some 25 votes. We are informed that a number of votes were lost to Mr. Duncan, through his opponents misrepresenting his position on certain questions The electors at the rear were informed that Mr Duncan's return meant the removal of the toll gates on Yonge Street. Such tactics may secure the object desired, but they are not honorable.

WESTON.—Reeve, Wm Tyrrell. Councillors, J Rountree, J Conron, J Bull, J Sykes.

WHITCHURCH TOWNSHIP.—Councillors, John Irwin and Albert Bogart.

MARKHAM VILLAGE—Reeve, Jas. Speight. Councillors, G R Vanzant, J Jerman, H Wilson, Jos Wales.

WOODBRIDGE—Reeve, John Abell. Councillors, T F Wallace, Jas Muns. John Rountree, and Wm Farr.

GEORGINA.—Reeve, J. R. Stevenson; Deputy-Reeve, Wm Henry; Councillors—Jos Kay, Thos Armstrong, John Kay.

STOUFFVILLE.—Reeve—Jas. Dougherty, by acclamation. Councillors—R J Daley, J Raymer, J J Rae, W J Brown.

HOLLAND LANDING.—Reeve—W H Thorn. Councillors—W Lane, Y Morton, Jas Riley, Gunn.

AURORA.—Reeve Seth Ashton. Councillors—Geo Wilkinson, F T Davides, B Pearson, and C C Robinson.

UXBRIDGE VILLAGE—Reeve, I J Gould, by acclamation. Councillors,—Messrs. Crawford, Summerville, Nelson, and Plank.

UXBRIDGE TOWNSHIP—Reeve, B Parker; 1st Deputy-Reeve, C Gould; 2nd Deputy-Reeve, E S Shaw. Councillors—John Weir, and S Flumerfelt, elected by acclamation.

Terribly Stabbed.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. Birrell, of the York Mills Hotel, is recovering from the wound received on Thursday. The man who committeed the assault is Jack Emerson, a well-digger, well known in the neighborhood. The circumstances of the case are as follows:—Emerson was in liquor but he did not seem to think he had enough, and applied to Mr Birrell for a further supply. Mr Birrell, seeing the man was already tipsy, refused to give him more, upon which Emerson got enraged, and rushing at Mr Birrell cut at him savagely with a knife, inflicting wounds which it is feared may prove fatal. One cut extended from the left breast over the chest and downward across the abdomen The other gash runs across the right arm in a slanting direction. Both wounds are deep and dangerous. Shortly after the occurrence Dr Richardson was on hand, and dressed the wounds. Mr Birrell lost a very large quantity of blood, and when the doctor gave his opinion he considered the case a critical one.

Word of the occurrence was conveyed to the authorities, and Emerson was arrested and locked up pending an investigation before a magistrate.

Mr Birrell is a respectable man, and the act of his assailant is regarded with horror by the people in the neighborhood.

Village Council.

Jan. 3rd.

The Council met. The Reeve in the chair. Present, Councillors Redditt and Sanderson. Minutes of last meeting approved.

Mr James Daniels, collector, reported that he had collected all the taxes except from the following persons:—

Mrs M. Barnes, removed to Rondeau, $3 88; Banks estate, on non-resident roll, two dollars; A. Waites, dead, and family destitute, $1 56; John Dancy, dog tax, removed from village, $1; Wm Lunford, dog tax, removed, $1; Joseph Martin, dog tax, removed, $1. Total $10,44.

Moved by Mr Pugsley, seconded by Mr Sanderson, that the Treasurer is hereby instructed to credit Mr Daniels with the above items, of uncollectable taxes, and that the Council do now accept the collectors report and roll.—Carried.

The Council anjourned.

M. TEEFY, Clerk.

WOODBRIDGE.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Our election came off on Monday last, and resulted as I predicted two weeks ago, in my letter to you. It even exceeded my expectations. Mr Abell and Mr Allan were the Candidates for the Reeveship, and so confident were the supporters of Mr Allan that he would be elected, that they were willing to invest nearly all they were worth on it. The good sense and intelligence of our villagers showed how very far they were astray, Mr Abell being elected by a vote of one hundred and twenty to thirty-nine, more than three to one. All the other candidates of the political clique were also invited to stay at home. They accepted with the best grace possible, under the circumstances. The successful Candidates for Councillors, were T F Wallace, Jas. Munsie, John Rowntree and Wm Farr. I am satisfied they will prove themselves worthy representatives, and when another year comes round, show that Incorporation was all its advocates claimed for it, and that we took a wise step when we started house-keeping for ourselves. Before closing these remarks, I may say, that I do not think the little clique would have gone to the extremes they did, had they not had bad advisers, among whom I may mention the Reeve and Clerk of the Township of Vaughan.

HUMMER.

Woodbridge, Jan. 4th, 1882.

[Markdale (Ont.) Standard.]

Fooled Once More.

MR. EDITOR.—The most of people relish a good story, providing it be a truthful one. Tales of adventures, daring, heroism, dangers of the deep, battles, &c, all have their charms. Who amongst us could read the adventures of Robinson Crusoe half way through, and not have a desire to know the end of it. We confess being of this class. Now, the first thing we do when we receive our weekly newspaper is to hurriedly glance through it and pick out what we consider the most important items. These are generally distinguished by their headings; but you don't catch us trusting any longer to these glaring impositions. We could laugh when fooled once or twice, but to be caught a third time is our reason for remonstrating. Two or three weeks since we got to reading what we thought was a very nice story in one of our Toronto weeklies, and towards the end it informed us about St. Jacobs Oil; we only laughed, and said humbug. The week following we noticed another heading, "How Mark Twain entertained a Visitor." Well, thinking we might learn a little etiquette, in case Mark should take a fancy to send us an invitation, we read it, but by St. Patrick, if they didn't finish by making Mark introduce St. Jacobs Oil. Well, confound it, we exclaimed, but they have got another dose of that St. Jacobs Oil on us again, determined not to be caught so simple next time; but now, sir, I admit the corn; along comes our Toronto MAIL on Thursday, down we sat, and almost the first thing that caught our eye was the adventures of Capt. Paul Boyton; it appeared quite interesting; it told how he had bumped against sharks, &c. At this point we began to feel a little incredulous, because from our knowledge of these gentry, they would relish the captain alive or dead, all the same. However, determined to learn some more of his exploits, we read a little further, when—O, well, it don't matter what we said, you can't find it in any of the dictionaries. I'm—dashed if the captain wasn't oiling himself all over with St. Jacobs Oil, it may be, the more easily to evade the sharks, for we made no further search, our curiosity was satisfied. Now, Mr. Editor, in order to fool us again, it will require to be printed wrong end up. We have made up our mind to look out for anything and everything in the shape of St. of Saint attached to their names.

We are sorry for the readers of any journal to be thus "taken in," so to phrase it, but what can they expect when we editors are caught in the same storm without any protection. Whilst sympathizing with them, we can only admire the ability shown in any enterprise that can thus compel, as it were, the attention of people. When it is considered that only a short time ago St. Jacobs Oil was scarcely known in Canada, and now has so commended itself to the favor of the people of the Dominion as to become the house-remedy for rheumatism, neuralgia, pains, bruises, chilblains, etc., and all because of their surprising efficacy in these ailments, we think it will be regarded by everybody as a matter of congratulation that we possess, so easily attainable, such a reliable means for the cure of disease. Such is our view of the matter, although we were "fooled," on an average, about five times a week. If St. Jacob can stand it, we've made up our mind to "fight it out on that line, if it takes all winter.

Rest and Comfort to the Suffering

"BROWN'S HOUSEHOLD PENACEA" 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 a Pain or ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Penacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixir or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds" and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents abottle.

Vaughan Council.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Vaughan met at the Town Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 13th, 1881, at 10 a. m.

Wm Cook, 1st Deputy Reeve, in the chair. Members present, Messrs Reaman and Malloy.

The minutes of last meeting were read and on motion approved.

The following sheep claims were presented:—

From Thomas Page, 5 sheep killed. V. & A. Ash, 3 killed, and W. Ellis, 1 killed.

Mr Reaman, seconded by Mr Malloy, moved that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the undermentioned claims for sheep destroyed by dog or dogs, being two-thirds their value:—

T. Page, 5 sheep killed, thirty-three dollars and eighty-two cents; V. & A. Ash, twelve dollars and sixty-nine cents; W. Ellis, $6.

Mr Malloy, seconded by Mr Reaman, moved that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the following road accounts, as certified by the road Commissioners in their respective Districts:—

Dis No. 1, J. Boyle, 1382 ft. lumber, thirteen dollars and eighty two cents; H. Marsh, four hundred and twenty-eight feet, $3 85; J. Mortson, four-hundred and twenty-eight feet $4 50; S. Little, hauling posts, $13; Jesse Richards, cedar posts, $40.

Dist. No. 2, C. McNeil, cutting hill, twenty dollars; B. Brillinger, lumber, $11.80; W. Waldron, stumping on second Con., $33.

Dist. No. 3, W. Patterson, repairing road scraper, $1.75; John L. Card, building, $50; G. Hart, building culvert, $11; John Fenwick, lumber and posts, three dollars and twenty-four cents.—Carried.

Mr Malloy, seconded by Mr Reaman, moved that the treasurer be and is hereby authorized to refund to the undermentioned persons and the collector, to amount opposite their names, they having been erroneously assessed or having left the Township.

To Donald Gunn, $1 68; Mrs Sinclair, two dollars and thirty cents; Mrs Bissell 69c; J. Hall $1.15; Mr Patterson, collector for Div. two —; J. Hiscock, 1 dog, $1; J. Haslen two dogs, two dollars; M. Harvey, 1 dog, $1; H. Watt, $1. Charles Nixon, collector, Div. No. 1.—

Jas. Hales, 1dog, $1; Jas. Collins, 1 dog $1; Mrs McHugh, 1dog $1; W Heron, 1 dog $1; B Musselman, 1 dog $1; Thos. Wilkinson, wrongly assessed for half acre Con. 1 Lot 58, $1.10.—Carried.

Mr Reaman, seconded by Mr Malloy, moved that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay two dollars to Jas. Newton, for the benefit of Andrew Bodell, and wife indigent.—Carried.

Mr Reaman, seconded by Mr Malloy, moved that the collector have an extension of his time for collecting the taxes in Dist. No. 1, to the twenty sixth of Dec. 1881. Mr Malloy, seconded by Mr Reaman, moved that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to withdraw the funds of the Township from the Ontario Bank and have the same placed in the Bank of Commerce.

By-law No. four hundred and twenty-three appointing Deputy Returning Officers as follows:—

Polling Sub-Div. No. 1.—J Page
" " two—A. Conger
" " 3.—E. Whitmore
" " 4.—J. P. Rupert
" " 5—Alex Elder
" " 6.—Chas Nixon
" " 7—J. McCague
" " 8.—S. J. Arnold

By-law No. four-hundred and twenty-three changing the polling place in Polling Sub-Division No. 5, from the Temperance Hall, in Woodbridge, to Joseph Wiggins' shop, Pine Grove.

The Council then adjourned *sine die.*

J. M. LAWRENCE, Clerk.

Perils Of The Deep.

Special to the Chicago (Ill.) INTER-OCEAN: The world-renowned swimmer, Captain Paul Boyton, in an interview with a newspaper correspondent at the seashore, related the following incidents in his experience:

Reporter:—"Captain Boyton, you must have seen a large part of the world?"

Captain Boyton:—"Yes sir, by the aid of my Rubber Life-Saving Dress, I have traveled over 10,000 miles on the rivers of America and Europe; have also been presented to the crowned heads of England, France, Germany, Austria, Belgium, Italy, Holland, Spain and Portugal, and have in my possession forty-two medals and decorations; I have three times received the order of knighthood, and been elected honorary member of committees, clubs, orders and societies."

Reporter:—"Were any of your trips accompanied by much danger?"

Captain Boyton:—"That depends upon what you may call dangerous. During my trip down the river Tagus, in Spain, I had to "shoot" one hundred and two waterfalls the highest being about eighty-five feet, and innumerable rapids. Crossing the Straits of Messina, I had three ribs broken in a fight with sharks; and coming down the Somune, a river in France, I received a charge of shot from an excited and startled huntsman. Although all this was not very pleasant, and might be termed dangerous, I fear nothing more on my trip than intense cold; for as long as my limbs are free and easy, and not cramped or benumbed, I am all right. Of late I carry a stock of St. Jacobs Oil in my little boat,—the Captain calls it "Baby Mine," and has stored therein signal rockets, thermometer, compass, provisions, etc.,) and I have had little trouble. Before starting out I rub myself thoroughly with the article, and its action on the muscles is wonderful. From constant exposure I am somewhat subject to rheumatic pains, and nothing would ever benefit me, until I got hold of the Great German Remedy. Why, on my travels I have met people who had been suffering with rheumatism for years; by my advice they tried the Oil, and it cured them. I would sooner do without food for days than be without this remedy for one hour. In fact I would not attempt a trip without it."

MAPLE.

(From our own Correspondent.)

The meeting for the election of School Trustees was a pretty lively one. The gentleman elected got somewhat cranky, and unless he is smoothed down, will refuse to act.

The Rev Mr Aikens who has been very sick for some time, is now, I am glad to say, recovered.

BO-PEEP.

Maple, Jan. 4th, 1882.

Markham Items.

Gleaned from the Economist.

THE HIGH SCHOOL.—At the entrance examination held on Wednesday and Thursday, there were twenty-two candidates. Of these one fell sick, eight were provisionally passed, and one recommended. The names of the successful candidates will be given as soon as confirmed by the Department of Public Instruction.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—Teachings of Experience—The united testimony of thousands, extending over more than forty years, most strongly recommends these Pills as the best purifiers, the mildest aperients, and the surest restoratives. They never prove delusive, or give merely temporary relief, but attack all ailments of the stomach, lungs, heart, head, and bowels in the only safe and legitimate way, by depurating the blood, and so eradicating those impurities which are the source and constituent of almost every disease. Their medicinal efficacy is wonderful in renovating enfeebled constitutions. Their action embraces all that is desirable in a household. They expel every noxious and effete matter; and thus the strength is nurtured and the energies stimulated.

Cranberry Marshville.

(From our own Correspondent.)

The Primitive Methodists held their annual dinner on Monday, January second. The turnout was not as large as usual, doubtless owing to the want of sleighing. The meeting was quite a success, all things considered.

The only amusement was occasioned by a young fellow, who got his back up, and put a married man out of the dining hall.

The Band thought they were not treated very kindly, as they had played several times for nothing, and the managers refused to give them their price ($4) for their services on this occasion.

There was quite a lively time at the School Trustee Meeting. There is some talk of an election, but I guess, it will all end in wind.

The Terrier has lost his snarl, and it is probably he will not be left this time.

WILL-O-THE-WISP.

Cranberry Marshville, Jan. 4th, '82.

AURORA.

Gleanings From the Borealis.

On Saturday evening, while Ed. Coltham was returning home from Aurora, he was set upon by thieves and robbed. It being known that he carried considerable money about him on that day, was no doubt the incentive to the robbery. Being very deaf, he did not notice the approach of anyone from behind, until his legs were knocked from under him. One of the highwaymen,—there were two of the miscreants—then rifled his pockets, securing some thing over $80. The old gentlemen would willingly give $100 to secure the rascals.

At the public examination of school section No. 10, in King, a large number of visitors were present. The children are reported as being very efficient. A number of handsome prize books were distributed among the children. The teacher, J J Elliott, received a very handsome chain from the children as a mark of their appreciation of his labor, accompanied by a flattering address, to which a suitable reply was made.

A Springhill man accomplished the feat of driving from King to Schomberg, a distance of fourteen miles, in fifteen hours. This is considered fast time, taking King roads into consideration,

PRESENTATION.—On the day before the festivities in connection with the opening of the new Church in Petche's neighborhood, the Ladies' Aid took the opportunity of presenting their pastor, Rev. Mr. Keam, with a beautiful Russian dog skin overcoat, together with an address, to which he made a suitable reply.

PRESENTATION.—On the occasion of severing his connection with the Laskay Public School last week, the teacher, Mr. John McDonald, was made the recipient of a valuable writing desk and book, with an address.

One evening last week, G Wilkinson & Co, made probably the largest sale of ploughs to one man ever transacted in Canada. They contracted for the manufacture of twenty thousand dollars worth of the implements, and they have papers which can be seen by the prejudiced or skeptical. This is a grand showing for any factory, and more particularly so, for one established no longer than these works have been. We hope to soon see it at the head of the manufacturing industries of this country, which it is destined to reach in the near future should the rapid strides lately made continue.

(Toronto, (Can) Globe.

A Welcome to True Enterprise.

Evidences of substantial prosperity are good to refer to [illegible] of organizing tales[illegible] common even in [illegible] of enterprise and phenomenal activity. These impressions were suggested upon considering the sagacity and energy of the world-known house of A. VOGELER & Co., Baltimore, Md., certainly the largest of its kind in the United States, and known most extensively and favorably to the trade everywhere. Established half a century ago and not ashamed of the "day of small things," the house has grown to its present proportions and attained its enviable status by a strict adherance to the fundamental rules and laws of business, and by persistently hard work, guided by keen foresight and that comprehensive knowledge of the business which is sure to win success to the end. To this old German Drug House success has come and seems to have taken up its permanent residence. We are happy to chronicle these gratifying facts as distinctive evidence of the high mercantile and popular honor in which it is held.

Messrs. A. Vogeler & Co., have recently been in our midst in the person of the managing partner, and established a large branch house in Toronto, under the management of Mr. E. H. Wooley. Though the affairs thereof will necessarily be on a somewhat diminished scale, compared with the immense home enterprise at Baltimore, Md., the demands of the Dominion will be promptly and fully met with the same care and accuracy as distinguish the transactions of the parent house. Every requisite for facilitating business and rendering absolute satisfaction to their patrons is here to be found in its perfect adaption.

Then the methods of this house in conducting business with the press is so eminently characteristic, and withall so common-sense and practical that the journalistic fraternity, without a recognized exception, are its staunch friends. We cannot more fully indorse the firm than to say that our experience exactly tallies with that of the papers of the States, from one or two of which we are pleased to quote the following expressions on this important point. The Philadelphia (Pa.) TIMES says: "They conduct their business in the most systematic manner—managing in a way that others may imitate if they could, but which no concern is likely to improve upon. It is a pleasure to deal with a house, which conducts its affairs with such sound judgment, perfect system and praiseworthy promptness as we have found in the transactions of Messrs A. Vogeler & Co." The St Paul (Minn.) PIONEER PRESS observes: It is indisputably true that all can well learn new lessons from the admirable system of A. Vogeler & Co., Baltimore. Discriminating with the utmost nicety, in every particular, exacting as to every legitimate demand, courteous in everything they say and do, every detail wrought out as perfectly as the machinery of a watch, their operations reaching every civilized language and State on the globe, their capital ample for all and more than any use they may have for it—this model house is the ideal advertising customer of reasonable and capable publishers."

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. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. 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 at once 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 is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle.

The lost arts did not include steel pen making, an invention purely of the nineteenth century. Esterbrook's being superior, standard and reliable.

DEATH.

McCONNELL.—At the residence of her son, Dr. McConnell, Thornhill, on the morning of the 28th of December, Mrs Elizabeth McConnell, aged 78 years.

News Items.

CANADIAN.

A man has been badly beaten at the Rideau Club, Montreal.

A little boy was drowned at Puslinch Lake, on Monday, while skating.

A small boy playing with a pistol on Monday, at Montreal, shot himself in the knee.

A company with a capital of $100,000 is about starting a woolen factory near Ottawa

The gasometer at Coburg has exploded and collapsed, and the town is without gas.

A fire occurred in a vinegar factory, on Monday, at Montreal. Loss between $5,000 and $7,000.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Woolen Java Canvass in black and red, and rubber crochet needles, for sale at the HERALD Store.

Thermometer down to 10 below zero on Wednesday morning last. Quite a cool dip.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—Mr J. Snider has a desirable property in the village of Sherwood for sale or to let. See his advertisement, in another column.

At Eckardt's Sale on Wednesday last quite a number of cattle were sold, also other articles.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—Services have been held in the Methodist and Presbyterian Church alternately, since Monday last. The attendance has been very fair. This (Thursday) evening service will be held in the Presbyterian Church.

Annual Meeting of Township of Vaughan and West Riding of York Agricultural Societies will be held at the Inkerman Hotel, Woodbridge, on Jan. 12th, and 18th respectively. See advertisement in another column.

P. O. SAVINGS BANK.—The following is a statement of the Richmond Hill Post Office Savings Bank, up to Dec. 31st, 1881:—

Total deposits up to 31st Dec, 1881	$180,908 00
Deposits in the Month of Dec,	1,755 00
do during the Year 1881	13,407 00
Withdrawals during the Year 1881	9,958 34
do in the Month of Dec,	724 00

M. TEEFY, Postmaster

NEW YEARS' DAY.—The day was very quiet here. There was a good deal more calling done, than formerly, but here, as elsewhere throughout the country, the custom seems dying out. A large crowd of skaters spent a pleasant afternoon on Wilson's pond, while others went out to Patterson pond. The skating was very good.

CHORAL SERVICES.—The English Church was crowded on Sunday afternoon last, at the Choral Service. The singing was unusually grand and beautiful, a number of young ladies and gentlemen from Thornhill assisting. The Rev Mr Shanklin delivered an excellent sermon.

CATTLE FAIR.—The fair on Wednesday was a rather slim one. There were a number of beef cattle on the grounds, but only two or three were in good condition, and some were very poor. Mr H. Hopper bought a fine cow from Mr Ed. Sisley, for $65, and Mr W Pugsley bought a few of the best animals. Mr R Pugsley, of Eglington, also bought two or three beef cattle. The prices were fair, running from $35 to $50. Besides these there were quite a number of other sales.

MISSIONARY MEETINGS.—The annual Missionary Meeting in connection with the Church of England, will be held as follows.—Thornhill, Jan. 5th, and Richmond Hill, Jan. 6th, 1882. The proceedings to commence in each place at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be addressed by a deputation consisting of the Rev J H. McCollum, and the Rev. A. J. McCarrol, with other speakers. Suitable music will be performed. A collection will be taken up at each meeting.

SKATING RINK.—The Skating Rink is now in full blast, and we hope Mr. Gilroy will meet with the patronage he so richly deserves by his perseverance in providing ice. On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, the rink was crowded, and if there is any better exercise or more pleasant and harmless amusement to be found, we would like to know it. The ice is in splendid condition, and those who enjoy sport of this kind seem anxious to make the most of it. A Carnival will be held on Tuesday evening next, when the Band will be present. We wish Mr Gilroy a successful year, and hope the skating will last until he has received a fair recompense, at least, for his trouble and expense.

FIREMEN'S CONCERT.—The torchlight procession on Monday evening last, was a grand success. The procession was headed by the Richmond Hill Band, and the Teston Band brought up the rear. The Company mustered twenty-five strong, and left the fire hall about 6:30, p. m., with the engine and hose reel beautifully decorated, torches blazing, banners waving, and rockets and Roman candles flying through the air. The route was from the hall along Yonge street to Wright's carriage works; down to Duncumb's, and back to the hall. A Concert was held in the Masonic Hall, which was crowded to the doors. The chair was filled by the captain of the Company, Mr John Sanderson. A very good programme was rendered, the principal feature of which was two beautiful songs, by Mrs John Duncan, which were highly appreciated by all judges of a sweet and cultivated voice. Mrs Duncan has not sang in public for some years, and her renditions on Monday evening delighted those who had the pleasure of hearing her on former occasions, as well as those to whom it was the first appearance. Miss Flora Coulter gave a song in her usual charming manner. Miss Coulter is one of our best singers, and we certainly are proud of her ability and the voice with which she is gifted. The cornet solos by Mr C. Savage, and the instrumental solos by Mr Hume were warmly applauded, as were also readings given by Mrs W. Pugsley, Mrs A. Wright, and W. A. Sanderson. Mr J. C. McDonald gave an exhibition of a number of sleight-of-hand tricks, several of which were cleverly done for an amateur, and some could not have been more skillfully performed by a professor of the art. The Band played several pretty selections, which were creditably performed, and showed that the Richmond Hill Band had no superior in even our large towns and cities. Miss Flora Coulter, Miss Sanderson and Miss Nicholls accompanied on the piano during the evening. The receipts are estimated at over $50.

LOCAL ITEMS.

A few Diaries and Canadian Almanacs, on hand at the HERALD Store.

NOTE LOST.—Parties are cautioned against buying a certain note. See advertisement.

Mr Brown is sending around his New Years' Circulars, announcing that he has gone into the baking business

The Tea-meeting and entertainment given by the Mount Zion C. M. Sabbath School, on Saturday, Dec. 31st, was very successful, so we are informed, but we have not received any particulars. The Zion E. Lutheran Church Entertainment, on the 26th ult., was also a grand success, and a pleasant time was enjoyed. Our friends should drop us a note of such events.

SOCIAL ASSEMBLY. The assembly held at the Thornhill Hotel, on Friday evening last, proved a very pleasant and successful one, although the weather was somewhat unfavorable. Over forty couple were present. The music was good, and the spread excellent. Mr Kierstead evidently knows how to manage an assembly successfully.

Thomas Aspenwell, the missing timekeeper in the employ of the Toronto Street Railway Company, has been seen around Richmond Hill. Aspenwell is labouring under hallucinations believing that the detectives are after him for embezzlement. The company's officials deny there is anything wrong in his accounts.

Tuscarora.

(From our own Correspondent)

The "dandy" has had the momentuous question answered favorable at last, and has now settled down to business. He has determined not to use physical force any more to enforce his arguments. He is a changed man,

TWIN-BROTHERS.

Tuscarora, Jan. 3rd, 1882.

The annual meeting of the Markham Society for the Apprehension and Prosecution of Felons will be held at the Franklin House, Markham, on the 14th January inst The Unionville Association will meet at the Queen's Hotel, Unionville, on the 7th January.

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Beef, hind quarters, per 100 lbs	5 50	6 00
Mutton, by the carcase, per 100 lbs	5 50	7 00
Chickens, per pair	40	50
Ducks, per brace	60	70
Geese, each	50	0 70
Turkeys, each	0 75	1 75
Butter, lb rolls	22	25
large rolls	00	00
tub dairy	18	20
Eggs, fresh, doz	21	26
Potatoes, per bag	85	90
Apples per barrel	1 50	2 50
Onions, per bag	1 30	1 50
Cabbage, per doz	0 40	1 00
Celery, per doz	40	75
Turnips, per bag	0 45	55
Carrots, per doz	35	45
Beets, per doz	35	45
Parsnips, per bag	50	00
Hay per ton	9 00	15 00
Straw per ton	8 00	10 00
Wool per lb	23	24

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Of the Township of Vaughan

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Joel Reaman,
SECRETARY.

Woodbridge, Jan, 4th, 1882 11

NOTE LOST

A Note made by John Snider, endorsed by Jacob Snider, in my favor, has been Lost All parties are cautioned against negotiating the same Amount, $200, and due last September twelve month

CHAS. COOPER.

Richmond Hill, Jan 4th, 1882 111

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Sherwood, Jan. 3rd, 1882. 111

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