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The Liberal.

FRIDAY, DEC. 23, 1881.

A Merry Christmas to all.
WEST YORK.

The Liberals of West York will bear in mind the fact that a meeting of the West York Reform Association will be held in Toronto on Tuesday, January 10, 1882, to make arrangements for holding a convention in some central place in the Riding for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the approaching campaign, and transacting other important business. And the fact that it is an Association Meeting need not prevent any from attending. All who are in any way interested in the progress of the party will be heartily welcomed and counsel gladly received. Let there be a full attendance. Indifference caused by the feeling that there are plenty to do the work without you is one of the most prolific sources of failure in any cause. There are not enough to do the work without you. Your presence, your countenance, your counsel are required in our meetings, if for nothing else, to inspire and encourage those who are working. But every one can do something for the cause, and it is not only united but individual effort that is now needed. The foe is both crafty and powerful, but he war must be carried to the very gates, yea, right into the camp of the enemy. In order to accomplish this perfect organization, perfect harmony, perfect unity of action is necessary. Let us not fancy ourselves secure until after the polling day; to do so will be sure to prove disastrous. This is the greatest and only thing we have to fear. Let not be lulled by this delusion but work with heart and will, and if we do so, the battle will result in an unmistakable victory for the grand old principles of Liberalism.

NORTH YORK.

The Liberals of North York, following the example set by East York, held a representative's meeting in Newmarket on Saturday, for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the approaching campaign. The unanimous choice fell upon the present able representative in the Local House, Dr. Widdifield. The choice is a very wise one, as we have no doubt will, in time be plainly shown, come the election sooner or later. The Dr. is very, and deservedly popular in every part of the riding. The only thing that can prove the defeat of the Liberal standard bearer in North York will be carelessness caused by over confidence in their cause and candidate. In fact this seems to be the great besetting sin of the Liberals through out the Dominion. It is well to have faith in our cause, but faith without works is dead, and in politics it is not only dead itself but proves fatal to the cause. The Liberals in Ontario have had a good many lessons on this point. Let them learn from the past not to allow themselves to be lulled into any fancied security in the future.

Sir Leonard Tistley, in his address at the temperance meeting in the Bank St. Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, last week stated that the cost to consumer of liquor in Canada was \$10,000,000 annually, yet the quantity consumed per head of the population was not so great as it used to be forty years ago. The consumption of spirits and wines reached five gallons for every man and child in the Dominion, while now it was only a gallon and a half. He favored the establishment of coffee houses in cities, and believed in Temperance text books being used in schools.

Honlap and Ross have finally come to an agreement for a match for \$1000 a side and the championship of the world, the race to take place on the 20th of June, next.

TORONTO.

The leg and arm of a human being was found, concealed in a barrel of ashes in a tenement house on Wood street, lately vacated. Intense excitement prevails in the vicinity over the discovery, and investigations will be made. Murder is suspected.

A still in Gooderham & Wort's distillery exploded on Tuesday, blowing the entire side out of the building and severely burning and otherwise injured four men.

Application is being made to the Ontario Government for permission to build

a tramway from the western part of the city to High Park, Carlton, Weston and Cooksville. It will be built to High Park, and Carlton, as soon as permission is granted.

WESTON.

On Sunday afternoon some of the boys of the village were amusing themselves in the woods when some of them came upon a satchel covered with autumn leaves. On opening it they found it to contain about \$70 worth of new kid gloves. Another boy, searching around for more treasure, found a paper parcel hard by, which on being opened, to the bewildering delight of the boys was found to contain a silver watch and about \$60 worth of kid gloves, and some other articles. Various rumors floated about the village as to who the owner was, and many looked through the wood for the corpse of the mysterious proprietor; but the opinion now is that they had been stolen from Acton by a resident of Weston who had recently left the glove works at the former place.

LATER.—An explanation has been given of the mystery connected with the satchel of gloves found in the woods near this place on Sunday last. It is now ascertained that the satchel is the same that was stolen from the baggage room at Weston a few days ago. A number of valuable pins were found among the gloves in the satchel.

NOBLETON.

(From our own Correspondent.)

A general exodus has taken place from this village during the last few weeks, and the result is there are several empty houses. We were very sorry to lose one of the parties as he has identified himself with the interests of the place for a great many years.—Mr. McDonald is the gentleman referred to. On account of ill health he sold out his business and left the village. He will be missed very much from the band, of which he was the organizer. We hope he will find it convenient to visit us often.

The young folks are preparing to celebrate Christmas in right royal style. The string band has been re-organized and the practising of dramas and dialogues bespeak a good time.

The tax collector's genial face has been seen in most of the houses around. He reports money plentiful this fall in comparison to other seasons.

We understand a new store is to be opened shortly in this village. We wish the enterprise every success. There is sufficient room and profits for a good business.

TESTON.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. McMurray gave a very interesting lecture on temperance in the Temperance Hall here on Monday evening last. The Hall was very well filled with a good and interesting audience. After he had showed the bad effects of whiskey and strong drink a collection was taken up, which amounted to \$8 which he said was as much as he had taken in the whole week before. He did not know how to thank the people of Teston for their kindness in giving to such a good cause. Mr. McMurray says the Scott Act will be brought before the people of York in a short time to vote upon.

The cornet band of this place, gave a concert in the Town Hall here on Wednesday, which was the grandest affair that has taken place here for a long time. The weather was not altogether in their favor, it being a fearful cold and stormy night, but notwithstanding the Hall was very well filled with a social audience. Our band master, Mr. Carley, deserves great credit for the way he is bringing the band along. At present the band consists of 18 members. They have just been getting a large new circular bass, the price of which instrument is \$75, and they are now trying to raise enough money to get another. We hope they will have good luck and by New Years they are talking of coming over to your town and giving you a call.

For the last few weeks business has been rushing with the young people. Many are getting married, still there are more to follow. No less than ten couples have joined their destinies within the last four weeks. Our painter took a very interesting part in it, but it happened it did not turn out to be another elephant case. It seems that this town is noted for painters getting married in. There have been no less than five who have come and gone within the last three years. I would advise some of our bachelors to take a few lessons in painting from Mr. Lund and I really think it would give them a start.

VAUGHAN REFORM ASSOCIATION.

At the annual meeting of Vaughan Township Reform Association the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President, P. Patterson, Esq., M. P. P., 1st Vice-President, W. Cook, 2nd Vice-President, A. Malloy, Secretary, J. Lahmer.

The following are the committees of various polling Sub-Divisions in the Township.

No. 1.—Thomas Pogo, D. Reaman, I. Chapman, Thomas Lane, C. Ludford, Mr. Shuter.

No. 2.—D. Boyle, Jas. Newton, N. Slinney, jr., N. Playter, and P. Basingthwaite.

No. 3.—Jos. Stong, E. Whitmore, J. Lahmer, J. R. Campbell, and David Smith.

No. 4.—Wm. Kirby, Jno. McKinnon, C. Nixon, A. McQuarrie, and Wm. Cluhine.

No. 5.—Jos. Stonehouse, Jno. Watt, D. Grant, Geo. Elliott, J. Ellerby, David Alton, Davik Todd, and George F. Wallace.

No. 6.—Wm. Capper, Jas. McFadden, Jno. White, Alex. Malloy, Donald McDonald and Robert Cameron.

Nor 7.—Robt. King, J. Summerville, T. Porter, Wm. Ellerby, Chas. Porter, and Thos. Riddle.

No. 8.—J. Kurtz, A. Gough, William Thomas, Robt. Kellam, W. McCutcheon, David Burgess, and Peter Devins.

VAUGHAN PLOWMAN'S ASSOCIATION.

The above Association held a meeting at the Maple Leaf Hotel, Maple, on Saturday, 17th inst, for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Association for the year. The accounts showed the financial standing of the Association to be in a very satisfactory condition. After the business of the meeting was through, the Officers and Directors were invited by Mr. Palmer to sit down to a hospitably laden table, richly supplied with many inviting things, especially oysters, prepared in the most recherche style and arranged with exquisite taste. After the inner man was satisfied several appropriate toasts were proposed and responded to and speechifying was indulged in by gentlemen present. The affair of the evening was creditable to Mr. Palmer's liberality, and all present felt that such a pleasant time as was spent was not only enjoyable for the participants, but conducive to the interests of the Association.

CRADLE.

LUSH.—At Richmond Hill, on Tuesday, the 20th inst., the wife of Mr. John Lush, of a daughter.

The Markets.

RICHMOND HILL Thursday Dec. 22 1881	
Flour—Fall	6 25 to 6 50
do—Spring	6 25 to 6 50
Wheat, fall, per bush	1 10 to 1 12
Wheat, spring, per bush	1 10 to 1 14
Oats, per bushel	45 to 50
Peas, per bushel	35 to 40
Turnips per bushel	35 to 38
Carrots, per doz	10 to 15
Chickens, per pair	50 to 40
Ducks, per brace	40 to 50
Geese, each	50 to 70
Turkeys, each	60 to 1 00
Potatoes, per bag	80 to 85
Dried apples, per lb.	6 to 7
Butter—lb rolls, per lb	21 to 23
do—large rolls, per lb	20 to 21
Eggs, per dozen fresh	18 to 20
do do packed	15 to 16
Apples, per barrel	1 25 to 2 30
Fire per ton	4 00 to 10 00
Wood—hard	3 50 to 4 00
do—soft	2 25 to 2 50

TORONTO Thursday, Dec. 18 1881.	
Flour, extra, hbl.	5 65 " 5 75
Flour, superior extra	5 70 " 5 80
Wheat, fall	1 21 to 1 25
Wheat, spring	1 30 " 32
Barley	78 " 85
Oats, or bush	44 " 46
Peas, do	75 " 80
Rye, do	67 " 88
Timothy seed, per bush	3 80 " 3 40
Glover do	5 01 " 5 20
Beef, hind quarters	5 00 " 5 50
Beef, fore quarters	4 00 " 5 00
Mutton	6 00 " 7 00
Lamb	8 00 " 8 50
Hogs per 100 lbs	7 75 " 8 00
Potatoes, per bag	75 " 80
Apples per brl.	1 50 " 2 50
Cabbage per doz.	60 " 1 00
Beans, bu	2 25 " 2 35
Chickens per pair	40 " 45
Ducks per pair	35 " 45
Fowls per pair	35 " 45
Partridge, brace	50 " 75
Geese	50 " 75
Turkeys	75 " 1 25
Butter, barrels, per lb	22 " 24
do dairy do	16 " 17
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	22 " 25
Tallow, per lb	7 " 8
Lard, per lb	14 " 15
Dried apples	05 " 06
Wood per lb	24 " 26
Sheep skins	75 " 1 00
Hay	9 00 " 14 00
Straw	2 50 " 13 00
Coal, best, per ton	6 00 " 6 50
Wood, hard, per cord	5 20 " 6 00
do soft do	5 00 " 4 0

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Richmond Hill, June 7th, 1881