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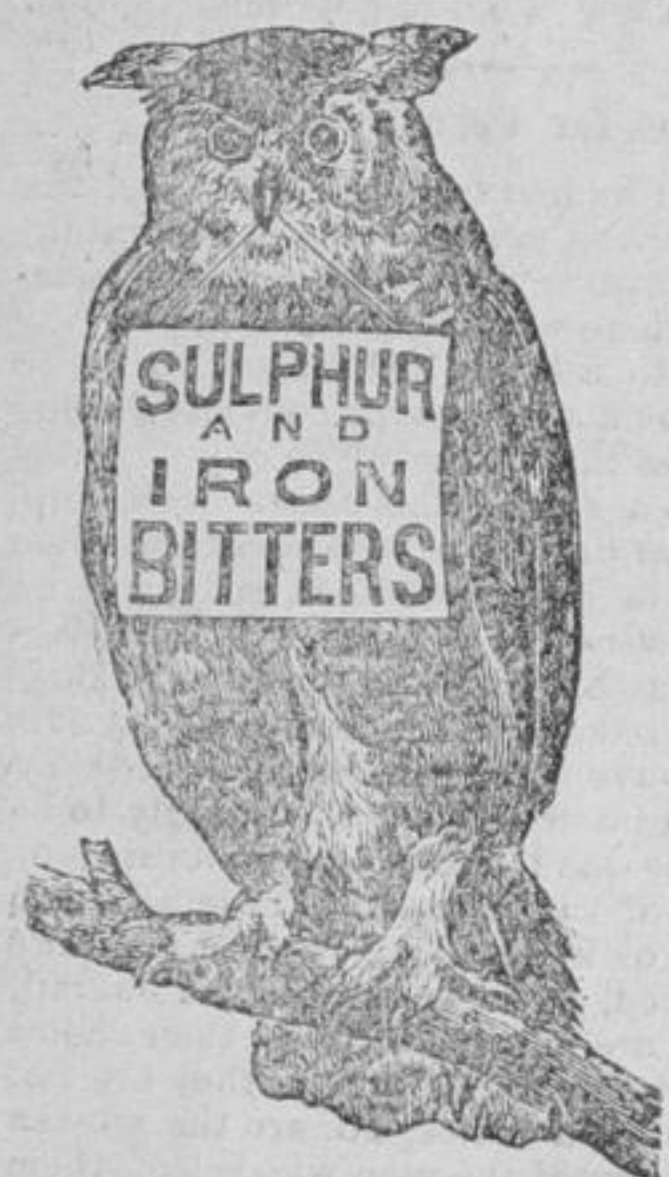
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## Queen's Birthday

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Spring Exhibition a Success

Every preparation having been made in Richmond Hill for the celebration of our Noble Queen's 65th birthday, as might have been expected, a very large crowd of people visited the village during the day to witness the proceedings. The sun rose through a black cloud, and it threatened rain, but early in the day the clouds rolled away, and the weather was all that could be desired. It is estimated that between three and four thousand people were present. The principal attraction that drew the immense crowd was the

TENTH ANNUAL SPRING EXHIBITION

of the Richmond Hill and Yonge Street Agricultural Society. The show in horses was exceedingly good, the heavy draught and other classes being much superior to those usually seen at such an exhibition. Mr. John Palmer, of Richmond Hill, exhibited several fine horses, and Mr. Russell took three prizes in teams. Mr. Russell's exhibit of short-horns was up to former years, which is saying a great deal for the exhibition. Mr. Cherry, of Whitchurch, showed some fine Jerseys. Mr. R. Marsh and Mr. Sisley also exhibited and succeeded in carrying off prizes. In sheep, Mr. Robt. Marsh, of this place, and Mr. Wilkinson, of Hamilton, were the principal exhibitors, Mr. Marsh carrying off most of the prizes. The show in swine was well up to the average. In poultry, W. A. Wright & Son, of Richmond Hill, who, of late years have made a study of fowls, carried off the greater number of prizes.

In implements, Patterson & Bro., of Patterson; Massey & Co., of Toronto; Flury Estate, of Aurora; Harris, Son, & Co., of Brantford; Elliott & Co., of London, and Masson & Co., of Oshawa, were among the firms represented. It scarcely seemed right to see the space vacant which should have been occupied by buggies and carriages of all descriptions. Mr. James Cruickshank, of Weston, showed a detachable spring wagon, which fills a want long experienced by farmers and teamsters. The spring attachment is applicable to the ordinary wagon gear, and can be attached in a few minutes, rendering the motion as easy as the best platform spring, and can be used for all purposes, thereby rendering an outlay for a spring wagon for marketing unnecessary, and at the same time more durable, of easier draught and at about two-thirds of the cost. Mr. H. Miller and Mr. C. McKinnon, both of Richmond Hill, exhibited some fine looking pumps, the hydraulic rams of the former attracting particular attention. Mr. Isaac Paterbaugh, of Edgely, added a new attraction, in the shape of a potato separator, which cleans the dirt completely, and forms a thorough separation of small and large potatoes, dividing them into three distinct samples. Mr. Paterbaugh has been granted a patent for this new invention, which should answer a good purpose to the farming community.

The ladies' work was better than has been exhibited here for some years.

One of the main features of the day's celebration was the grand procession of Self Binders from the Works of Messrs. Patterson and Brother of Patterson. The procession was entirely made up of representative farmers of this country, who had purchased self binders from Messrs. Patterson and Brother this season, and extended for about a quarter of a mile in length, headed by the Brass Band. It was certainly the finest display of Harvesting Machinery ever witnessed in Richmond Hill, and the feeling among the crowd of farmers who witnessed it was general, that it reflected great credit on the firm represented. The display of Machinery on the ground by Patterson and Brother was no less prominent, as was evinced by the crowds at all times surrounding their exhibit, and the many expressions of wonder at the simplicity of their machines and the efficiency with which they performed their work. They were justly awarded first prize on Binder, Mower, and Reaper. All their machines were sold and delivered on the grounds and a large number of orders taken besides. Messrs. Patterson and Brother are the pioneer manufacturers of agricultural implements in Ontario, and are to be congratulated on the success they have achieved.

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CATTLE.

Durham Bull, aged—1st, J. Russell & Bro. Durham Bull 1 yr. old—1st, M. Fierheller; 2nd, John Pike. Durham Cow, aged—1st, 2nd and 3rd, J. Russell. Durham Heifer, 2 yr. old—1st and 2nd, James Russell. Durham Heifer, 1 yr. old—1st and 2nd, James Russell. Grade Cow, aged—1st, Thos. Boynton. Grade Heifer 2 yr. old—1st, Wm. Bell; 2nd, Thos. Boynton. Grade Heifer 1 yr. old—1st, W. Bell; 2nd, Thos. Boynton; 3rd, W. Bell. Fat Ox or Steer—1st, 2nd and 3rd, Robert Marsh. Fat Cow or Heifer—1st, Jas. Russell; 2nd, Robt. Marsh; 3rd, J. Sisley. Jersey Bull—1st, J. Cherry. Jersey Cow—1st, J. Cherry.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

At the Presbyterian Church, the annual dinner and tea was served by the ladies, in their excellent style. Before eleven o'clock, large crowds of people were to be seen wending their way to the church for their dinner, and this was kept up till about three in the afternoon. All enjoyed such a good dinner accounted for so many returning for tea which commenced about 4 o'clock, after which all appeared to be busily engaged till about 7. After all had been thoroughly satisfied, the committee began the most interesting part of the programme, summing up the proceeds of the day, but, as all the returns have not been made by parties selling tickets, the exact sum could not be arrived at, but by the amount of cash and tickets collected; about \$150 must have been realized. On account of an over supply of provisions which had been provided, it was decided to have a ten cent social on Monday evening.

On Sabbath the anniversary services were held. Appropriate sermons were preached by the Rev. Dr. Smith, Principal of Oshawa College. Good collections were taken up at both services. During the day the Dr. had been spoken to and he kindly consented to remain over for the social and deliver a lecture, on his tour through France. About \$16 was realized at the social, after which the Dr. gave his lecture, which was delivered in a very interesting manner, being both humorous and instructive. About \$16 was realized.

The ladies of the congregation feel very much pleased with the results of this their fourth anniversary and dinner, and thank their friends very sincerely for their liberal patronage.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

As on former occasions, drew together a large number to the dinner, tea and concert. The ladies of the congregation were busily engaged in the refreshment rooms of the church, from early morning till late in the evening. Both old and young, from far and near, seem to make it a point to meet at this beautiful edifice at least once a year, and spend a pleasant time with old friends. Regarding the edibles, the most particular could not but admit that everything was gotten up in first-class style, yet, although the number which partook of dinner and tea was great, the demand was not equal to the supply, and consequently a social was held on Monday evening, when a handsome addition was realized. At the concert in the evening, the programme was well carried out, under the oversight of Mr. J. B. Baxter, of Toronto, who was ably assisted by over thirty voices from Queen St. Methodist Church. The star of the evening proved to be Mrs. Baxter, whose musical talent as a soprano soloist is seldom met with. A glee given by the choir, entitled "The Bees," was well executed and well received by the audience. Mr. Smith sang a solo, "Friar of Orders Grey," which is well worthy of notice. The concert was closed by the choir rendering "Good night Beloved," after which a vote of thanks, moved by Dr. Wilson, was tendered them by Rev. J. E. Starr, who expressed the hope that they might at some future time favor Richmond Hill with a return visit on a similar occasion. Mr. Baxter replied on behalf of the choir. The proceeds of dinner, tea and concert amounted to \$286.

OAK RIDGES.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Our village was very quiet on the Queen's Birthday, but never mind our turn will come after a bit and don't you forget it.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Bell, who has been dangerously ill is convalescent.

MAPLE.

From our own Correspondent.

Things were pretty quiet on the 24th. Some young men went to Teston in the evening and returned next day.

The Cricket Club have challenged Springhill club to play Saturday, 7th. We hope they may have success.

A young man from this village hired a buggy but could not get a horse to come to Richmond Hill on Saturday, for which reason he had to walk and return the same way, but not alone.

There are eight new houses going to be built here this summer. Our village is fast growing.

The hen emporium is increasing, we shall soon start a market.