

N. R. R. TIME TABLE.

GOING NORTH.			
TORONTO.	Mail.	Accom.	Ex.
City Hall	8:10	11:45	5:15
Brook Street	8:25	12:00	5:30
Parkdale	8:33	12:10	5:38
Davenport	8:40	12:15	5:44
Weston	8:50	12:25	5:51
Thornhill	9:07	12:53	6:10
RICHMOND HILL	9:18	1:05	6:22
King	9:30	1:15	6:37
Aurora	9:43	1:40	6:55
Newmarket	10:00	1:53	7:05
GOING SOUTH.			
TORONTO.	Ex.	Accom.	Mail.
Newmarket	8:03	11:57	6:03
Aurora	8:15	12:10	6:15
King	8:33	12:30	6:37
RICHMOND HILL	8:42	12:42	6:48
Thornhill	8:51	12:53	6:57
Weston	9:10	1:00	7:17
Davenport	9:16	1:27	7:22
Parkdale	9:23	1:27	7:22
TORONTO.			
Brook Street	9:30	1:35	7:30
City Hall	9:45	1:50	7:45

PROCTOR'S STAGE LINE.

Connects with all trains, leaving the Palmer House Richmond Hill, as follows:
 Mail & Express, North & South, 7:45 a. m.
 Accommodation, 11:45
 Express North, 5:35 p. m.
 Mail South, 5:35

POST OFFICE NOTICE

Until further notice Mails will be closed at the Richmond Hill Post Office as follows:-
 MORNING:-Going North, south East and West, including Thornhill, Maple, Toronto, Markham, &c. 7:45
 EVENING:-Going south, East and West (as above) 5:30
 N. B.-Registered Letters must be handed in at least Fifteen Minutes earlier than the above mentioned hours for closing.
 M. TEEFY, Postmaster.

The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, Thursday, March 1, 88

LOCALS.

Frank Lazarus' spectacles and eye-glasses cheap at THE LIBERAL store.

Houses for sale in the village in a good locality. See ad. on another page.

Thanks.
 THE LIBERAL cheerfully acknowledges its thanks for a piece of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown's wedding cake, and wishes the newly-married couple a happy and prosperous life.

Temperance Meeting.
 W. C. T. U. and R. T. of T. will please remember the meeting on Tuesday next in the Temperance Hall, the former at 7, and the latter at 8.30.

Serenaded.
 The Fire Brigade Band serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, at their residence last evening. The members speak in the highest terms of the reception which they received.

Auction Sale.
 Mr. J. C. Stokes, Auctioneer, will sell the farm stock, implements, household furniture, &c., of Mr. Wm. Cluine, lot 35, 3rd Con. Vaughan, on Thursday, the 15th of March. Sale at 11 o'clock. No reserve as the proprietor is giving up farming.

Fire Brigade Meeting.
 The regular monthly meeting of the Richmond Hill Fire Brigade will be held on Friday, March 2nd when the 2nd practice on the hose coupling will take place, after the routine business is completed.

Atkinson's imported Embroideries simply eclipse anything ever seen in Richmond Hill before, and we would advise the ladies of the vicinity to call and get your supply before they are snapped up.

Important Credit Sale.
 The valuable farm stock, implements and household furniture of Mr. Hugh McCutcheon, lot 15, 3rd Con. Vaughan, will be sold by public auction on Saturday, the 17th of March, 1888. Sale to commence at one o'clock. Salem Eckardt, Auctioneer.

Atkinson, the Concrete man, has just opened up the very best line of Ladies' Dress Goods he has ever before shown. He has all wool Dress Goods in all shades at 12 1/2c., 15c., 18c., 20c., 22c., and 25c., and lots of them.

Encouragement.
 It has been decided to give prizes at the end of the year to the Band of Hope. Those who are most regular in attendance will be considered in one class, while those who show the best knowledge of the subjects taught during the year will form another class. In this way the younger children have a chance as well as those who are able to understand and remember the lessons taught.

Resumed his Place.
 The friends of Mr. G. Wiley will be pleased to learn that he is able to resume his wonted occupation in the machine shops of Patterson & Bro., Woodstock. He has been, as many of our readers know, suffering from cataract on the eyes, one of which has been successfully removed by Dr. Ryerson, of Toronto, and the sight completely restored. It thought advisable the operation on the other eye may take place at some future day. We are sure that his friends in the Patterson works will gladly welcome his return. He has been an employer of the firm for the past 27 years.

The much talked-of spring goods imported direct from the Old Country have at last arrived at the Concrete, and Atkinson is more than pleased with them, and he foresees a great spring trade, for the goods are of the best quality at prices that make you smile.

Spring Ad.
 Mr. C. Trevethan, of the Bee-Hive Tailoring Establishment, is always in season. He is out this week with a spring ad., announcing to his many patrons his large and fine stock of suitings, coatings, &c., &c. It is unnecessary to say he guarantees a good fit. He solicits an early call, as his cloth and patterns are excellent.

Credit Sale.
 Mr. Naughton & Bro., two lots above the Elgin Mills, Yonge St., will have an auction sale of farm stock, implements and household furniture on Monday, the 12th of March. As the proprietors have leased their farm there will be no reserve. Sale at one o'clock. Nine months' credit will be given on all sums over \$10. Salem Eckardt, Auctioneer.

The gentlemen of Richmond Hill are invited by Wm. Atkinson of the Concrete House, to drop in and take a look at the latest styles of Hats, a large consignment of which have just been opened up, and while you are there don't miss looking at the new Ties and Gents' Furnishings.

Hard on the Capital.
 A Toronto daily in reference to Sir John in his position in the "Amen Corner," facetiously remarks, that he is to be commended for his earnestness in beseeching the evangelists, Crossley and Hunter, to prolong their stay in the Capital, as none know so well as he that the harvest of sinners is plentiful in Ottawa at present.

"Deadwood's" Stock Rising.
 Palmer's trotter, "Deadwood," is making it hot for his opponents this winter on the ice. Last week at Owensound he took first money, and was placed in company with some fast horses. At the Collingwood Trotting Association races which commenced on Tuesday, he also secured first place, taking the 1st, 2nd and 4th heats. In both the above races Dixon's "Photographer" got 2nd prize.

Headford.
 Miss M. A. Munro is visiting at Mr. J. Beynon's, Aurora. Mr. Alex. Comisky, of Richmond Hill, spent Sunday in this place. Mr. R. Trench sold his grey team to Mr. R. Trench; receiving a handsome sum. They go to the North-West. Mr. A. Henrick sold a horse to Mr. W. Trench, to be shipped to the North-West. The recent cold weather has made a ready sale for fur coats in our midst, no less than three or four having been bought this winter. No doubt Mr. P. H. Leech has purchased about the best one this winter.—Com.

Atkinson has over 150 different patterns of Scotch and West of England Tweeds and Worsteds for suits, coats and vests and pants, which he imported direct from the manufacturers in England and Scotland for this spring's trade. A first-class Scotch Tweed Suit \$13.50, made to order with the best trimmings and work.

Appointed.
 At the last meeting of Markham Township Council the following were appointed Pound-Keepers and Fence-Viewers:—Pound-Keepers Div. 1.—Andrew Miller, Jas. Galloway; Div. 2.—Jonathan Brillinger, Wm. Gamble and Thos. Klink; Div. 3.—O. Hemmingway, Jno. Webber, R. Ash; Div. 4.—N. Button, Wm. Jenkins, S. P. Baymer; Div. 5.—A. R. Pike, T. Nighswander, Peter Lapp; Div. 6.—J. M. Miller, C. Wideman, L. Vanzant.—Fence-Viewers.—Div. 1.—John Lane, Wm. Hood, Arthur Quantz; Div. 2.—Benj. McDonald, W. Lawson, Geo. McKay; Div. 3.—Sinclair Hagerman, Wm. McDonald, John Gormley; Div. 4.—Thos. Brown, J. B. Grove, T. Hastings; Div. 5.—Robt. Clark N. E. Reesor, William Armstrong; Div. 6.—P. Wideman, L. Boyles, Elias Hamilton. The next meeting of the council will be held on Saturday, the 7th of April.

Almost a Fire.
 Last Friday two travellers, who might be designated "tramps," called at the residence of Mr. John Arnold and asked for money. The person who attended the door informed them she had no money for them, but would gladly give them provisions if they felt hungry. This they indignantly declined, saying that money was what they had come for. When they left the house the language made use of proved they were not at all satisfied. And instead of retracing their steps on the well-beaten path, they departed through deep snow. A short time afterwards, a son of Mr. Powell, Mr. Arnold's tenant, noticed smoke coming from a bay shed near the latter's house. He at once investigated the cause, and found that the hay had been set on fire. Water and snow were carried at once and the fire was extinguished before any damage was done. It is thought the pedestrians took a circuit and paid the shed a visit before they finally left the place.

Leap year party.
 Last evening, being the 29th of February, which occurs but once in four years, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Proctor availed themselves of the opportunity of affording their friends an evening's enjoyment, which took the form of a Leap Year Party. Out of 74 invitations extended 72 guests were present, and these were a most happy admixture of the grave and the gay of both sexes. The regular order of things was reversed, the ladies acting the role of the gentlemen, and so well did they perform the duties required of them that they are entitled to all the honor due to either ancient or modern gallants. The arrangements were admirable in every part of the house, but the artistic skill of the hostess was particularly displayed in the arranging of the magnificent pyramid of flowers which enshrouded the piano. The subdued light reflected from many Chinese lanterns had a most charming and pleasing effect. The refreshments which varied from the substantial to the most delicate were choice, and were served on quartette tables conveniently placed in recesses in the various rooms. Music and various games were indulged in till about 1 a. m. when the friends separated in the very best of humor. We congratulate the host and hostess on their ability to entertain, and pronounce, in the voice of last night's assembled guests, the Leap Year Party for 1888 a brilliant success.

School Board Meeting.
 The regular monthly meeting of the Richmond Hill School Board will be held in the Council Chamber next Monday, March 5th at 2 p. m. At the February meeting one of the members of the Board gave notice that at the next meeting he would move that the teachers of the Public School be instructed to teach, from the 2nd form up, the subject of Temperance and Hygiene in compliance with the school law and regulations governing the same. Were it not that this subject is already taught in the Band of Hope, to which nearly all the children in the village belong, we think the Trustees would be justified in placing it on the list of subjects. But as all who wish may receive this instruction after school hours, the members of the school Board might well be excused in not asking the teachers, who have already plenty to do, to add another subject to the programme of studies.

Entertainment at Kinghorn.
 The members of Lowell Lodge, I. O. G. T. intend holding a grand entertainment in the Temperance Hall, Kinghorn on the evening of Monday, March 5th, 1888. Talent has been secured from Woodbridge, Toronto, Nobleton, King City, and Laskay, besides good local talent. The following are expected to take part in the entertainment:—District Chief, District Councillor and District Secretary, of Toronto; Members of Nobleton and Woodbridge Lodges; E. J. Davis, Esq., of Kinghorn; Rev. Mr. McDowell and Dr. Norman, of King City; and Rev. J. W. Caldwell. The Laskay Choir, which is well-known in this vicinity, will be in attendance. Mr. Ferguson's String Band, consisting of organ, violin, cornet and bass violin, has been secured for that evening Mr. J. T. Saigeon, will act as chairman. All are welcome. Admission, 15 cents, Children under 12 years, 10 cents. Doors open at 7 o'clock; entertainment to commence at 7.30

Robert Neil Executed.
 The last scene in the Central Prison tragedy was acted on Tuesday morning when Robert Neil suffered the extreme penalty of the law, for the murder of Guard Rutledge. In looking back at the instances in which death by hanging has been inflicted in Toronto, we are reminded of the fact that the first execution was in the year 1807 when a young Irish tailor was hanged for having forged an order for a sum less than \$1. We presume that there are few in our village today who can realize that a petty larceny or theft was in those days punished by death. The youth and bad training of Neil have been very much written about, and a considerable amount of sympathy excited in his behalf and many efforts made to have his sentence commuted, but the executive decided that the law must take its course. We remember a case where the criminal was several years younger than Neil, and where the crime was committed in a drunken fight, the unfortunate boy having no knowledge of the affair, when arrested the following day. We refer to the execution of Wm. Fleming in March 1859. There have been in all 21 executions in Toronto, including the celebrated Lount and Matthews case, and one woman.

The Reeveship of York.
 The Queen on the relation of Taverner v. Willson came before Mr. Justice Rose at Osgoode Hall on Tuesday, when Mr. A. H. Marsh, on behalf of the relator, moved absolute his summons to unseat Mr. Arthur L. Willson as Reeve of the Township of York, and Mr. Aylesworth showed cause. The ground of attack was that the election was rendered void because the people residing in Seaton Village had voted in the Township of York after that section had been detached from the township and annexed to the City of Toronto. The proclamation named the first Monday in January as the day when the change should take effect, and this was also the polling day in all the municipalities throughout the province. Mr. Aylesworth in answer to this contended that the election had been begun before the day named in the proclamation, reckoning the nomination as part of the election. Mr. Justice Rose was inclined to favor this argument, but reserved his decision in order to look very carefully into the law, as there is no appeal from his decision. The question turns very largely upon the construction of various sections of the Municipal Act.—Globe.

Lansing Rink.
 The management of this rink still retains the good reputation gained last year and has given excellent satisfaction this season. The rink has been open on Tuesday and Saturday evenings of each week and has been well patronized notwithstanding the thoughts of many that the interest would flag on a 2nd season's trial. The rink has also become noted for Carnivals, and the last one held on the 14th ult., proved no exception to the rule. There were many beautiful costumes and the characters represented were well sustained. About 9.45 p. m. the small hall-way leading to the rink was crowded by about 30 of the employes, ladies and gentlemen of Thompson and Son's, Toronto, who had driven out to have an evening's enjoyment. About 10 p. m. the president and secretary cleared the ice and allowed the visitors the full benefit of it till near 11 p. m. afterwards they retired to Thompson's Hotel, and after partaking of a sumptuous repast to which ample justice was done the dining hall was cleared and dancing to the sweet strains of the Downview Band was engaged in till an early hour when all departed for home voting mine host and the managers of the rink Jolly good fellows.

PERSONALS.
 Mr. R. Trench, of Brandon, started for home on Tuesday last. He took back with him two car loads of horses for Manitoba.

Master Jerry Robinson left yesterday morning for Toronto where he has secured a position in a tailoring establishment.

The Rev. H. McTavish, of Eglinton and Rev. G. N. Rutledge of this place, exchange pulpits on Sunday next. Educational sermons will be preached at Eglinton.

On the Sunday evenings of March 4th and 11th inst. Rev. Mr. Percival will preach in the Presbyterian Church, taking as his subject, The Elements essential to success in life.

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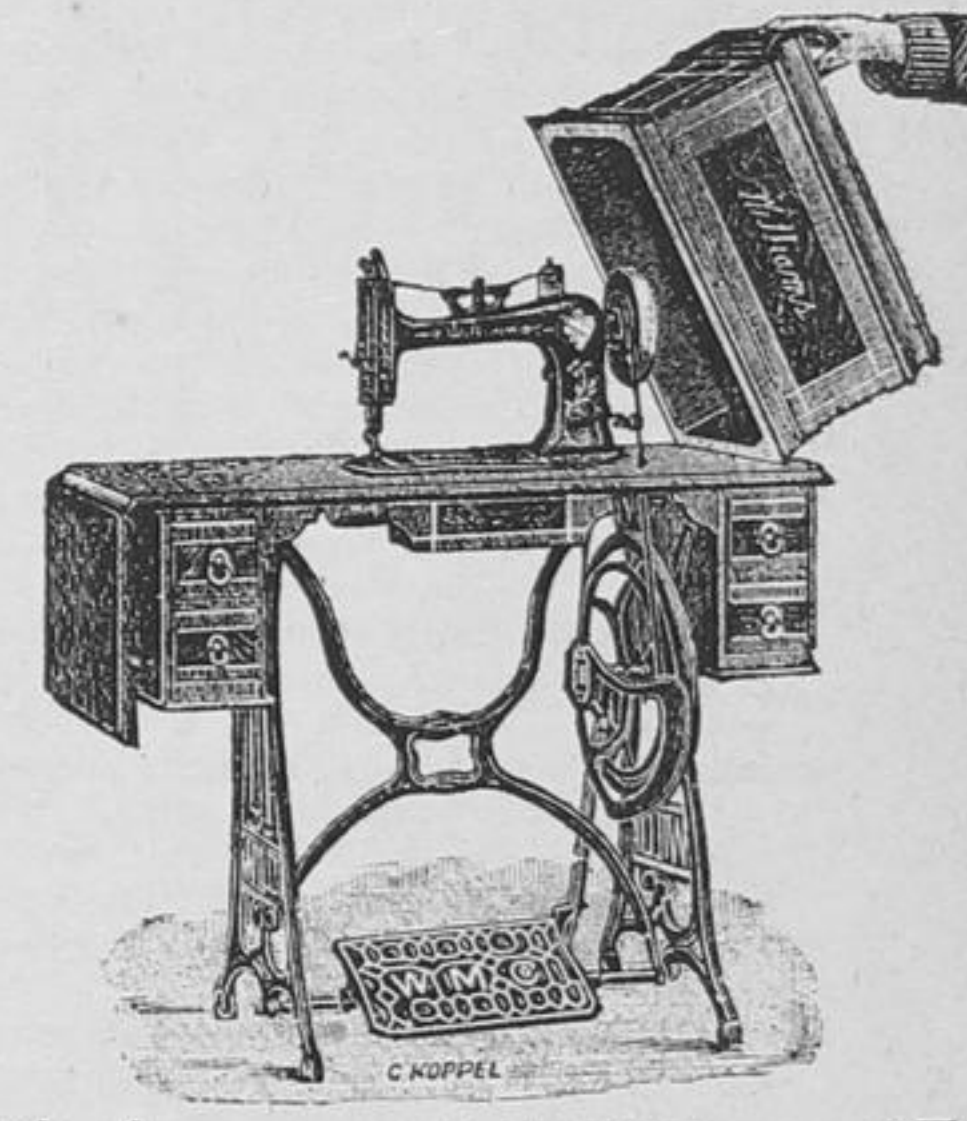
MANUFACTURERS' FORCED SALE

Owing to the heavy bank failures and the great stringency in the money market we have had offered to us and have completed arrangements for the purchase of some enormous lots of goods—for cash—at prices never before thought of even by the most idle dreamer. Everywhere throughout the Dominion the increased rate of discount and the scarcity of money are causing the over-gorged and plethoric manufacturers to "clamor aloud for clemency." Great firms are today almost tottering into bankruptcy. Wealthy mill-owners and manufacturers are now, for the first time since 1857, "on their knees," and unless confidence can be restored to the business community and the present apprehension of danger averted, who can tell what dire calamity may befall the country? While this state of things continues the tremendous efficacy of "hard cash," like the philosopher's stone of old, is working marvels and prodigies indeed. For the next thirty days, or while the goods last, or the manufacturers will supply goods at similar prices, we offer:

- Men's and Boys' Clothing**
 Boys' heavy overcoats, 97c each, worth \$2
 Men's heavy nap overcoats, \$1 25 each
 Boys' winter suits, 97c each
 Boys' fine suits at 2, 3, 4 and \$5
 Men's heavy winter overcoats, \$2 50, worth double
 Men's Gibraltar serge overcoats \$4
 Men's blizzards overcoats, \$5 50, worth a fortune to a chilly man
- Dress Goods**
 Costume twees 1s 7 1/2c, worth 15c
 Checked materials double width, 20c worth 40c
 All-wool French dress goods, 15c, worth 25c
 Every pattern in tartan plaid 25c a yard
 Dress goods of all kinds have reached bottom prices
- Men's and Boys' Fur Caps**
 Boys' imitation lamb caps 19c, worth 50c
 Boys' fine imitation caps 50c, worth 1 00
 Men's Persian lamb caps, 3rd choice, 2 00, furriers price 4 00
 Men's Persian lamb caps, 2nd choice, 3 00, furriers price 6 00
 Men's Persian lamb caps, 1st choice 6 00, furriers price 10 00
 Men's Astrachan, Beaver, Seal, Coney, Mink caps at half furriers' prices
- Men's and Boys' Underwear and Gloves**
 Men's heavy wool top shirts 75c
 Men's undershirts 25c
 Men's heavy drawers 25c
 Men's lambswool shirts and drawers at greatly reduced prices
 Men's heavy all-wool cardigan jackets 75c, worth double
 Men's heavy lined kid gloves 50c, worth 90c
- General Staple Goods**
 Heavy, white as snow blankets, 1 25 a pair
 Extra size white blankets, 3 00 a pair
 Large size horse wraps 50c each
 Fine grey flannels 11c a yard worth 20c
 Bed comforters 55c worth 1 00
 Fine table linens 20c a yard
 Fine table napkins 50c a dozen
 White and colored canton flannels 7c a yard

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