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POST OFFICE NOTICE

Until further notice Mails will be closed at th 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 N. B .- Registered Letters must be handed in e least Friceen Minutes earlier than the above mentioned hours for closing. M. TEEFY, Postmaster.

RICHMOND HYLL, Thursday, Dec. 6, '88

LOCALS.

A few Christmas Globes for sale at THE LIBERAL Store.

The Uniform Promotion Examinations

will take place on the 14th inst. 1,000 bushels of oats wanted. Also a

quantity of based hav for sale. See ad. and handles cheap, at C. Mason's.

Crosscat Saws, Chopping Axes: A Portland Cutter, nearly new, and a good Sewing Machine can be bought at a bargain. See ad. on another page.

8000 Good Matches for 25c., at the Concrete.

F. Kirkby announces that he will have on hand for Xmas and New years & lar e and well-assorted stock of Confectious, Fraice, &c. See change of ad.

Boys Suits from \$1.00, Men's Suits from \$4.50, Men's Overcoats from \$3.50, at the Concrete.

School Meeting.

The School Board will meet next Monday, Dec. 10th, to consider the applications for the position of teacher in the 2nd Division.

The largest and finest Figs brought into Canada for sale at the Concrete, 20c. per lb.

Fire Bngade.

The Fire Brigade will hold its Regular Monthly meeting on Friday, Dec. 7th. A aull attendance requested.

ware is at C. Mason's, Richmond of York to buy Stoves and Hard. The cheapest place in the county

The Bible-Class.

The subject for study next Wednesday evening in the Lecture Room of the Methodist Church, will be "The Death of Samson" -Judges 16th chapter, 21 to 31 verses.

New Raisins, Currants, Figs, Dates, Peels, Spices, first quality and lowest price, at the Concrete.

Man Traus.

The sidewalk on Elizabeth Street needs an application of the Inipector's patching apparatus, if the corporation is desirous of keeping clear of a suit for damages.

Fined.

On Tuesday Frank Hough, of Thombill, appeared before Magistrate Wingfield on three charges of selling liquor without a license. He was fined \$50 or three months' hard labor in each case.

Presbyterian Entertainment.

The teachers of the Richmond Hill Presbyterian S. School, intend holding their Annual New Year's Arch and Entertainment on New Year's Eve. Further particulars next week.

Gift Sale.

In a change of ad. this week, W. Atlanson, of the Concrete House, announces that his Fourth Great Christmas Gift Sale commences on Monday, Dec. 10th. Great bargains and great presents for everybody. See

Monthly Fair

The Monthly Cattle Fair held on Weders. A good selection of cattle was on the ground and a number exchanged owners. Mr. R. Trench, of Brandon, was in attendaance and purchased a number of horses.

Snow.

We had our first fall of the "beautiful" on Tuesday. The ubiquitous small boy with his sled, and the wee Misses Canada to help. were out in full force making toboggan slides a boisterous welcome.

TORRUG BEION TOWN - COLD DONNER

Court Richmond, No. 7046, A. O.F., meets to-morrow (Friday) evening.

F. Kirkby has opened out next door to his grocery and confectionary department, a crockery, glass, ware and woodenware department. He has some beautiful specimens of granite ware to show you at reasonable prices. He hopes to have a share of your patrounge in this department like which has given him success in the past., A call solicited.

Sermons.

On Salbath morning the Rev. G. N. Rutledge aclivered an excellent sermon on "The Tongue." In the evening the Rev. Mr. Chapman, of Unionville, preached from Psalms 18, 28th verse: "For Thou wilt right my candle."

Canned Salmon, Lobster, Mackerel, Corn, Tomatoes, Peas, Peaches, Black Berries, Blue Berries, Pine Apple &c., at the Concrete, at lowest figures.

Model School Examinations.

The examinations of the County Model schools at Parkdale and Newmarket will begin next Saturday and will continue till Tuesday night. The examiners at Parkdale will be Messrs. Hughes, Doau, and Fotheringham, and at Newmarket Messrs. Davison, of Newmarket and Thompson, of Aurora.

Nice 44 piece Tea Sets for \$1.90, Blue or Brown printed, Dinner plates 70c. a doz, best White dinner plates 75c. a doz, nice handled Teas 65c. per doz, best white handled Teas, new shape, \$1.00 per doz at the Concrete.

Accident.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Andrew Savage, formerly of Patterson, but now of Woodstock, met with a serious accident to the back of his left hand while working the iron planer in the works of Patterson & Bro. Co. He is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

9 lbs Gold Dust Cornmeal for 25c., 6 lbs Tilson's Rolled Oats for 25c., 8 vds. Grey Cotton for 25c., 34 lbs New Currants for 25c., 34 lbs new best Raisins for 25c., 41 lbs good sugar for 25c., at the Concrete.

Fancy Drill.

The R. H. F. B. held their first 'drill lest Monday evening in the basement of the Masonic Hall. Quite a number of the firemen furned out and thoroughly enjoyed the exercise through which they were put by Drill Sergeaut Sheppard. Mr. Sheppard proves to be a very efficient sergeant and under his instructions the firemen will no doubt make rapid progress.

Presbyterian Church Thornhill.

The Presbyterian Church at Thorabill which has been closed for the past few weeks for internal improvements, costing about \$800, will be re-opened for Divine Worship on Sabbath next. In the afternoon at 2.30 o'cock, Mr. H. Atwood Percival, of Knox College will preach; and in the evening at 5.30 the pas r, Rev, W. Webb Percivel will occupy the nulpit. Collections on both occasions in aid of the building fund.

Salvation Army.

The Richmond Hill Branch of the Salvation Army has been boomed somewhat by the advent of new officers, and the desire to see the fair Captain and her Lieutenant. An occasional convert does reward their perseering efforts to do good. They do their duty faithfully by pavading regularly, but the curiosity of the past has greatly subsided so that their followers are few and their recruits less in numbers.

Automatic Gate.

The Automatic Gate seen at the residence of Councillor Savage is taking well with the public. Since our last issue Messrs. Savage, Nicholls & Trench have sold the right to make and manufacture the above gate in the townships of Etobicoke and York to Mr. Benj. Brillinger, the genial proprietor of the Dominion Hotel, Richmond Hill. Mr. Brillinger intends to canvas these townships as soon as possible, and have the gates erected under the sapervision of a first-class mechanic. They sell at sight.

R. T. of T.

The Election of Officers for the coming term, in the Richmond Hill Council R. T. of T., took place on Tueslay evening last and resulted as follows:-

S. C., Sister J. H. Sanderson. V. C., Sister H. H Wiley. Chap., Sister O. Currier. Sec., Dio. J. A. E. Switzer. Treas., Bio. A. J. Hume. Herald, Bro Bondy. Guard Sister S. Morgan. Senticel, Bro. T. Trench. Brother W. A. sanderson was re-elected trustee for the in-coming year.

Reform Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Vaughan Reform Association was held in the Town Hall, Vellore, on Monday, Dec. 3rd, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year :-

Tresident, J. P. Rupert : lat Vice-President, E. Whitmore; 2nd Vice-President, P. Devins; Secretary, D. McDonald.

Executive Committee : No. 1. -I, Reaman; No. 2.-M. Naughten; Vo. 3.-E. Wnitmore; No. 4. N. Kirby; No. 5 .- J. McKinnon; No. 6 .- J. McFayden; No. 7 .- H. Creighton; No. 8 .- S. J. Arnold.

Nominations.

The Markham Township Reform Asso- SMOKING TOBACCO nesday brought out a large number of farm- | cia ion met on Saturday and made the folowing nominations for the municipal elections :- Reeve, Authory Forster ; First Depmty, W. H. Lundy; Second Deputy, J. B. Gond; Third Deputy, Jonathan Slater; Councillor, Mr. Scott. Reeve Bruce retires after a long period of valuable services to the municipality. It is expected that Mr. Thos. Williamson, President of the East York Conservative Association, and an aspirant for the Conservative nomination for of our sidewalks and giving the failing flakes | the Commons, will oppose Mr. Forster for | the Reeveship. - Globe.

Christmas.

Some one wants to know "Whether we are to have sleighing on Christmas?" As Prof. Wiggins, with his calculating machine, has not been around to report on weather probabilities for the close of 1888, we cannot say, but we will allow our readers to draw their own conclusions from the records of the Meteorological Office in Toronto, which states that there has been sleighing only eight times on Christmas Day in thirty-four years, and that on fifteen out of the same number the ground has been bare of snow.

Exhibition.

The officers of the Methodist Sabbath School have secured the services of Mr. A. W. Struthers, of St. Thomas, with his Sciopticon Exhibition of the Life of Christ, to be held in the Methodist Church on Monday evening, Dec. 10th. The scenes compose all the principal events in the life of Christ, are life size, and pronounced by all who have seen them as exceedingly beautiful. In the large churches of Toronto, in Aurora and Newmarket the scenes have been patronized by crowded houses. They are beautiful, impressive and instructive. The proceeds are for the purchase of a new organ for the Sabbath School, the one in present use having "played out." Tickets: Adults, 20 cents; children, 10 cents. Tickets are for sale at Sanderson's Drug Store and at W. Atkinson's Concrete House.

BIRTHS.

Wallace-At Woodbridge, on Tuesday, the 4th of Dec., the wife of R. T. Wallace, of a son.

PERSONALS.

Mr. H. A. Nicholls spent a few days in Woodstock last week, having business with Patterson & Bro. Co. of that town.

Mr. H. A. Percival, of Knox College, Toronto, will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.

Mr. Robert Trench, of Brandon, accompanied by his father-in-law, Mr. Robert Raymond, are in the village at present. Mr. I'rench is buying up another car-load of horses for the North West.

The third page of the Toronto DAILY MAIL is noted for "Want" advertisement. If you want to buy or sell anything. If you want a situation, a mechanic, a business, machinery, ledgings, if you have lost or found anything, or if you want to find out where anyone is, advertise in the Toronto DAILY MAIL and read the adverrisements on the Third page of that paper. The charge is Two Cents a word each insertion. Address THE MAIL, Toronto, Canada.

Sale Register

FRIDAY, Dec 14-Credit Sale of Farm Stock and Implements, on lot 21, 1st Con. West York, the property of G. W. Irwin, Sale at one o'clock sharp. Salem Eckardt, Auctioneer. WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19th-Credit Sale of Farm Stock and Implements, on west end of lot 25, 4th Con. of Vaughan the property of John G W. Constable. Sale without reserve, to

commence at one o'clock. J. C. Stoker, Auctioneer. SAURDAY Dec. 15th-Sale of Standing Timber, mostly hardwood, on lot 13, 2nd Con. of Vaughan, the property of George Schell. Sale at 1 o'clock Salem Eckardt Auctioneer. Parties getting their bills printed at this office will receive a notice similar to the above

FREE OF CHARGE

If you want good crops cultivate the ground thoroughly, and yet another matter of as much importance is to cultivate the memory so that it will direct you with a certainty to the place where you can get the best and cheapest coal oil for the least money. To ensure that let the words Dilworth's Drug Store be firmly impressed on your mind, and don't you forget it, 170 King St. East, Toronto.

NEWS ITEMS.

The Dominion Parliament will open on the 31st of January.

The General Sessions of York County Court commenced on Tuesday.

The Irish Land Commission has reduc ed the rents on the Kenmare estates at

Killarney 50 per cent. Lieut. Col. Onimet has resigned his position as Commandant of the 65th Battalion.

Mrs. John H. Stewart was fined \$75 and costs yesterday for posing as a faith

The Pope has appointed the 31st of December as a day of general thanksgiving in Roman Catholic Churches.

An innocent woman was shot dead by a policeman in Chicago on Sunday might, the fetal bullet being intended for a petty thief.

The town of Chatham carried a By-law last week granting a bonus of \$40,000 'to the C. P. R., to run their line through that town.

Cough ! Cough ! Cough ! Stop that cough ! I can't get any rest at all. Are you asleep, David? Yes, father! bring me another cold tatie. Quince Cough Cure will certainly cure any form of cold No house should be without it. issing Hotel, King St. East, Toronto. Only 25 cents.

THIS YEAR'S

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FINER THAN EVER.



In Brouze on each Ping and Package.

Storming The Gibraltar Of High Prices.

Bringing up reinforcements and carrying the stronghold by storm. A devastating cyclone in the Clothing Trade hurling on the market at Slaughter Prices. \$50,000 worth of Overcoats. A great plum picked up by

Gough, The Wonderful Cheap Man,

AT 60 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.

THE WAR CLOUD BUSTED,

And busted, smashed, shattered and pulverized are the bubbles thrown out to gull the public. There you have it, ye sons of the country! Fortune never threw into your grasp a bigger or more succulent plum. The whirligig of time never brought to your doors a more brilliant, sparkling, glittering corruscation of dazzling bargains, showered out with lavish profusion. Will you flock to pick them up? Of course you will. You can't help it; we know it, you know it, and the whole world knows it, and that's the reason we sound the trump of a Gigantic Overcoat Slaughter Sale that will eclipse and smother into hopeless mediocrity any effort ever made in Canada. Read ahead, and it you want to practice economy ponder the facts well. Think as you read, and read as you think. Listen, ye waiting thousands, to the thundering reverberations of the whooping dynamite charges that are blowing high prices to smithereens.

At 60 Cents on the Dollar we offer this immense stock, fresh from the looms, comprising Men's, Boys', and Children's Overcoats of every description and style. This GIGANTIC SLAUGHTER SALE Commences

SATURDAY MORNING, Nov. 24th,

When the doors will be thrown open, when the bargains at hand for every buyer will electrify the public and terrify other dealers, and carry the solid, adamantine conviction to every mind in the country that what Gough, the Wonderful Cheap Man, preaches he practices, and hews to the line, let the chips fall where they may. Ask for Gough's, and be sure of the place.

128 KING STREET EAST

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ISAAC CROSBY,

Having resolved to retire from bus-Sold at Dilworth's Drug Store, next Nip- iness, takes this means of showing his gratitude to his numerous friends and patrons by offering his large and attractive stock of Dry Goods and Crockery at cost, commencing on

DECEMBER 1ST,

And continuing for Thirty Days.

His stock of GROCERIES will be kept well assorted during that time, and will be sold at the closest cash price.