

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, Thursday, Jan. 10, '89

WOUNDED FEELINGS.

The Evening Telegram quite frequently makes itself ridiculous in the eyes of its readers by its stupid and unwarranted attacks on the York County Council. Nor does it even pretend to give a sound reason for its empty ravings. When the periodic spasms come on, it rants and fumes almost indiscriminately against the members, but fortunately its words are like arrows shot up into the air at no mark, and consequently produce no effect.

As a fault-finder the York Herald is even of a worse stripe, as its random shots are generally directed against the citizens of its own municipality, and more particularly against the School Board and school surroundings. Instead of assisting in building up and sustaining our village institutions, its chief aim seems to be in pulling down, and spreading discord where the best of harmony formerly existed. Even the commonest courtesies pertaining to journalism are unknown to it. For our part we do not object to a fair criticism of our articles by our neighboring contemporaries. In fact such is to be expected, as it must not be presumed that all newspapers will hold the same views on various subjects. To criticise our articles the Herald never attempts, but it is ever on the defensive and seems to think it is humiliating not to reply to a criticism, even if the reply is more absurd than the original. This is sheer nonsense, and the Herald should dispel the idea that to have the last word constitutes a victory over an opponent.

Two weeks ago we pointed out that our neighbor was inconsistent, inasmuch as although a few months previously it had advocated a salary of \$600 for the Principal of the Public School, it now showed gloomy forebodings of the future, owing to the trustees having engaged a teacher at as high a salary as \$500. For this we were subjected to a tirade of abuse last week, and were accused of "mis-quoting," of being "fallacious," and actually of "lying." To mis-quote is to quote incorrectly, and this we did not do. Our language was not clothed so as to mislead, and no reasonable person will accuse us of falsehood because we do not quote the Herald's articles in full. It complains that we did not give the condition on which the \$600 was to be paid, which was that the salary of the Head Master of the High School be reduced to \$800. Even now we repeat the statement with reluctance, as we dislike to let our readers know that a proposition to reduce the Head Master's salary \$200 has a single advocate. If the trustees expect to keep up the efficiency of the High School they show their wisdom by paying a liberal salary. And because they give a good salary in the High School would be a poor excuse for paying a small salary in the Public School.

As to the insinuation that the trustees did wrong in not appointing as Principal of the Public School the gentleman referred to in the Herald, the Liberal has never expressed an opinion. We agree with our cotem that he has proved himself to be a good teacher, at the same time we have every confidence that the rate-payers will receive full value for every cent of the promised \$500.

Cough! Cough! Cough! Cough! stop that cough! I can't get any rest at all. Are you asleep, David? Yes, father! bring me another cold tattie. Quince Cough Cure will certainly cure any form of cold. No house should be without it. Sold at Dilworth's Drug Store, next Nipissing Hotel, King St. East, Toronto. Only 25 cents.

Vaughan Returns.

Statement of votes polled in the township of Vaughan 7th January, 1889:—

| No. 1 | REEVE | | | | | | |
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| | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Malloy..... | 29 | 46 | 42 | 52 | 36 | 53 | 68-389 |
| McNeil..... | 44 | 34 | 38 | 75 | 84 | 63 | 25-392 |
| 2ND DEPUTY REEVE | | | | | | | |
| High..... | 45 | 57 | 43 | 82 | 39 | 62 | 47-440 |
| McClure..... | 32 | 24 | 37 | 44 | 87 | 58 | 42-351 |
| COUNCILLORS | | | | | | | |
| Arnold..... | 39 | 48 | 38 | 43 | 32 | 44 | 61-381 |
| Malloy..... | 32 | 22 | 36 | 80 | 66 | 74 | 20-353 |
| Wallace..... | 42 | 51 | 37 | 45 | 33 | 36 | 69-351 |
| Watson..... | 25 | 32 | 37 | 51 | 92 | 82 | 27-382 |

Victoria Square.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

To the Editor of THE LIBERAL:—
SIR,—Allow me through the columns of your paper to inform the public of a very pleasant evening spent in this vicinity on the 27th of December. Notwithstanding the very bad state of the roads and the darkness of the night a number of carriages, well-lighted with lanterns for the occasion, might have been seen passing through our town—carrying with them about thirty of the best and truest young men and women that ever graced the interior of any Sabbath school; the young men comprising part of the large junior Bible class, and were en route for their teacher's residence, on the 5th concession of Markham, to give him a grand surprise.

For some time past their teacher, Mr. George Love, has felt his inability to teach so large and interesting a class, and therefore thought of resigning at the close of the year. The members of his class took this opportunity of proving to him their unbounded confidence, not only in his Christian character, but were also well-pleased with him as a teacher. On arriving at their destination they were cordially received by their teacher and his wife, and soon took possession of their quiet little cottage, and at once entered on a somewhat lengthy programme by at once calling on Mr. W. H. Lever to occupy the chair, which he filled, with credit to himself and an honor to the class. After a few well-chosen remarks he called upon them for a Christmas greeting, which was well-rendered. Then followed the speech of the evening, by Mr. Ed. Forrester, in his usual pleasant manner. Space will not allow us to mention each one, but we cannot forget our old friends, Mrs. J. Forrester and Mrs. G. Brown, of Toronto, who were present and took part in the singing. At this stage of the meeting Mr. J. McDonald was called upon to read the following address, and the presentation was made by Mr. J. Forrester and T. Bowman:—

ADDRESS.
TO MR. GEORGE LOVE, Teacher.

Dear Friend and Teacher,—As a class do we to-night greet you with a unanimous feeling of love and good-will in our hearts, similar to that proclaimed by the Heavenly Host unto the shepherds, when they sang "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good-will toward men." Such is the feeling that you have fostered within us, and, oh! the joy and peace we have experienced, when with our whole hearts we have followed your kind teachings, which are not only set forth by precept but also by your daily walk and good example. You are also endeavoring to awaken our interests in the lessons by drawing out our opinions on the different questions put to us from time to time. But when we hear that you feel like resigning your post as teacher it causes us to reflect and ask, have we been unkind and disobedient? But reassured we are wholly satisfied with your efforts, and when the thought has been forced upon us that we may, in time, be separated, a feeling of grief has taken possession of us. Therefore we beg of you to accept this "Chair" as a small token of our esteem and regard. And now, in conclusion, we, one and all, wish you a Happy New Year, and hope that you, with your equally-esteemed partner, may long be spared to labor for the Master. Then, at last, we, as teachers and scholars, may meet in the sweet by-and-by, where we shall all sing the New Song.
Signed by the Class—W. H. Lever, Ed. Forrester, J. McDonald, G. McQuig, Ed. Hitchcock, C. Forrester, H. J. Brown, E. C. Dixon, F. Meek, J. Smith, T. Tran, R. Hopper, F. J. Bowman, B. Carver, W. McDonald, L. Stoutenburgh, R. McKenzie.
Victoria Square, Dec. 27th.

They then all joined in singing the New Song, after which Mr. Love made a very suitable reply, but said he was so completely surprised, and the beautiful present was so undeserved, that he scarcely knew what to say, but thanked them for the high appreciation of his services in bringing him so valuable a gift, and assured them that it was nothing that they had done that caused him to think of resigning, for they had always been very attentive and took great interest in the lessons and treated him in the very kindest manner possible, both in the class and out of it. His only reason for thinking of resigning was because he felt so deeply his inability to teach them, and thought them worthy of a better teacher. He again thanked them for the rich and beautiful chair, and assured them he would always have the deepest regard for each and all of them and that his greatest desire was that they might all so follow Christ here below that when life was over as teacher and scholars they might meet above and sing the New Song together. The Chair is a beautiful upholstered platform-rocker, worth about \$20. They then enjoyed themselves with singing and social chat, until a grand oyster-supper was prepared, which would tempt the appetite of the most-delicate. After this they amused themselves with games until a reasonable hour, when they brought the evening's enjoyment to a close by singing "What a gathering that will be" and calling on their teacher and Mr. G. Brown to close with prayer. They then all separated feeling that a profitable, as well as pleasant, time had been spent.

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GEO. TRENCH

TERMS CASH!

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