## N. R. R. TIME TABLE.

GOING NORTH.

| TORONTO. | Mail | Accom. | Ex. |
|---|---|---|---|
| City Hall | 8.10 | 12.55 | 5.10 |
| Union | 8.30 | 1.05 | 5.20 |
| Queen's Wharf | ... | ... | ..... |
| Parkdale | 8.40 | 1.15 | 5.30 |
| Davenport | 8.48 | 1.23 | 5.38 |
| ownsview | ..... | ... | 5.47 |
| Thornhill | 9.18 | ..... | 6.05 |
| RICHMOND HILL | 9.26 | 1.55 | 6.15 |
| King | 9.37 | ..... | 6.27 |
| Aurora | 9.55 | 2.22 | 6.42 |
| Newmarket | 10.05 | 2.30 | 6.52 |

GOING SOUTH.

| | Ex. | Accom. | Mail. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Newmarket | 8.25 | 11.15 | 6.28 |
| Aurora | 8.35 | 11.25 | 6.42 |
| King | 8.49 | 11.40 | 6.55 |
| RICHMOND HILL | 8.59 | 11.50 | 7.05 |
| Thornhill | 9.06 | ..... | 7.12 |
| Downsview | 9.22 | ..... | ..... |
| Davenport | 9.31 | 12.17 | 7.34 |
| Parkdale | 9.40 | 12.25 | 7.42 |
| TORONTO | | | |
| Queen's Wharf | ..... | ... | .. |
| Union | 9.50 | 12.35 | 7.52 |
| City Hall | 10.00 | 12.45 | 8.02 |

## PROCTOR'S STAGE LINE.

Connects with all trains, leaving the Palmer House Richmon 'Hill, as follows:

Mail & Express, North & South ..... 8.00 a. m.
Accommodation " " ..... 11.00
Express North ..... 5.15 p. m.
Mail South ..... 6.10 "

## 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, Dec. 21, '93


## LOCALS.

The rink opened on Monday evening with a large number of happy skaters.

Christmas is a splendid time to be merry over Atkinson & Switzer's bargains.

The Epworth League will give an "At Home" on Friday evening of this week.

Don't read O. J. Brown's new ad. this week.

Editorial and other matter crowded out this week owing to "write up" of the village.

Hand Sleighs cheap at C. Masons.

Court Richmond, A. O. F., meets to-morrow evening. Quarter Night and Election of Officers

The Christmas tide flows toward Atkinson & Switzer's.

### Caps Exchanged.

If the brother will return the Persian Lamb Cap which was taken by mistake from the Masonic Lodge Room on Monday evening he will get his own by calling on Mr. F. McConaghy.

An unequalled stock of Fruits, &c., at O. J. Brown's.

A Christmas Tree and Entertainment will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Friday evening, the 22nd of December, commencing at 7.30. The programme will consist of readings, recitations, songs, and dialogues. Those not members of the Sunday School will be charged an admission of 15 cents.

Skates, Straps and repairs at C. Mason's.

### A Happy New Year.

Anniversary sermons will be preached in the Methodist church, Victoria Square on Sunday, Dec. 31st, 1893, at 2.30 p. m. by Rev. G. Browne, of Maple, and at 7 p. m. by Rev. J. Vickery. On Monday, Jan. 2nd, a sumptuous dinner, consisting of Roast Fowl, &c., will be served from 4 to 7 p. m. After dinner a Lecure will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. German. Subject:—"Woman; The Conundrum of the Twentieeth Century." Music by the Victoria Square Church Choir. Admission, Dinner and Lecture, 30 cents; Children under 12 years, 20 cents. Lecture alone, 20 cents.

Call and see the new Ladies Blizzards and Leggings at Sivers'.

### In S. S. No. 4.

A Christmas Tree and Entertainment will be held in the school house of S. S. No. 4, Markham, on Friday, Dec. 22nd, 1893. A choice programme will be rendered by the following talent: The Misses Henrick and Miss M. Teasdale, of Headford; Miss Tena McKenzie, Mr. T. Peach, reciter, Mr. Geo. Sturmer, soloist, the Almira Quartette, and others. Music will be furnished by the Victoria Square Orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. H. J. Brown. After the entertainment Santa Claus will distribute the presents. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Doors open at 7.30; entertainment to commence at 8. Admission, adults 15 cents; children 10 cents. Proceeds in aid of school.

Dates, Figs, Nuts and Candies at lowest figures at the Concrete.

### The World's Fair.

A grand chance to visit The World's Fair will be afforded to the good people of Richmond Hill and vicinity a week from to-night, Thursday, 28th inst. To go to Chicago and see it would cost you about $40, but you can go down to Victoria Hall, Thornhill, on that evening and see the whole business for 20 cents. Mr. Robert Parker, of Toronto, will give the finest exhibition of new and colored effects by lime light ever shown. This will be the event of the season, so don't miss it or you will be sorry for it. The exhibition will commence at 8 o'clock, but you had better be in time if you want a seat, for there is sure to be a crush.

Latest make of skates, 60 cents a pair, C. Mason.

### Sherwood.

On Saturday evening, the 16th, a Literary Society was organized at the hall, Sherwood. Officers were elected, and twelve of Sherwood's citizens had their names put on the roll. After the officers were installed, a short debate was held. Mr. William Clark and the President, Mr. Silas Shunk, acted as captains, the latter winning the debate. The subject was "Which is the more useful to man, the Horse or the Cow?" Of course the cow won. On Friday evening the same captains will again lead their forces in investigating which is the more useful "Wood or Iron." Visitors are invited.—COM.

Skates, Acme, Columbus, and Star patterns, all at Toronto prices. C. Mason.

### A Merry Xmas to All.

A grand Entertainment and Xmas Tree, with Tea and Refreshments, will be held at the Methodist Church, Temperanceville, on Christmas evening, December 25th, 1893, in connection with the Sabbath School of that place. The programme will consist of recitations, dialogues, readings, singing, &c., by the scholars, and the tables will be loaded with all the inviting delicacies of the season. The different committees are determined to make the evening particularly enjoyable and pleasant. Come and bring your friends and be convinced. Tea served from 5 p. m.; entertainment to commence at 8. Admission, adults, 25 cents; children, 15 cents.

4 lbs. of fine Mixed Candies for 25 cents at O. J. Brown's

The Illustrated Buffalo Express is abroad in the village. It is a beautiful work of art, containing 24 pages of illustration, the latest news, and reading matter. The souvenir, the first of a series of holiday numbers contains splendid photographic views of the World's Fair. The Christmas and New Years numbers are to exceed it in variety, beauty and finish, the result of an amateur photographic contest. Only 5 cents each. Send in your orders early to Fred. Harrison, agent, Richmond Hill.

Lemons and Oranges finest quality and lowest price at the Concrete.

### Happy New Year.

The Methodist Young People of Thornhill purpose holding a first-class concert and oyster supper in the Methodist church, on the evening of Monday, January 1st, 1894. The entertainment will be given by Mr. Owen A. Smiley, the popular Humorist, Dramatic, Dialect and Character Elocutionist, Toronto; Mr. Walter Sparks, Baritone Soloist of St. Paul's church, Bloor street, Toronto; Miss Marion Scoley, Elocutionist, Toronto; Mr. A. Teasedale, Tenor Soloist, Toronto, and others. Supper served from 5 to 7.30. Tickets, Adults, 30 cts.; Children, 20 cts. Sunday School Anniversary Sermons on Sunday, Dec. 31st, 1893, by Alfred Day, Secretary of Ontario Sunday School Association. Subscription and Collection in aid of S. S.

21 lbs Extra Granulated Sugar for $100, 30 lbs good Yellow Sugar for $1.00 this week at the Concrete.

### Masonic.

The Masonic brethren of this section of country spent a pleasant evening in the Lodge Room here on Monday. R. W. Bro. Tait, D. D. G. M. paid an Official Visit, and was accompanied by W. Bro. W. P. Gundy, the District Secretary. Many other brethren ware also present from the lodges of Maple, Thornhill and Markham. An excellent banquet at the Dominion House, followed by the customary toasts and speeches, closed the proceedings of a thoroughly enjoyable evening. W. Bro. J. E. Clubine, the popular Master of Richmond Lodge, presided.

10 per cent. off all kinds of Crockery and Glassware at O. J. Brown's.

### S of S

At the last meeting of the Sons of Scotland there was a good attendance of the members and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The following was the programme: Lecture by Bro Dr Wilson, "The early races of Scotland;" Song by Bro Jas McKenzie, "Green grow the rushes"; Essay, by Bro Jno Innes on the Song of Auld Lang Syne; Reading by Bro Geo Sims; Song by Bro Geo Cowie, "Will ye no come Back Again"; Essay by Bro T Newton, "History of Dunbarton Castle"; Reading by Bro W Skeele, "A Trip to the World's Fair"; Song by Bro T Thomson, "Scots Wha Hae"; Reading by Bro G Cowie. Next meeting, Wednesday, 27th inst.

### Entertainment and Christmas Tree.

This merry night will be celebrated by the members and friends of the Zion Evangelical Lutheyan Sunday School, 4th Con. Vaughan, on Christmas night, December 25th, 1893. The entertainment will consist of Singing, Recitations, and Dialogues by the school, and also the following select outside talent: Miss Kate Beatty, Toronto; Mr. Henry Elgheinger, Toronto; Mr. Herman Herrington, Malvern; Mr. J. M. O'Brien, Laskay; Duets by Mrs Hall and Miss Delziel. Also a short address by Rev. E. F. Ritter, Buttonville. The pastor, Rev. J. Dunlap, M. A., will occupy the chair. Admission 25 cts; Children 15 cts. Doors open at 7, concert to commence at 7.30. Persons desiring to give presents to their friends will please leave them with the committee before hand.

There is a time for everything and the time to get Christmas gifts is now.—The place Atkinson & Switzer's.

### Curling.

The following rinks will compete for the Smith Medal, the last named being skip:

No. 1, T. Newton, P. G. Savage, Rev. J. Vickery, D. Boyle.

No. 2, J. M. Lawrence, Dr. Wilson, J. Brownlee, W. H. Pugsley.

No. 3, P. Bassingthwaite, T. F. McMahon, J. Mortson, Wm. Atkinson.

No. 4, R. Thompson, R. Moodie, C. McLean, J. Morgan.

No. 5, A. Moodie, J. Clubine, A. McLean, H. A. Nicholls.

No. 6, Geo. McDonald, T. Trench, W. T. Storey, W. D. Atkinson.

No. 7, J. W. Elliott, F. McConaghy, W. A. Sanderson, J. Palmer.

No. 8, N. Robertson, J. Sanderson, C. McConaghy, M. Boyle.

C. MCLEAN, Secretary.

It will be worth your while to read Hollinrake, Son & Co's. advt. in this issue. They are having a grand Holiday Sale. Reduced prices now at 123 King St., East Toronto.

### Christmas in the S. S.

The scholars of the Methodist Sabbath School intend having their annual Christmas gathering next Monday evening. Doors open at 9 o'clock. The scholars are preparing for the occasion the introduction of a Juvenile Operetta, "The Discovery of Santa Claus."

Opening, An Organ Recital.
Music, A Merry Christmas to all.
Invocation.
Opening Address, A Scene of Long Ago.
Music, The Shepherds in the field.
Music, The Wonderful Star.
Operetta, The Discovery of Santa Claus.
Music, A Santa Claus in every Home.
Recitation, You can't be a boy but once.
Distribution of Gifts by Santa Claus.
Music, Christmas Lessons.

The Sunday School Orchestra will entertain the audience with appropriate music at intervals. Admission, 10 cents.

### The Market a Success.

The first Weekly Market held in the Lorne Hall yesterday was a success in every particular. There was a large amount of produce for sale and nearly everything changed hands. The display was very creditable. Among the exhibits might be mentioned a turkey, the property of F. A. Marsh, weighing 23½ lbs, and a pair of dressed pigs, Tamworths, raised by Mr. E. H. Sisley, which weighed 995 lbs. The citizens attended the market in large numbers and anxiously bought up all the turkeys, geese and chickens that were for sale. The only produce not sold in the hall was some butter and eggs, and the butter that was sold brought the highest Toronto price, 24 cents. Both buyers and sellers seemed well satisfied with the first market day, and it is to be hoped that next Wednesday's and the following markets will be as successful as was the first. The following are those who took the prizes.—

Best display of Beef, 1st, H. F. Hopper.
" Hogs, 1st, E. H. Sisley; 2nd, W H Pugsley.
" Turkeys, 1st, J. Comisky 2nd, G Stephenson.
" Geese, 1st, J. Caisley, 2nd, H F Hopper.
" Ducks, 1st; Jno Savage; 2nd, Jacob Eyer.
" Chickens, 1st, F A Marsh, 2nd, F A Marsh.
" Turkey, F A Marsh.
" Goose, D Steele.
1 lb Roll Butter, 1st, Mrs Geo Love; 2nd, Edith Mortson.
Crock of Lard, 1st J Eyer; 2nd, W Cosgrove.

The trouble with the "Love of a Christmas Gift" is the "Hate of the bill," Atkinson & Switzer obviate that by making the bill small enough to please you.

### The Delineator.

The February issue of The Delineator is called the "Mid-Winter Number," and its contents are as instructive and entertaining as usual. The fashions displayed are handsome and becoming, and ladies who have not yet completed their winter wardrobes, cannot do better than follow the styles of this month. The wants of Misses, Girls and Little Folks are also fully considered. St Valentine is responsible for two novel diversions, one being a Valentine Tea, and the other A True-Love Card Party; while a third entertainment for the month is provided in A Poverty or Hard-Times Party. An article appropriare to the times is on Table and Bed Linen, and another equally seasonable is What to do for the Fair. In the Household Renovation series there is practical and valuable instruction on How to Upholster, and the paper on Child Life treats of the Higher Education of Girls. Physical Culture continues the subject of Physical Expressions of the Emotions; in Around the Tea-Table various interesting matters are discussed, and the third contribution on Things that Should be Left Unsaid will be of general service. The articles on Dress Fabrics, Trimmings and Millinery are invaluable to Dressmakers and Milliners, and that on Fur Rugs and Robes gives the latest information about these luxuries. Lovers of Knitting, Crochetting, Tatting and Netting will find much that is new in the papers on these subjects. A subscription to The Delineator is only One Dollar a year; Single Copies, 15 cents. Address orders to The Delineator Publishing Co., of Toronto (Ltd.), 33 Richmond street, West, Toronto, Ont.

A nice Neck Tie is always acceptable to a brother or some other young man at Christmas time. Ladies, the place to find these articles is Atkinson & Switzer's.

### Sale Register

FRIDAY, Dec. 22nd.—Auction sale, at Hughes' hotel, Thornhill, of a car load of fresh milch Cows and Springers; also a number of extra good Feeding Steers, and a few butchers' cattle, the property of Chas. Thompson. Sale at 1 p. m. Three months credit. Salem Eckardt, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, Dec. 28th—Monthly sale of stock at the Richardson House, Maple. Sale at 1 o'clock. J. T. Saigeon, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, Dec. 28th—Sale of dwelling and stable, in the Village of Maple, the property of the late Thomas Witty, sr., at the Richardson House, Maple. Terms, 10 per cent. of purchase on day of sale, and remainder in 30 days without interest. J. T. Saigeon, Auct.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 3rd—Credit sale of farm stock, implements and household furniture, on west half lot 68, 1st con. King, the property of Mrs. Rebecca Roberts. Sale without reserve. Sale at 12 o'clock noon. Terms 10 months. J. C. Stokes, auctioneer.

Christmas chimes ring out on the frosty air! Listen to their merry tone: Chime First—Come in! Come in! Come in to Atkinson & Switzer's; Chime Second—And see their Stock of Christmas Goods! Chime Third—Their assortment is the best in town! Chime Fourth—Their prices now are marked away down!

Chorus—Swing out, Ring out, Clang with all our might!

Call the people in to see the merry Christmas sight.

English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone, Sweeney, Stifles, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Throat, Coughs, etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. For sale by W. A. Sanderson.

3 Cans first-rate Salmon for 25 cents, at the Concrete.


IT LASTS TILL THE NEW YEAR DAWNS.

The Biggest Chance to fill their stockings

This is what you are looking for and it is

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# HOLIDAY GOODS

In rich profusion.

To make the season pleasant, to make the season possible for you to be happy,

You cannot enjoy the day if you keep thinking that you have gone beyond your means.

You needn't do that if you trade with us.

Because you can make your holiday fund which you have set aside in your mind as about the limit, buy a lot of pretty things at

## Atkinson & Switzer's

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—OF—

## DRESS GOODS

AT COST PRICE AT

# THE FIRE PROOF

Now is the time to get a

## GOOD DRESS CHEAP

As these goods are all new this fall,

## ISAAC CROSBY.

IMMENSE STOCK OF

# WINTER FOOT-WEAR

JUST ARRIVED AT

## ROBERT SIVERS'.

In men's Waterproof Felt Telescope boots, men's Felt Artic Buckled boots, men's Russet Felt boots, men's Long Felt Boots, half fox, four different grades of Lumbermen's Hose, four different kinds of men's Stockings, men's Hanover Standard Seamless Wool boots, men's Snow Flake Merino Wool boots. These goods have been carefully selected from the best manufacturers who excell in this particular line in the Dominion. Also an extensive stock of Ladies' Winter Foot Wear, Felt Lace boots, Felt Gaiters, Felt Slippers, Women's Skating boots, felt lined. A full stock of Rubber Goods. In men's Pure Gum Lumbermen's Rubbers, Muskoka Rubbers, men's Sandal Rubbers, Ladies' Storm Rubbers, Ladies' Croquet Rubbers, Ladies' Gipsy Rubbers, men's Overshoes in Snow Excluders, men's Plain Felt Overshoes, women's and children's Plain Overshoes. Ladies' Carnival Buttoned and Laced, Boys in all kinds. In boot and shoe leather goods we are showing an extensive stock of Long Boots in men's, boys', youths' and children's. Ladies' Fine Foot Wear in all the latest styles and patterns. For quality and price you will find these goods the cheapest in the market.

### ALSO IN STOCK

Men's and Women's Cork Soles and Blakey's Plates. Laces in Porpoise and Cordovan, Silk and Braid. Sabin's Beeswax Oil, Waterproof Oil, Glycerole Polish, Ladies' Buttons and Button Hooks, and Button Fasteners. Antoine's Paste Blacking. Trunks all sizes at wholesale prices.

Custom work a specialty, pegged and sewed. Repairing promptly and neatly done.