

New Advertisements.

The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, November 25, 1897.

Mr. O. A. Howland, Conservative candidate for Centre Toronto for a seat in the Dominion House, was in 1894 elected to the Ontario Legislature by a majority of 2,000. Aided by The Mail and the P. P. A., Mr. Howland received his large majority in Protestant Toronto on account of his declarations in favor of the abolition of the separate school system, and his apparently successful endeavor to show that Protestantism was in danger in this province. But where do we find him after his election? Mr. Thomas Crawford, Conservative member for West Toronto, moved a resolution disapproving of the coercion of Manitoba, and Mr. Howland voted against that resolution. Mr. Howland was ready to raise his voice in Ontario when there was no danger, but when Mr. Laurier took a bold stand declaring in favor of the separation of church and state in Manitoba, he was found on the side of the coercionists. To talk and to vote are two different things.

York County Council while in session last week did a wise thing in sanctioning a by-law authorizing High School Boards to charge a fee of \$1.00 to candidates presenting themselves at examinations for entrance to the High Schools. Such a by-law will have the effect of keeping many from writing, who have no reasonable hope of passing the examination successfully. School Boards are called upon to supply the stationery, and pay \$1.00 for examining each candidate's papers, therefore it is not unreasonable that those presenting themselves should pay a part of the expense. Those who feel themselves qualified to pass the examination, and who purpose attending High School will not complain at paying the proposed fee.

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Temperanceville

Successful services in connection with the opening of the new Methodist church were held here last Sunday. The services were conducted morning and evening by Rev. A. C. Courtice, editor of the Christian Guardian and addresses were delivered at the afternoon children's meeting by the pastor, Rev. Herbert Lee, and by Rev. W. Amos of Aurora. The church was crowded at every meeting, and the congregation responded liberally with good collections. The church is a beautiful structure, and the general expression of the public is that the contractors, Messrs. L. Innes & Sons of Richmond Hill, are worthy of the greatest praise for the manner in which they did their work.

A good time is expected in the afternoon and evening of Thanksgiving Day, when a dinner will be served, followed by an entertainment. The Richmond Hill Choir will furnish the music, and the following elocutionists, with other performers, will take part in the programme: Miss Kate Wallace, Willowdale; and Misses McNaughton and Ada Brown of Toronto. As the fare from Toronto and return by Metropolitan Railway is only 25 cents, a large number is expected by the 4 o'clock car.

Edgely

We are pleased to learn that Messrs. A. Whitmore and L. Locke, who were seriously ill, are now getting along nicely, and we hope to soon see them around again.

The Rev. Mr. Steckley preached in the Mennonite Church here last Sunday morning. It is possible that in future they will have an evening service also. It is not definitely decided yet.

Last Monday evening the S. School held a meeting to arrange for supplies for next year.

We understand revival services are soon to be commenced in the Methodist Church here.

The Rev. Mr. Stewart preached a very eloquent sermon here last Sunday from Luke viii, 18: "Take heed therefore how ye hear."

There was a slim attendance at the League last Friday evening. No one came to conduct the service consequently there was none. The weather was very unfavorable.

Willow Vale

Plowing was in operation again on Saturday. Farmers are very anxious for at least another week of open weather.

Mr. W. Wood had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse on Friday of last week. He went to the bush to get some skids to assist in moving a building, and, on returning, the horse slipped, falling on his head, killing him instantly.

Owing to the cold weather last week, Flanigan Bros. have postponed a part of the building of the stone foundation under Mr. Harman's barn until spring. Persons wishing a fine selection of art pictures, will do well to patronize F. Foster.

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The Thanksgiving turkey stuffed himself, unaware of the dire fate that awaited him.

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Thornhill

A meeting of the Methodist Sunday School officials was held on Thursday evening and arrangements made for a grand New Year's festival.

From all appearances a large gathering will meet the Ladies' Aid Society on Thanksgiving evening at the Methodist Church. Not only the turkey and ham treat is being looked forward to, but the Whyte Bros. and Miss Irene Lane are drawing cards.

The heifer ran into (and afterwards killed by the Pearson Bros.) by the electric car, was owned by Mr. Edward Langstaff of the Mineral Spring House.

A deputation from the Public Library Board waited on the Markham Township Council sitting at Unionville and presented the following petition:—We, the undersigned, having in view the intellectual advancement of the people of this part of the township, have taken the initiative in establishing a Public Library in the village of Thornhill, in accordance with the Act of Parliament in such cases made and provided. We find that after making every reasonable effort towards procuring funds, the amount at our disposal, even with the allowance made by the Provincial Government, will not be sufficient to procure a sufficient number of standard works; and we are resolved that so far as our influence extends none other than such works shall be admitted. We therefore pray your Honorable Body to make such a grant to the above object as may commend itself to your assembled wisdom, and we would venture to say that the more liberal the grant the more will commend itself to the people of this township. The deputation was most cordially received by the reeve (Mr. Scott) and members of the council, who expressed themselves fully in accord with the petition and promised an early reply to its prayer.

Efforts are being made to induce the Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen (whilst residing in Toronto) to pay a visit to Thornhill and formally open the Public Library and hold a reception.

Mr. Arthur Muldoon, who left here some three weeks since with a large and valuable lot of cattle, has safely arrived in England with the same.

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