

**New Advertisements.**

Wood and Slabs—W. R. Proctor.  
Strayed or Stolen—H. D. Gambell.  
Vaughan Council—J. M. Lawrence.  
Change—H. A. Jozier & Co.

**The Liberal.**

RICHMOND HILL, July 7, 1898

**THE WAR**

The Spanish-American war which for the past couple of months seemed to drag slowly along has at last become serious enough and thousands of lives have been lost in the engagements. Since last issue some terrific fighting has taken place. On Friday the United States forces commenced their attack on Santiago and there was heavy fighting during the day. By 1 o'clock on the following morning Gen. Shafter had carried the outer works of the city, but the number of dead and wounded was large, the casualties being about 1,000 on the American side. The fighting was afterwards forced, and the destruction of the Spanish fleet was complete. Cervera's entire squadron has been driven ashore and practically annihilated by Admiral Sampson's ships. Cervera with some 1,300 men were taken prisoners, whereas the Americans are said to have lost only one man.

For the sake of humanity it is to be hoped that the Spaniards will speedily sue for peace. They are no match for their powerful antagonists, and it is nothing short of madness on the part of the Spanish Government to prolong the war, and cause their brave soldiers to be slaughtered by the thousand. The Spaniards have never been accused of cowardice, and the one-sided contests of the past few weeks have proven that their old time bravery has not left them. The Spaniards are poorly equipped both on the land and on the water, and no one ever thought that they could compete with the forces of an up-to-date nation like the United States. They have vindicated the honor of their proud nation with their life blood which is all they can expect to do.

The Templar a weekly newspaper published at Hamilton in the interest of temperance and prohibition has ceased to exist, the reason given for its suspension being a lack of support. From a temperance standpoint its discontinuance at the present time just on the eve of the plebiscite is to be regretted. In order that subscribers, whose term of subscription was unexpired, may not have reason to complain, arrangements have been made to supply that well-known temperance paper, The New York Voice.

Notwithstanding the reduction made in the preferential tariff by the Dominion Government and the placing of binder twine and other commodities on the free list, the Customs Department will be able to show that the increase of imports this year over the preceding year will amount to about \$2,000,000. Canada is certainly in a prosperous condition.

AGENTS. Never before has the death of any man caused such profound sensation throughout the world as that of Mr. Gladstone, it is, therefore, a real luxury to canvass for the memorial edition of the "Life and Work of Mr. Gladstone," because the public is ripe for it, and the work will sell on sight. Big book; low prices; liberal terms; freight paid. Send 75 cents for prospectus, which we return with first order. BRADLEY-GARRETTSON Co., Limited, Toronto.

**PERSONALS.**

Miss Taylor, of Toronto, has been making a visit with Mrs. John Harris.  
Miss Louie Harrison spent the holiday in Toronto with her friend, Miss See.  
Miss M. Harrison, of the Fesserton Public School, is home for her holidays.  
Dr. Coulter, Deputy Post Master General, spent Saturday with his father here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellston are enjoying a trip across Lake Ontario to-day.

Mr. Warren Long, of Woodstock, spent Dominion Day with her aunt Mrs. J. Savage.

Mrs. A. E. Coombs is spending a few weeks with relatives and friends at Sandhill and Stanley Mills.

Mr. Wye. Trench who had been teaching at Cartier, arrived home on Saturday for the summer vacation.

Mrs. H. Le Francoise and daughter spent the Dominion holidays with her sister Mrs. J. Savage at "Sunny Hill Farm."

Miss McArthur of Cornwall, treasurer of the Ontario W. C. T. U., is spending a few days with Mrs. G. Wiley.

Mrs. (Dr.) Hutchison and Verna Hutchison have gone to spend a month with relatives and friends in London.

Mr. C. R. Storey, of Lowell, Mass., arrived Monday evening and will spend a couple of weeks with relatives and friends here.

Mr. Wm. E. S. Savage of "Sunny Hill Farm" spent Dominion Day and a few days following with relatives and friends in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Newton and Master Earle Newton spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Hamilton and returned on Monday.

Mr. J. E. Skeele, B. A., Principal of the Cayuga High School, spent Friday here, but returned to preside at the Departmental Examinations at Dunnville.

Mr. D. H. Nelson, District Councillor of the Royal Templars, and his coadjutor, Mr. G. Graham, visited the Council of R. T. of T. on Wednesday evening.

Mr. A. E. Coombs is conducting the Departmental examinations in Aurora this week. Mr. Mulloy Principal of the Aurora High school is occupying a similar position here.

Mr. Arthur Cook, furniture dealer, Woodstock, formerly of Patterson, spent a couple of days in the village the latter part of last week, and called on many old friends.

Mrs. Coates and Miss Coates, sister and niece respectively of Mr. J. Morrison are spending a few days with our esteemed townsman who we regret to say is not improving in health.

Mrs. J. A. E. Switzer with three of her daughters—Misses Ethel, Olive and Hazel—purpose starting for Grimsby Park to-morrow to spend the summer months in their cottage.

Mrs. Proctor attended the Dominion Alliance Convention in Toronto on Tuesday as a delegate from the local W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Wiley was present as a member of the Executive Council.

Mrs. N. Davis, of Toronto, is spending a couple of weeks with her mother, Mrs. Hewison. Mrs. T. Mapes also spent a few days at the same place and returned to the city on Saturday.

Mrs. A. J. Hume and little daughter, Miss Winnifred, went to Tomawanda, N. Y., on Saturday to spend a few weeks with friends there. Mr. Warren Hewison who accompanied them returned Monday evening.

Mr. C. McLean who was injured some time ago by coming in contact with a bicycle, and who underwent an operation in the hospital, was in the village on Tuesday. He has almost recovered and expected to start work again yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Richardson of Whitechurch spent Sunday with Mr. T. F. McMahon. They were accompanied home by Nora McMahon who will spend a few weeks with her aunt Mrs. Richardson, and with her cousin, Mrs. D. Lepard, Newmarket.

Mr. Furlong one of the teachers in the Markham High School spent a few days this week with his sister Mrs. John Innes. Mr. Furlong goes next week to Toronto as an examiner of the papers in connection with the Departmental Examinations.

Mr. M. Teefy started Tuesday evening for Orillia to spend a week with his daughter, Mrs. J. Mulcahy, and family. Mr. Teefy stopped at Barrie on his way and attended the Silver Jubilee of Very Rev. Dean Egan, it being the 25th year of the latter's service in the priesthood.

Rev. E. G. Dymond, L. Th., Incumbent of King City and Maple will take the English Church services at Oak Ridges and Richmond Hill next Sunday. Mr. Steacy will take the services at King and Maple. Celebration of the Holy Communion at Oak Ridges after Church, Sunday morning.

**News Notes.**

Ed. Jackson's Dick French won the 220 trot at Brantford on Dominion Day. Fastest heat 2.22.

Atkinson & Switzer are just a step ahead of others in quality and price.

In the Senior Lacrosse League on Dominion Day the Toronto's defeated the Shamrocks by a score of 8 games to 4.

Snappy bargains for shrewd buyers this week. Atkinson & Switzer.

Thomas Sanderson the well-known Inspector of the Confederation Life Association died at his home in Toronto on the first of July.

English Malt Vinegar, Proof Vinegar and Extra Pickling Vinegar. Extra Pickling selling at the same figure as is usually charged for ordinary White wine Vinegar. Atkinson & Switzer.

Excursion rates on all lines of clothing. Atkinson & Switzer.

Two young men from Toronto were caught in the storm on Sunday afternoon and were drowned in the lake. The same fate befel three young men from Hamilton.

Prices have been sent on their vacation. See us while they are absent. Atkinson & Switzer.

Mr. Geo. Birrell son of Mr. D. B. Birrell of York Mills, secured the medal for lithography given at the recent art examinations for Ontario.

Seven Bars Trilby Soap for 25 cts.; 6 Bars Star Laundry for 25 cts.; three 2 1/2 lb. Bars good Soap for 25c. Atkinson & Switzer.

Gaudaur, the Orillia oarsman, defeated Johnston in a boat race on Monday by four lengths. The race was rowed in Vancouver, B. C.

Good Factory Cotton 2 1/2c. per yd.; Extra Heavy 4 and 5 cents per yard; Selesia Lining, 8 cts. per yd. Atkinson & Switzer.

The estimate of the loss of the Spanish in Saturday's sea fight is six ships, 300 men killed, 150 wounded and 1,800 prisoners. The Spanish prisoners will be sent to New York on the St. Louis.

Fruit Jars, Quarts, wine measure, 60 cts. per doz.; 1/2 Gallons, 85c. a doz.; Quarts Imperial, 65 per doz. Atkinson & Switzer.

The Markham Lacrosse team defeated the Mimico Stars on the grounds of the former on Friday by 8 to 2. On the same day Scouffville succumbed to Aurora by 6 to 0.

A fire broke out in Toronto early Tuesday morning destroying the factory of the Gale Manufacturing Co., and partially destroying the Cowan-Ramsay Co. building next door. Loss \$100,000.

Jar Rubbers, Pickling Spices, viz., whole Mixed Spices, Tamevic, Curry Powder, Celery Seed, Mustard Seed, &c. Atkinson & Switzer.

The greatest marine disaster of modern times has to be chronicled this morning. Between 500 and 600 people went down to their death in the Atlantic in the early morning of July 4. The French line steamer LaBourgonne, steaming at the rate of 17 knots an hour, crashed into the British steamer Cromartshire, off Cape Sable, and shortly after the collision, sank.

The best quality Canadian Granulated and Yellow Sugars selling at very close prices. Atkinson & Switzer.

Mr. B. E. Beebe of Stouffville, is offering a reward of \$10 for his bicycle which was stolen on Sunday, July 3rd. It is a New Standard 1898 make, No. H. 1885, 24 inch frame, 72 gear, drop steel handle bars, McKinnon chain, with letter "M" stamped on each side-plate, made by R. A. McCreedy, Toronto. Address all communications to T. J. Dougall, County Constable, Stouffville.

**LOST**

On Sunday, June 26th, a pair of Gold Rimmed Spectacles, in plush case, between Mrs. Vanderburg's gate, 2nd con. Vaughan, and Richmond Hill by the Mill Road.

The finder will please leave the same at 53-2 THE LIBERAL OFFICE

**STRAYED**

Came to the premises of the undersigned, Thornhill station, on or about the 14th of June, 1898, a small pig.

The owner may have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

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B	25 to 30	25c	50c	75c	1.10	1.65
C	30 to 35	30c	60c	90c	1.20	1.80
D	35 to 40	35c	70c	\$1.05	1.35	2.00
E	40 to 45	40c	80c	\$1.15	1.50	2.25
F	45 to 50	45c	90c	1.25	1.70	2.55
G	50 to 55	50c	\$1.00	1.50	2.00	3.00
H	55 to 60	60c	1.25	1.85	2.50	3.75

J. H. SANDERSON, J. A. E. SWITZER, Select Councillor, Financial Secy

**Vaughan Council.**

The next meeting of the Council of the Municipality of Vaughan will be held in the Town Hall, Vellore, on

TUESDAY, JULY 12, 1898,

at 1 p. m.

J. M. LAWRENCE, Clerk.

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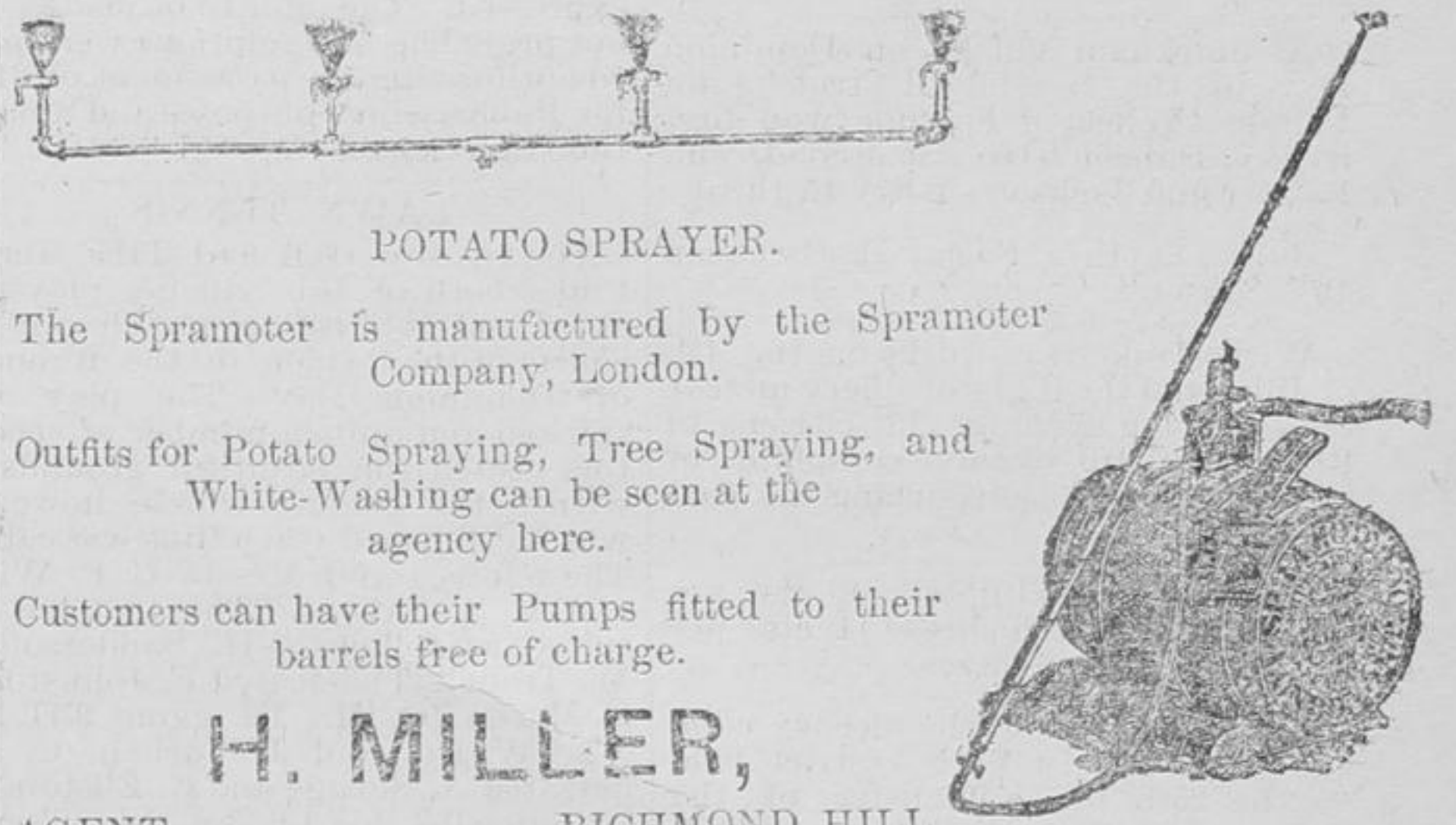
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