

New Advertisements.

The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, July 28, 1898

The Mail and Empire sarcastically says: "It is on binder twine where Mr. Fielding shines. He slashed at the duty so as to give the farmer cheap twine, and the price is doubled." The Mail's insinuation is that the price of binder twine has been raised in consequence of the Dominion Government's action in taking off the duty. Nothing could be farther from the truth. The removal of the duty could not possibly raise the price. The rise in the price of twine is not confined to Canada. The United States has the same experience. The rise is in a great measure due to a scarcity of Manilla owing to the hostilities in the Philippine Island. Besides this the speculators have been able to corner a large part of the raw material used in the manufacture of twine, but it is plainly to be seen that the cornering would have been easier in this country had the duty been left as heretofore. Farmers know well that the price of binder twine is high, but they are not foolish enough to believe that this has been brought about by the removal of the duty.

The Globe of yesterday contained an editorial which strongly favored the establishment of another sanitarium for consumptives, as proposed by the Canadian Practitioner and the Canadian Medical Review. The article proposes "an elevated site near one of the trolley lines which run out of the city." The promoters to secure "a small farm in some elevated sunny locality as free from fogs and dampness as possible," and to be "within easy access of Toronto. As Richmond Hill would just fill the bill, and is some six hundred feet above Lake Ontario we would not be surprised if the promoters looked up a site in the immediate vicinity. The Arnold farm part of which is inside the corporation would no doubt answer every requirement.

The appointment of the Earl of Minto as the successor of Lord Aberdeen as Governor General of Canada seems to give universal satisfaction. The new appointee is well and favorably known at Ottawa as he spent two or three years at Rideau Hall as Military Secretary to Lord Lansdowne. The Earl of Minto also served in the Riel rebellion in 1885, and took a prominent part in the organization of the Canadian voyageurs who assisted General Gordon in the difficult ascent of the river Nile.

It is to be hoped that the commissioners who are to meet in Quebec to readjust the relations between Great Britain and Canada and United States will be attended with success. The feeling between Canada and the United States is better than it has been for years, and the same may be said of the relations between the mother country and the republic to the south of us. Matters relating to transportation, the coasting laws, the deepening of canals, and perhaps reciprocity in tariffs will likely be taken up at the conference.

The French Ambassador, on behalf of the Government of Spain, and by direction of the Spanish Minister of Foreign Affairs, presented to President McKinley Tuesday afternoon at the White House, Washington, a message from the Spanish Government looking to the termination of the war and the settlement of terms of peace.

The firm of Peterson, Tait & Co. will have to forfeit their deposit of £10,000 as they do not seem to be able to carry out their contract with the Dominion Government with reference to the fast Atlantic service.

A Little One-Sided.

To the Editor of THE LIBERAL

SIR,—Could you explain how it is that the citizens of Toronto get a bi-weekly excursion rate to Richmond Hill while the citizens of this village and vicinity get the cheap rate but once a week and then at an hour which is practically useless. Surely we are entitled to fully as many concessions as visitors from Toronto and I cannot but think were proper representations made to Mr. Moyes, the manager, he would see the justice of the claim, and grant us the same privileges as Toronto enjoys. They have several cars at different hours twice a week while we have but one at the late hour of 4 o'clock once a week. I said we have a car once a week at 4 p.m. but the travelling public are not sure of that. The excursions from Toronto are advertised regularly, but not a word can be seen in print about the car from this end of the line, and people from the north are continually making inquiries about the rates and hours of running. Why should a person starting from Toronto ride to the Hill and back for twenty-five cents while one starting from here and returning should pay 55 cents, or why should the Toronto traveller be able to ride to the city for twelve and a half cents while a single ticket to Toronto would cost a citizen here thirty-five cents. Have we a council in this village or is the village running itself?

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A Good Suggestion.

To the Editor of THE LIBERAL

SIR,—Some ten years ago there appeared in your paper a number of letters under the heading of Richmond Hill and vicinity, written by Mr. Wm. Harrison. I have often wondered why those letters were not published in book form. Interesting they certainly were, while the information which they contained was most valuable. It seems to me that a large number of the citizens of Richmond Hill ought to be interested in "The Haunted House," "The Mud Buildings," "Our Incorporation," "Our Schools," "The French Refugees," "Our First Newspaper," and about fifty other sketches of early history of the village and its pioneers. These letters contain information if lost will never be recovered as nearly all the early settlers have passed away. To form an association which might publish sketches in book form would not be a very costly undertaking and you would thus preserve for your libraries and your children a local history which will never lose its interest.

Who will suggest a workable plan to get at this?

Yours etc.,
E. A. JAMES.

Langstaff, July 27th, 1898.

Overlooked.

To the Editor of THE LIBERAL

SIR,—By an oversight the following resolution passed at Teachers' meeting of the Methodist Sabbath School held on July 20th was not forwarded to THE LIBERAL.

Moved by Dr. Hutchison seconded by Mr. J. A. E. Switzer that the thanks of the officers and teachers of the Methodist Sabbath School are hereby tendered to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sanderson for the use of their beautiful lawn and lively gramophone and to the Band for their excellent entertainment at the Garden Party held on the 19th inst.

F. W. HARRISON, Sec.

Richmond Hill, July 27th, 1898.

War Notes.

News from Shafter says that he is furnishing rations to 4,000 distressed Spanish prisoners and 16,000 sick in the hospital.

Carlists are reported as receiving supplies of arms and ammunition through the mountain passes of Spain's frontier.

The Spanish Minister of Public Instruction states that peace honorable to the Spanish arms will shortly be concluded.

Reports of a naval victory at Manzanillo with the destruction of seven or eight Spanish vessels have been received in Washington from Commander Todd.

Gen Blanco has issued an address to his army, in which after announcing the reverse at Santiago he expresses confidence in the ultimate success of the Spanish arms.

Garcia, the Cuban General, is disbanding his army and instructing his men to return to their farms.

The American losses at Santiago numbered 231 killed, 1,284 wounded and 81 missing, according to Gen. Shafter's official report.

Just to hand at Atkinson & Switzer's the British Invoice of a large consignment of Dry Goods ex. s. state of Nebraska from Glasgow.

News Notes.

We keep in stock only the best pure spices and best quality of Vinegars and both Malt and Pickling. Atkinson & Switzer.

Thomas McGuire, fifty-five years of age who had been employed as porter at the York hotel, King and George Streets, Toronto, died suddenly on Saturday evening. He had been drinking heavily a few days before his death.

We will sell you a bill of Dry Goods and groceries as cheap as any Departmental Store in the Province if you give us a fair trial consider quality and reckon time and expense in getting to those stores. Atkinson & Switzer.

Three burglaries have recently been reported in the village of Woodbridge. The Mimico Post Office has also been broken into. The county constabulary are after the offenders and arrests are expected.

The best Fruit Jars, wine Quarts, 58 cts. per dozen; $\frac{1}{2}$ Gallon 85 cts. a doz.; Imperial Quarts 63 cts. per doz; Squat Shape 55 cts. doz.; Jar Rubbers 8 cts. doz. Atkinson & Switzer.

The will of the late Robert Simpson, of the departmental store, has been probated. The net value of the estate amounts to over \$300,000. The bulk of the estate is left to the widow of deceased, and a daughter, Mrs. Hamilton Merritt.

Heavy Seamless Cotton Grain Bags full size \$1.72 per dozen; Men's heavy Moleskin pants 87 cents per pair. Atkinson & Switzer.

Mr. H. H. Dewart, County Crown Attorney, is investigating a charge made by Arthur Knox that the death of his son, who was killed by a fall from a train at Locust Hill on June 12th, was caused by his being pushed off by the train hands. The case was investigated at the time of the fatality but the father is not yet satisfied.

Six Bars Comfort Soap for 25 cents; 6 Bars Star Laundry for 25 cents; 6 Bars Ammonia Electric Soap for 25 cents; 6 Bars Dingman's Electric Soap for 25 cents; 7 Bars Telephone Soap for 25 cents. Atkinson & Switzer.

The Canadian Press Association will run an excursion to Port Arthur, Duluth, and Mackinac, leaving Collingwood on the 18th of August. The round trip will occupy nine days and the steamer chosen is the Majestic of the Great Northern Transit line. Special rates have been secured from the G. T. B. and the steamboat company.

Best quality Black or White Cotton Spools two for five cents; Sil cotton 6 cents; Belding's sewing silks 5 cents; Ladies' Pearl Blouse Sets, 25c.; Belt Pins 5, 8 and 10 cts. each. Atkinson & Switzer.

The Board of County Commissioners met on Saturday in County Clerk Ramsden's office. The tenders for the Summerville bridge between York and Peel counties, were opened, and the stone work was let to W. G. Cangdon of Streetsville. The Cleveland Bridge Company secured the contract for the steel work, at a cost of \$1,180.

Ladies' wrappers, heavy fall costume goods, fast colors, strongly lined \$1.20 each; Tweed Costume Goods, 12c. cents per yard. Atkinson & Switzer.

At a meeting of the York County Commissioners it was decided not to assist the Village of Markham in building the bridge that crosses the Rouge River southeast of the village. Several years ago the main road leading to Markham was abandoned below the bridge on account of bad natural conditions. The village then ran a new road to the west and established a bridge there. They now want a road to the east as well, but the Commissioners think they should be content with what they have got.

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