

New Advertisements.

The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, August 25, 1898

"The North American Hotel at Newmarket has been cut off by the License Commissioners of the town and the inspector." There were no complaints against the hotel and the action has raised a flurry in the town. The owners of the property, all well on in years, are left without income. For years the hotel has been the headquarters on market day. There is not at present accommodation in the town for them when they arrive with their produce. The feeling of intense indignation is sweeping over the entire county, irrespective of party, creed or principle. Temperance men speak as strongly as the farmers. Stories of boodles are freely circulated—a \$500 deal—who was the man from St. Catharines? The question is assuming a political significance.

The World of Monday has a two column article in which it is alleged (without any proof) that the whole countryside is indignant over the action of the commissioners in cutting off a license in the town of Newmarket. The above quotation is a fair sample of the whole article. The fact of the matter is, the commissioners were forced by law to cut off one hotel, and it may easily be imagined that to do so and give satisfaction to everybody would be a difficult task. The public will take little stock in the insinuation about "boodles" when they know that the commissioners are Messrs. Eugene Cane, C. C. Webb and John Yates.

Would The World be good enough to suggest which hotel should be cut off.

The Globe and The Mail have been endeavoring to boom an international exhibition to be held in Toronto in 1901. The World has declared itself in opposition to the proposition, and in its leading editorial on Monday says:—The Globe's proposal for a pyrotechnic display in that year is the outcome of a desire to make capital for Sir Wilfrid Laurier when he and his party are called upon to give an account of their stewardship." The World does not say why The Mail takes the same ground as The Globe on the subject.

Is this what Mr. W. F. Maclean M. P., calls honest journalism?

Winter Wheat.

LEADING VARIETIES SUCCESSFULLY TESTED IN 1898 ON 191 ONTARIO FARMS.

One million acres of winter wheat will likely be sown in Ontario within the next three months. As the variety sown has a marked influence upon both the quality and the quantity of the crop produced, it is very important that the very best kinds be used. An increase in yield of one bushel of winter wheat per acre means a total increase of one million bushels for the province. The average annual yield of winter wheat per acre in Ontario for the past five years is about twenty-seven per cent lower than that of Great Britain and Ireland and about thirty-one per cent higher than that of any of the winter wheat growing States of the American Union. The aim of Ontario should be to approach the record of the former rather than that of the latter. The average yield of winter wheat in Ontario for the eight years ending with 1898 is 21.6 bushels per acre, and that for the eight years ending with 1890 was 18.5 bushels per acre. Hence the change in average yield of winter wheat per acre in Ontario is moving in the right direction.

The growing of this important crop has received a good deal of attention in the Experimental Department of the Ontario Agricultural College with in the past ten years. Varieties obtained from the United States, England, Germany, France and Russia are being carefully tested along with those secured from the wheat growing sections of Canada. After the varieties have been carefully tested in the experimental plots at the College in each of five years, the leading kinds are selected for co-operative experiments throughout Ontario. It has been found that the varieties which have given the best average results in the experiments conducted at the College for a few years in succession have nearly always given good satisfaction on the farms of the province.

Seven varieties of winter wheat were sent out for co-operative experi-

ments in the autumn of 1897. These were divided into three sets, with three varieties in each set; the Dawson's Golden Chaff being used in all the sets as a basis by which the results of all the varieties could be compared with one another. We have received 191 full and satisfactory reports of carefully conducted winter wheat experiments for 1898.

The following table gives the comparative yield of straw and grain per acre of the varieties of winter wheat tested in 1898 on 191 farms:

	Straw per acre. (Tons)	Grain per acre. (Bush)
Dawson's Golden Chas...	1.8	30.6
Imperial Amber.....	1.0	29.3
Early Genesee Giant.....	1.7	28.2
New Columbia.....	1.7	27.5
Early Red Clawson.....	1.7	26.9
Pride of Genesee.....	1.5	25.5
Poole.....	1.5	24.6

This table should be of great value to the wheat growers of Ontario, as none except the 191 good reports are included in the summary. Much credit is due to the careful experimenters who sent us the reports of the tests made on their farm.

C. A. ZAVITZ,
Experimentalist.
Agricultural College, Guelph,
Aug. 20th, 1898.

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Markham Council.

Council met at Unionville, August 16th, at 11 a. m., all members being present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Dimma—Eckardt—that the Reeve be commissioner to open ditch in side-road, between lots 20 and 21, concession 9; also to repair culvert opposite lot 10, concession 10, amount payable to order of commissioner when the work is completed.—Carried.

Quantz—Dimma—that the treasurer be authorized to pay the following accounts:—D. G. Harrington, 5996 ft. of pine plank at \$13.50 per M, \$80.82; D. G. Harrington, 870 feet cedar plank at \$12 per M, 10.44; D. G. Harrington, 24 cedar posts at 12 cts. each, \$2.88; Total \$93.84.—Carried.

Dimma—Eckardt—that the treasurer be authorized to pay the following gravel accounts:—Ab. Raymer, 40 yds. at 10 cts., A. Smith R. O., \$4.00; Alex Russell, 55 yards at 10 cts., Jno. Patterson R. O., \$5.50; Jno. Horsley, 25 yds. at 10 cts., Jno. Patterson R. O., \$2.50; P. & M. Nighswander, 3 yds at 8 cts., Jas. Lawrie Com. \$8.88, and right of way \$1, Total \$9.88.—Carried.

Quantz—Eckardt—that the following members of the Council are hereby appointed a committee to attend the Industrial Exhibition at Toronto for the purpose of examining into the merits of the several stone crushers, with a view to the purchase of one for the use of this Municipality, and report at next meeting, viz; Lawrie, Dimma and Quantz.—Carried.

Quantz—Dimma—that when this Council adjourns it stands adjourned until Sept 20th.—Carried.

Eckardt—Quantz—that the treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the following accounts:—John Harper, 1 day's work with team and two men, Hector Patterson R. O., \$2.50; Wm. Frisby putting in culvert on road div. 35, lots 5 and 6, concession 5, Robt. French R. O. \$8.50; Geo Coakwell, for right of way across his farm, hauling gravel from W. R. Barton's pit for road div. No 79 John French R. O., \$3; Corson & Son 200 voter's lists, 124 pages at 75 cts per page, \$92; Corson & Son advertising posting of Voters' List, \$6.72; Tilman Raymer, drawing pipe and putting in culvert opposite lot 13, con. 9, certified by J. Lawrie, \$2.50; Wm. McNeily, drawing plank replacing culvert between lots 25 and 26, concession 7, certified to by J. Lawrie, \$1.—Carried.

Quantz—Dimma—that the Clerk is hereby authorized to fill School requisitions in By-law No. 502, caused by negligence of the trustees in not forwarding necessary papers.—Carried.

Eckardt—Dimma—that Mr. Quantz and the mover be commissioners to examine and repair the following bridges opposite lot 9, con 5; lot, concession 4; lots 10 and 11, concession 6; the amount payable on order of commissioners when the work is completed.—Carried.

Mr. Dimma asked leave to introduce a By-law to assess and levy rate for County, Township and School purposes for 1898. Leave granted. By-law was then read the first and second time. The Council then resolved itself into Committee of the whole thereon. Mr. Eckardt in the chair. The Committee rose and reported By law with blanks filled.

Council resumed. The By-law was then read a third time and past, and the Reeve authorized to sign same, and have the seal of the corporation attached thereto. Mr. Quantz asked permission to introduce a By-law to appoint collectors for 1898. Leave granted. The By-law was then read first and second time, and Council resolved itself into a Committee of the whole. Mr. Dimma in the chair. Committee rose and reported By-law with blanks filled. Council resumed. The By-law was read a third time and passed, and the Reeve authorized to sign same and have the seal of the Corporation attached thereto. On motion the Council adjourned.

PERSONALS.

Miss Jakeway of Toronto spent a few days this week with Mrs. F. Wiley.

Miss Ethel Wiley is spending the week at Aurora, the guest of Mrs. F. H. Mears.

Miss Hattie Linford has returned after a visit in Woodville for several months.

Mr. G. Moodie, of Toronto, is spending his ten days holidays at his old home here.

Miss Kyle and Miss Gertrude Kyle of Toronto, are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. G. Wiley.

Rev. and Mrs. McCulloch went to Barrie to-day to spend a few days with friends in that town.

Mrs. B. F. Montgomery of Silver Creek, N. Y., is making a visit with her sister, Mrs. Isaac Crosby.

Mr. J. C. Quere, the popular conductor of the 12th Battalion Band of Aurora, was in town on Wednesday.

Aurora Banner—Miss Wilkie Newton of Richmond Hill spent a few days with Mrs. James Reynolds last week.

Miss May Lillie has returned home after spending two weeks of her holidays at Toronto, Hamilton and Oakville.

Misses Maggie and Florence Moodie have gone to Seaford and St. Mary's to spend three weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. Walter Maclean, teacher in the Blind Institute at Brantford, spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Marsh, last week.

Mr. Switzer and Miss Switzer went to Grimsby Park on Saturday, the former returning on Monday and the latter on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Shepherd attended the Massey-Harris excursion to Niagara Falls on Saturday and returned Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lawrence went to Toronto yesterday to spend a couple of weeks with their son, Mr. A. G. F. Lawrence and family.

Mr. W. R. Proctor and Mr. W. Meek started for Welland Tuesday evening to be in time for the second day's races on the following day.

Mr. H. F. Hopper went to Port Perry on Saturday, where Mrs. Porter is now visiting. They purpose visiting at Lindsay before their return home.

Miss L. Sheppard returned the beginning of the week after visiting friends in Holland Landing, Jackson's Point and De Grassi Point, Lake Simcoe.

Mr. Oscar Lloyd of Cordela, Georgia, who has been making a visit with his father, Mr. Thos. Lloyd, in Aurora, spent a day with his aunt, Mrs. I. Crosby.

Mr. J. M. Letchie of Davisville, county manager of The Leader and Recorder, was in the village on Saturday and gave THE LIBERAL a fraternal call.

Rev. W. B. Booth of Islington, a former pastor in the Methodist Church here, was in the village for a short time last evening and gave THE LIBERAL a friendly call.

Qu'Appelle Progress—E. E. Law, B. A., principal of the schools, arrived on Sunday morning, opened school Monday, the afternoon being taken as a further holiday to get a "good ready on."

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Savage may be expected home in a few days. By a copy of the Londonderry Sentinel we notice that they attended the anniversary of the Relief of Derry, on the 12th inst., and left on the same evening.

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