

LOCALS.

A meeting of the hockey club will be held on Tuesday evening next.

Division Court will be held here next Saturday on arrival of 10.35 car.

See the range of Niagara suspenders just received, at 23, 25, 35 & 50 cts. Atkinson & Switzer.

Regular monthly meeting of the Fire Brigade on Monday evening next, Dec. 4th.

Ten cents admits you to the Literary Society concert on Friday, the 8th of December.

Just what you want at just what you want to pay price in our store. Atkinson & Switzer.

Every subscriber to the Montreal Weekly Star is entitled to two handsome pictures, "Battle of Alma," and "Pussy Willows." Orders taken at THE LIBERAL office.

The High school football team met the Newmarket High School team in Aurora on Friday last, when the latter won by one goal.

Among the events of the war during the past week have been three victories won by General Methuen over the Boers. The loss on both sides has been heavy.

"Uncle Tom's cabin" was played by a travelling company in the Masonic Hall Monday night. The general opinion is that those who were unavoidably absent did not miss much of a treat.

The entertainment by the High School Literary Society will be held on Friday of next week. Admission, 10 cents.

The decision in the Glass-Hulse sheep case has not yet been given by Magistrate Ramsden, notwithstanding published reports to the contrary.

A number of workmen started to make the proposed connection between the Metropolitan and C. P. R. on Saturday evening but were stopped by Toronto policemen. Some of the Metropolitan workmen were roughly handled, and the unpleasant affair will be tried in the courts.

As will be seen by new advertisement on another page, Mr. H. C. Bailey, an enterprising merchant of Maple, will accept next Saturday coupon cut from this paper. His customers will do well to watch his announcements in THE LIBERAL from week to week.

The match between the High School football teams of Aurora and Richmond Hill took place at the park after school Wednesday evening. Messrs. C. Y. Baker and R. Kerswill captained the respective teams. The two teams were evenly matched, and the game resulted in a draw. Mr. Rice, mathematical master of Aurora, refereed.

'Tis not what you pay for Dry Goods and groceries—it is what you get for what you pay. Atkinson & Switzer.

"Scientific Temperance Instruction" will be the subject for discussion at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. to be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Switzer. A good programme, bearing on this subject, will be given. Each member is requested to be present.

Brooms 15, 20, and 25c.; first quality matches, 8c. box; good scrub brushes, 10c. Atkinson & Switzer.

The Eckardt Comedy Company and Swiss Hand Bell Ringers, who postponed their entertainment on account of bad weather here a few weeks ago, will return on the evening of Saturday, 16th of December. They will perform under the auspices of the Public Library.

You wish a first-class farm and home paper? Then see the Weekly Sun before placing your order. A post card request sent to the Sun office, Toronto, will secure for you four successive numbers of the Sun, free, and if at the end of that time you do not wish to subscribe your name will simply be dropped and there will be no charge whatever.

Special—Men's working boots, 75c.; women's solid leather laced boots, \$1; rubbers and overshoes, many lines at old prices. Naughton Bros., Elgin Mills.

Saigeon and McEwen's sale of Hopper & Proctor's Cattle, Horses and Broncho Ponies at the Palmer House on Wednesday, the 6th of December, should draw a large crowd. This will be a good opportunity to purchase milk cows, and there are a number of fine ponies among those recently brought from the North West by Mr. Al. Proctor.

Remember the entertainment at the High School on Friday, the 8th of Dec. Only ten cents.

The December meeting of the W. M. S. will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. W. R. Proctor, next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Members are urged to be present, as business of importance will be transacted. The subject for prayer and study for the month is "The liquor, opium and slave trade, and all covetousness and hindrances to Christianity."

The following Supts. of Depts. for W. C. T. U. work have been appointed for the year: Evangelistic, Mrs. M. Storey; Flower Mission, Mrs. J. Harris; Lumbermen, Mrs. Derry; Narcotics, Mrs. C. Mason; Press and Journal, Miss Wiley; Railroad, Mrs. W. A. Sanderson; Social Purity, Mrs. Switzer; Parlor Meetings, Mrs. Hume; Scientific Temperance Instruction, Mrs. J. H. Sanderson.

Extra good quality imported black clay worsted made in up-to-date style and finished with best quality trimmings for \$16.75. Atkinson & Switzer.

CHANGE OF TIME FOR MAILS.

Mails from Toronto via the Metropolitan Street Railway arrive at the Richmond Hill Post Office as follows: Morning at 8.10, Evening at 6.30. Close, morning at 8, evening at 5.45. M. TEEFY, Postmaster. Post Office, Richmond Hill, Nov. 27, 1899.

A few crumbs of comfort may be gathered here and there but if you want a whole loaf of satisfaction come here. Atkinson & Switzer.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Epworth League will hold their monthly roll-call service on Friday evening. The subject for consideration is "Shadows," Zech. v., 7. Mr. Hume will lead the discussion of it, after which the members, in response to their names will offer their thoughts on the subject. Those in the habit of repeating a scripture verse, and also the other members are this time requested to use a stanza of poetry from our hymn-writers or other poets. The hymn "When the Roll is called up Yonder" introduced at last roll-call will be used again.

Help the High School Library and Gymnasium Fund by attending their concert on Friday after next, at the High School.

ADDITIONAL BOOKS.

The following books have been added to the Public Library this week:—Clipped Wings, Food in Health and Disease, 1 set My Novel, Active Service, Associate Hermits, Bonhomme, Dionysius, Gentleman from Indiana, Hugh Gwythe, Kit Kennedy, No. 5 John St., Chimney Corners, Honor of Thieves, The cost of Her Pride, The Measure of a Man, The Road to Paris, Path of a Star, Won by the Sword, Roving Commission, No Surrender, The Barreys, At the Cross Roads.

Why not discard that old hat when you can buy one of those new American fedoras in black, brown, and beaver at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2. Atkinson & Switzer.

READING CIRCLE.

The Epworth League Reading Circle will meet in the vestry of the Methodist church, next Monday evening, Dec. 4, at 8.35 sharp. The leaders that evening will be Mr. F. Johnston, B. A., who will take up forty pages of "Among the Forces" commencing at page 47, and Miss Mary Trench, A. T. C. M., who will take "Marvels of Our Bodily Dwelling" from page 68 to 122. An invitation is extended to all to join the circle. Already twenty-four names are enrolled and a keen interest taken in the study of the two named books. The attendance at the meeting of the 20th inst. was good. A profitable hour may always be anticipated.

Best green coffee, 10c.; fine roasted coffee, ground fresh, 15c.; a big \$ worth of sugar this week. Atkinson & Switzer.

BIBLE SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society will be held in the school-room of the Methodist church next Wednesday evening, Dec. 6th at eight o'clock sharp. The Rev. Dr. Parker, pastor of the Methodist church, Toronto Junction, will address the meeting on behalf of the interests of the Society. The Secretary will read the report of the work done here during the year and the officers will be elected for the ensuing year. A collection will be taken at the close of the meeting. A large attendance is requested.

GREATLY ADMIRER.

In a country Post Office, the other day, a farmer received with his mail a large cardboard tube, about two feet long. On examination he found it contained the two beautiful premium pictures, "Battle of Alma," and "Pussy Willows." They were greatly admired by all present and the farmer made the remark:—"I have been a reader of the 'Family Herald and Weekly Star' for ten years; it is the best paper printed and well worth five dollars a year, but I get the paper and these two pictures ALL FOR ONE DOLLAR!" He induced four others right there to subscribe, and they too will get the pictures.

Bargains for Saturday:—men's fleece lined kid glove in all shades, 47c.; best English collars, in all sizes, 2 for 25c.; any 50c. tie for 25c., 25c. ties for 15c.; colored cambric shirts at 45, 75 and 97c. Atkinson & Switzer.

DISMISSED WITH COSTS.

A case of assault charged by Mrs. Eliza Woods against John R. Campbell was tried in the Court Room here on Saturday afternoon by Magistrate Ellis. The charge was that the defendant had gone to the house of Mrs. Woods on the 20th of October between 10 and 11 o'clock in the forenoon and assaulted the prosecutrix. The defence proved by Messrs. Watson, Irwin and Robert Brownlee that Campbell was at Richmond Hill Station and at Maple between 10 and 12 o'clock on the day in question. The Magistrate after hearing the evidence dismissed the case with costs. Mr. A. G. F. Lawrence acted for the prosecutrix and Mr. R. J. Gibson for defendant.

THE POWER HOUSE.

One of the most interesting places to visit in the county is the Metropolitan Railway's Power House at Bond's Lake. The building itself is a wonderful structure and the machinery inside is a study for any person having a mechanical turn of mind. There are two massive engines of 350 horsepower each; 4 boilers, 6 feet 1 inch in diameter by 16 feet long, each with 90 three and a half inch tubes; 2 boiler feed pumps 6x4x7 inches; with generators, transformers, condensers and many other interesting machines. Every part of the machinery now works perfectly, and we are sure that any person who may be fortunate enough to get a pass will receive a thorough explanation of every part and will be agreeably entertained by Mr. Marr, the head engineer, as were THE LIBERAL representative and his friend, Mr. Moody, on Friday last.

Cheapness is not the only merit, the merit is in the quality of the following goods: Kipperd herrings 10c., R. R. R. salmon, 11c., Aylmer corn 10c., best Japan rice 6c., best corn starch 6c., Happy home soap 3c., pure lard 3 lb. for 25c. Atkinson & Switzer.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Auxiliary to the Women's Foreign Missionary Society was held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday of last week. There was a good attendance of the members, as well as some of the ladies of the Thornhill congregation. After devotional exercises, Mrs. Grant, the president, introduced Mrs. Shortreed, the President of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church in Canada, who gave a very interesting and profitable address on Thanksgiving. A very pleasant feature of the meeting was a large attendance of the members of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church. Mrs. Proctor, the president, in a very pleasing address said it was a delight to be present. There was also a representation from the church of England. The singing of Mrs. (Dr.) Sisley of Maple was very much appreciated. The offering amounted to nineteen dollars. At the close of the meeting tea was served at which Revs. Wellwood and Large of the Methodist church; Principal Farquharson and Mr. Johnston of the High School, Principal Macdonald of the Public school and the pastor Rev. Mr. Grant were present by invitation of the ladies. It is pleasing to see this spirit of good feeling in our churches. This is what should be. May it ever continue.

Our stock of dry goods and groceries never was better assorted and never so fresh and crisp as at the present time. We are prepared to sell a bill of 1st quality goods such as families generally need as low as any store in Ontario. Atkinson & Switzer.

THE BEST OFFER OF THE YEAR is that made by Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly, justly termed "the monarch of the 10 cent magazines." For a limited period, this famous and popular magazine, now \$1.00 a year, will send free with each yearly subscription, the beautiful "Little Sweethearts" Calendar. This calendar is in six groups of water-color designs by Frances Brundage, the famous painter of children, each group in twelve colors, size 10x12 1/2 inches, on fine Whatman paper, tied at top with a silk ribbon; each sheet contains two months' dates—thus being a complete calendar for 1900. Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly, edited by Mrs. Frank Leslie, now publishes the best literature and illustrations that money and energy can obtain, from such authors and artists as Rudyard Kipling, William Dean Howells, A. Conan Doyle, Frank R. Stockton, Mary E. Wilkins, Stephen Crane, Ruth McEnery Stewart, S. R. Crockett, F. Hopkinson Smith, Joel Chandler Harris, Bret Harte, "Josiah Allen's Wife," Henry James, Will Carleton, Edgar Fawcett, and Rev. Dr. Henry van Dyke, A. B. Wenzell, H. Chandler Christy, F. Luis Mora, W. Granville Smity, Clifford Carlton, F. W. Read, Ch. Grunwald and others. Prospectus for 1900 and a pretty folder in colors sent free for the asking. Specimen copy for three 2 cent stamps. Frank Leslie Publishing House, 141-143 Fifth Ave., N. Y.

PERSONALS.

Mr. A. B. Davidson, P. S. L., paid an Official visit to the Public school on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan and family of Willowdale spent Sunday with Mrs. Nicholls.

Miss Beynon of Temperanceville, a sister of Mrs. Wellwood, spent Saturday at The Parsonage.

Rev. N. Wellwood attended a Theological Convention in Toronto on Tuesday of this week.

Dr. Coulter of Ottawa, Deputy Post-Master General, made a short visit with his parents on Saturday.

Mr. Alex. Q. C. O'Brien, Mrs. O'Brien and baby daughter of Deer Park, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Newton-Brown at Foulden Lodge.

Rev. R. H. Steacy of Ottawa spent Tuesday night with friends at Oak Ridges, and gave THE LIBERAL a friendly call Wednesday morning.

Rev. Mr. Gilroy, a post graduate in Theology, Toronto, preached in the Methodist church, Sunday evening, and taught the bible class in the Sabbath School in the afternoon.

Messrs. R. Moodie, A. Boyle, H. Vanderburgh and H. Marsh started Monday to take a course at Commercial College on the corner of Yonge and College Sts., Toronto.

The Prime Object

Of our advertising is to make it easier for your buying—to suggest reasonable goods and give you prices thereon, so that you may virtually do your shopping at home. There is no use to examine the goods, for what we say in our ads. is confirmed in the goods themselves—a fact that stands undisputed after years of merchandising in this community. We try to make our advertising truly helpful to the readers of this paper. Its statements are exact. Our store news is just as readable to the housewife as the commercial news is to the commission merchant. We quote prices that govern the prices for miles around. The merchant will say "as good as Atkinson & Switzer's," or "as low as Atkinson & Switzer's." But the fact remains that it is not Atkinson & Switzer's, and their store is the depot of supplies from which you draw as you please, and pay the correct price every time.

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I hope to see my old customers and to make the acquaintance of many new ones and if reliable goods, and close prices, honest dealings, and courteous treatment will do it, it will be done. So give us a call. No trouble to show goods.

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