

## LOCALS.

Quarterly meeting of Court Richmond on Friday evening.

Mrs. J. Shuter, Thornhill, will have her Display of Millinery styles commencing Thursday, the 1st of October. See adv.

King Plowmen's Association have set Thursday, the 5th of November, for the date of their annual Plowing Match.

Rev. Messrs. Campbell and Smith and Mr. Switzer attended the District meeting in connection with the Methodist Church, in Toronto on Tuesday.

"Strength and vigor come of good food, duly digested. 'Force,' a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates."

Mr. R. E. Law is re-papering and repainting the Public Library and Reading-Room, and when completed will look well. The room looks much brighter with light colored paper.

Rev. J. E. Gardner died in Newmarket on Thursday last, in his 35th year. Deceased was formerly a junior pastor on the Richmond Hill Methodist circuit.

The older portion of French's Carriage Shops are being painted white so as to harmonize with the new addition erected last fall. The building when completed will look well with red trimmings.

A representative of a book firm has made arrangements to meet the purchasing committee of Public Library here to-morrow afternoon. Those having any books to recommend should hand in the names to the Secretary not later than Friday noon.

Mr. Edward Carson of Elgin Mills, was on Wednesday of last week married to Miss Maggie Case, daughter of Mr. Benjamin Case of King township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Stonehouse at the residence of the bride's father in the presence of about 60 guests.

It will be seen by adv. on another page that Mr. Geo. Cowie, late of Dollar, has opened a blacksmith shop in the McNair stand, and is now prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing. Mr. Cowie has taken the house and shop for a term of five years, and his many friends will be glad to see him back and in business for himself.

St. Mary's Church (of England) was well filled last Thursday evening when the Harvest Thanksgiving Service was held. The Church was neatly and tastefully decorated by fruits, vines and flowers, and an interesting sermon was preached by Rev. Canon Faircomb, Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Toronto.

Mr. James McDougall, York County Engineer, had a reasonable and sensible letter in The News a few evenings ago dealing with The Radial Railway Situation. A careful perusal of the letter will convince any reasonable person that Toronto is not acting fairly to the farmers and residents outside of the City, nor is it using the best judgment for itself.

Mr. James Eckardt, President of the East York and Markham Agricultural Societies, and Mr. A. G. Gormley, Vice-President, waited upon Mrs. S. G. Little of "Wood-lac," Markham township, a few days ago, and presented her with a beautifully illuminated address on behalf of the association, conveying a message of condolence on the death of her husband who was a director of the association.

Rev. John Gibson had an unpleasant experience while driving to Church last Sunday forenoon. When within about a mile from this place his horse took flight of a bicyclist going in the opposite direction. The horse took to the ditch, Mr. Gibson was thrown out and the buggy was badly smashed. The clergyman was pretty well shaken up but he came up, nevertheless, and took his service in St. Mary's Church.

Mr. Amos Wright has purchased from Dr. Theo. V. Law the building and lot on the corner of Richmond and Yonge Streets. Mr. Wright purposes making this into a dwelling, and will move it westward probably ten feet. This will give Mr. Wright three houses in rotation, including his own residence on the north side of Richmond Street. We yet need a number of good houses to rent.

### EPWORTH LEAGUE.

At the Epworth League service on Friday evening Mr. A. J. Hume will deliver an address on the subject:—"Serve the Lord with Gladness." Good music will be provided. All are welcome. Members will please bring their Missionary envelopes.

### HARVEST THANKSGIVING.

A Harvest Thanksgiving Service will be held in Trinity Church, Thornhill, on Tuesday, Sept. 29, commencing at 8 p.m. Rev. Wm. Carey Ward, rector of St. Peter's Church, Toronto, will be the preacher. Special music to be made, which will be devoted to renovation of the church.

Best pure lard, 12c. lb.; Best cheese, 12c. lb.; Best pearl tapioca, 7 lb. for 25c.; good raisins, 6 lb. for 25c.; Extra quality rice, 6 lb. for 25c. Atkinson & Switzer.

### SCHNAPS.

1 Punch plow Cockshutt, nearly new, \$9.00; 1 No. 3 Wilkinson plow, in good shape, \$4.00; 1 No. 12 Fleny plow, in good shape, \$4.00; 1 two-furrowed sulky plow, in good repair, \$6.00; 1 power cutting box, very cheap \$15.00; 1 hand cutting box, very cheap, \$5.00. No charge for inspection. H. A. Nicholis.

### FALL FAIRS.

North York, Newmarket, Sept. 22-24. Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept. 22-25. Sutton, Sept. 28-29. East York, Markham, Oct. 7-9. W. Gwillimbury, Bradford, Oct. 20-21. Bolton, Bolton, Oct. 22-23. Queensville, Oct. 13-14. Woodbridge, Oct. 14-15. King, Schomberg, Oct. 8-9.

### SCHOMBERG FAIR.

The annual Fall Fair for King Township will be held in the village of Schomberg on Thursday and Friday, the 8th and 9th of October. On the second day there will be an open trot or pace, a 2.35 race, and a 3-minute race. The British Grenadier Band has been engaged for the Fair and Concert. The directors advertise single fare tickets from all points on the Metropolitan Railway. Cars leave North Toronto at 7.20 and 9.40, and returning will leave Schomberg at 5.45 and 9.45 p. m.

### DANGEROUS SIDEWALK.

We shall again call the attention of the Councils of Markham and Vaughan to the very unsatisfactory state of the plank sidewalk connecting this village with the Elgin Mills. Planks are out in many places, while others are loose and liable to fly up and trip pedestrians, making it quite dangerous. If the walk is not repaired it would be better to have the planks taken up altogether as an accident is liable to take place at any time.

### TO BE INDICTED.

The Toronto City Council has passed a resolution instructing their solicitor to ask the County Crown Attorney to have the Metropolitan Railway Company indicted for creating a nuisance under the criminal code by using Yonge Street north of the C. P. R. track as a freight yard, thereby making a blockade with their traffic at that place. Had the city allowed the Metropolitan to connect its line with the C. P. R. there would now be no blockade on Yonge Street.

### THE LORNE BLOCK.

Mr. John Palmer is about letting contracts to L. Innes & Sons and John Claffey for repairing and remodeling the Lorne Block. The front stairs will be removed to the rear so that Mr. Jerry Smith's jewelry store can be enlarged. The south door will be closed, and an entrance made on Yonge Street. A change will also be made in the front windows of Geo. McDonald's shop and Miss Ross' store. The alterations are all needed, and Mr. Palmer will likely convert this place into an up-to-date block.

Canadian coal oil in lots, 18c. gal.; American coal oil in lots, 21c. gal. Atkinson & Switzer.

### WEST YORK CONSERVATIVES.

West York Young Conservatives organized at Weston on Friday night. Leonard Wallace of Woodbridge was elected president, James Coulter of Weston, John McNeil of Vellore, and George Elder of Elder's Mills, vice-presidents, and Tomas J. McGuire of Weston, secretary-treasurer. The first regular meeting will be held at Weston on Monday evening, Oct. 12, when the subject for discussion will be "The Grand Trunk Pacific." A. Keefer, George Elder and George Symes, jr., will be the speakers. A large map of Canada was ordered to be purchased, and a suitable clubroom will be secured.

Pure White Grape vinegar, 40c. gal.; XXX White Wine Spirits vinegar, 25c. gal.; Best English Malt vinegar, 50c. gal. Atkinson & Switzer.

### HARVEST HOME.

The members and friends of Zion Lutheran Church, Sherwood, will hold their Harvest Home and Fowl Supper on the evening of Tuesday, Sept. 29. Supper served from 4 to 8 o'clock, after which an entertainment will be given by the Whyte Bros. of Toronto, who will sing with harp and guitar accompaniment. Rev. W. G. Back and Rev. W. N. Chantler of the Maple churches, will bring greetings in short addresses. The sermons will be preached on Sunday, Sept. 27, at 11 a. m. by the Pastor of the Church and at 7 p. m. the usual evening service. The church will be suitably decorated for the occasion. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Tickets for supper and entertainment, 30c.; Children 20c.

### A RARE CHANCE.

Householders in need of glassware, crockery, and dishes should attend the auction sale at the Dominion House next Monday. Auctioneer Saigeon will need to start on time if he sells in one afternoon the advertised stock, which consists of 400 doz. dinner plates, 200 doz. breakfast plates, 300 doz. tea plates, 500 doz. sauce plates, 10 dozen salad bowls, 5 dozen large tureens, 10 doz. tea pots, 5 doz. sugar bowls, 25 doz. mugs, 3 doz. pitchers, 200 white and colored glass sets, 100 pair vases, 10 doz. salts and peppers, 25 doz. glass mugs, 5 doz. glass pitchers, 10 doz. butter dishes, 25 doz. glass slippers, 10 doz. celery glasses, 10 doz. jelly dishes, 5 doz. tumblers; besides 1 light spring wagon, with pole; 1 double set light harness, in good repair; 2 side saddles; 2 riding bridles, nearly new. The sale will commence at 1 o'clock. Terms cash.

### NEWMARKET FAIR.

About 5,000 people attended the Newmarket Fair yesterday, the second day. The grounds and buildings were never in as good shape before, and everything passed off successfully. The procession of school children with gaily decorated wagons and rigs of all kinds paraded the streets, and was an interesting feature of the afternoon. The directors' luncheon tent was a popular resort. The chairman, Mr. Ross, after proposing "The King," next proposed "The Dominion Parliament and Local Legislature," and in reply the local members, Hon. Wm. Mulock and Hon. E. J. Davis, made good speeches. There was some good speeding in the ring, and the concert in the evening gave good satisfaction. The Highlanders' band was a great attraction, and Mr. Harold Jarvis was at his best. An immense crowd is expected to-day, the closing day of the Fair.

### VACATIONS ABOUT OVER.

Now that vacations are about over, and young people are ready to begin, or resume work, we desire to call their attention to the advantages offered by us in learning and placing them in railway business and commercial telegraphy. Our courses cover telegraphy, train despatching, standard rules, and office accounting. See us and be assured how you can change your occupation, and earn at least double your present salary from the start and have very desirable work. We fit young ladies especially for the commercial telegraph positions such as the G. N. W. and C. P. R. day and night classes. All graduates guaranteed positions as soon as competent. Call at your convenience, or write us for particulars. Canadian Railway Instruction Institute, cor. College and Yonge Streets, Toronto, Oddfellows' Building.

Our stock of black and colored sewing silks, colored cotton threads and black and white 200 yd. spools is kept well assorted; We quote best 200 yd. spools black and white, 45c. doz.; Atkinson & Switzer.

### R. C. PICNIC.

The Picnic held at Bond Lake Park on Tuesday in aid of St. Mary's R. C. Church, Richmond Hill, passed off very nicely. The weather was delightful, and every person seemed to have a good time. Dancing was indulged in at the pavilion afternoon and evening, and Mr. A. J. Collins' orchestra consisting of violins, harp and flute, furnished good music. An interesting feature of the afternoon was a contest for a silver cup kindly donated by Mr. J. W. Moyes. The voting was between Miss Harris and Miss O'Leary, two young ladies from the City, the former eventually winning the trophy. The Metropolitan Railway furnished a good service and reasonable rates, and Mr. Moyes, who was present, was very attentive to the wants of the guests. The pastor, Rev. Father McMahon, was much pleased with the success of the day's proceedings. The following were among the prominent visitors:—Father Teefy, president of St. Michael's College; Father Jeffcott, Stayner; Father Carberry, Schomberg; Father Sweeny, County Engineer McDougall, John W. Ramsden, T. F. Wallace, Barrister Roach, Dr. Coleman, Frank Lee, Dr. Elliott, William Pugsley, Thomas Gibson, James Legge, D. G. Blough, and many others.

### MARRIAGES.

COLLINS—MANN—At the Methodist Parsonage, Newton Brook, on Wednesday, Sept. 16, by Rev. A. P. Brace, B. D., Annie M. Mann of Sutton West, to Andrew Collins of Pittsburgh, Pa.

BALES—SCHMIDT—At the residence of the bride's parents, Newton Brook, on Wednesday, Sept. 16, by Rev. A. P. Brace, B. D., Clara Christina, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Schmidt, to Joseph C. Bales of Lansing, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jcs. Bales of Toronto.

### Sale Register.

FRIDAY, Sept. 25—Auction sale of store, dwelling and cottage in the village of Thornhill, the property of Mr. Jno. B. Grice. Sale at 2 o'clock. Terms, 10 per cent. on day of sale. Saigeon & McEwen, Auctioneers.

SATURDAY, Sept. 26—Auction sale of two car loads of cattle, consisting of yearlings, 2 year olds and springers at Phillips' Hotel, King City, the property of B. J. Marsh, Clarksonburg. Sale at 1 o'clock. Terms 4 months. D. G. Blough, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, Oct. 6—Auction sale of 100 acre farm farm belong lot 27, 2nd con. Markham, the property of Jacob S. Heise, to be sold at the Dominion House, Richmond Hill. Sale at 2 o'clock. N. S. Smith, auctioneer.

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- Carters Pills 2 bottles for 25c
- Chases Ointment 40c
- Ayers Hair Vigor 65c
- Peruna 75c
- Minards Liniment 15c
- Saltpetre pure 2 lbs for 25c
- Electric Oil 2 bottles 25c
- Chases Syrup of Limesed and Turpentine 15c
- Ayers Cherry Pectoral 20, 4c and 65c
- Norway Pine Syrup 15c
- Pages English Cough Syrup, large bottle 35c
- Grays Syrup Red Spruce Gum 18c
- Haggards Pectoral Balsam 18c
- Coltsfoot Expectoant 18c
- Radways Relief 18c
- Pages Red Clover Compound purifies the blood, cures catarrh, dyspepsia and indigestion
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