

LOCALS.

Mr. W. R. Procter of Barrie, spent from Friday over Sunday here and in Toronto.

The Public Library and Reading Room will be open Tuesday and Saturday evenings until further notice.

A meeting of the Curling Club is called for this evening, in the Council Chamber, at 8 o'clock. Members will please attend.

County Councillors W. H. Pugsley and J. H. Kirby are in Toronto, attending the January session of the County Council, which opened on Tuesday.

Our village curlers go to Toronto to-morrow afternoon, Friday, to play the final match with the Granites in Queen City Rink, in the District Cup competition. They will also compete for the Governor-General's prize.

The members of Ivy Lodge, A. O. U. W., are requested to attend a meeting next Wednesday evening, Feb'y 3, when the newly-elected officers will be installed and the auditors' report will be presented.

We have men's tied ties and table ties at 25, 35, 45 and 50c. Atkinson & Switzer.

Mr. Alex. Russell of Markham township, has been appointed Inspector of Licenses for East York District in place of the late Mr. James Eckardt. Mr. Russell has been a member of the Commission Board for several years.

A meeting of the East York Farmers' and Women's Institute was held in Victoria Hall, Thornhill, yesterday, when a number of interesting addresses were given.

Hon. E. J. Davis sold his 120 acre farm by auction, lot 4, con. 5, King, on Friday, the 22nd inst. The auctioneer was Mr. D. G. Blough, the buyer was Mr. Jerome Campbell, and the price paid was \$5,950.

To-day, any day, walk in and pick out what you want. Atkinson & Switzer.

King Plowmen's Association held their annual oyster supper at Sutton's Hotel, Scarborough, last Thursday evening, but owing to the cold weather and the deep snow the attendance was not so large as on some former occasions.

The annual school meeting of the Board of Education will be held in the High School building next Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 4 o'clock. A chairman, a sec'y-treas. and other officers will be elected at Wednesday's meeting.

The Junior Department of the Public School has been closed for a week owing to the extremely cold weather and an outbreak of measles among the pupils.

Some goods are made to sell and some are made to wear. Ours is the wearing kind. Atkinson & Switzer.

Half yearly communion will be administered in the Presbyterian church next Sunday. The Preparatory Service will be held Friday evening, when the sermon will be preached by Rev. W. G. Back of Maple.

The interesting feature of the season is a Leap Year Party to be given by the young ladies of the town to-morrow evening, in the Masonic Hall, where a very enjoyable time will be spent in amusements of various kinds. In accordance with the customs of Leap Year we may expect to hear of the various "Evangelines hunting for Gabriel."

When high values go at low prices then is the time to buy. Such a time is at this store now. Atkinson & Switzer.

The brethren of Richmond Lodge, A. F. & A. M., are invited to a special meeting of Vaughan Lodge, Maple, Friday evening of this week, when R. W. Bro. J. E. Francis, D. D. G. M., will pay that lodge an official visit. Mr. Francis was to have been at Maple Tuesday evening, but was prevented by the storm.

RIFLE PRACTICE.

The following are the scores made at the last practice of the Victoria Square O. H. R. C.:—A. Quantz, 56; G. Forester, 82; C. P. Read, 75; W. Scott, 67; H. C. Read, 65; R. Agar, 63. The Victoria Square O.H. Rifle Club will shoot a match with a Toronto team at Glen Grove, seven men on a side, next Saturday afternoon, Jan. 30. An interesting contest is expected.

Best natural figs, 5c. lb.; best pure land, 10c. lb.; quince meat, 10c.; green coffee, 10c. lb.; extra green or mixed tea, 25c. lb.; prunes, 5c. lb. Atkinson & Switzer.

LEAVING YORK MILLS.

The World of yesterday states that Mr. D. B. Birrell, so favorably known for many years as proprietor of the York Mills Hotel, is about to leave his old stand to assume control of the large hotel recently constructed near the Canada Foundry, close to Toronto Junction. Mr. Birrell is one of the most popular and highly respected men in the hotel business.

The local W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Derry next Tuesday evening at 7.30.

William Smith, well-known throughout East York, died at his home at York Mills on Thursday last. The funeral took place to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Monday.

In reporting the business of the last meeting of Vaughan Council one item was omitted in THE LIBERAL. In the road accounts the treasurer was authorized to pay Gao. McDougall, commissioner for Yonge street, the sum of \$15.00.

THE MEDAL WINNERS.

The last match for the Smith medal was played in the rink on Monday, when skip R. Moodie and his youthful assistants defeated runners-up Pugsley and his heavy weights. The following are the scores made:

E. J. Cable	F. McConaghy
W. Savage	P. G. Savage
F. Sims	J. Palmer
R. Moodie, sk.	16 W.H. Pugsley, sk. 12

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Vaughan Reform Association will be held in the Township Hall, Vellore, on Wednesday, Feb'y 3, at 2 p. m., for the election of officers and the transaction of other business. A full attendance is requested. Among the speakers will be Mr. Arch. Campbell, M. P.; Mr. W. J. Hill, ex-M. P. P.; Dr. McLean, M. Naughton, Esq., and others.

WEDDING BELLS.

St. Luke's B. O. Church, Thornhill, was the scene of a quiet wedding on Wednesday morning, Jan'y 20, when Miss Teresa Gorman of Jefferson, was united in marriage to Mr. Wilmot Lloyd of Collingwood. The bride was becomingly attired in a blue travelling suit with hat to correspond. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Marie Gorman, while the groom was assisted by Mr. George Gorman of Oshawa. The happy couple left on an early train for Seaforth on their wedding tour.

BODY GUARD.

A representative of the Governor-General's Body Guard will be at Richmond Hill on Saturday, Jan'y 30th, Schouberg Saturday, Feb'y 6th, and Newmarket Saturday, Feb'y 6th, at 3 p. m. sharp, for the purpose of taking the names of young men who wish to join a mounted regiment. Farmers' sons having their own horses are particularly desired. Besides the trooper's pay and rations, one dollar a day and food for each horse is given during annual training. Further information will be given by R. B. Elliott, York Mills; or C. H. Ellston, Richmond Hill.

CARNIVAL TO NIGHT.

A Hockey and racing carnival will be held in the rink, Richmond Hill, to-night. A hockey match will be played between Massey-Harris Co., Toronto and Richmond Hill. A matched race will be skated between Jas. Forrester, Don Rowing Club and Lot Roe, W. E. Y. M. C. A. for valuable trophy; best 3 in 5 heats; 5 laps. Rink open from 7.30 to 10.30. First heat of race, 8 o'clock. Hockey match, 8.15 to 9.15. Finish of the race after hockey match. Skating before and after the match. Admission 15 cents.

Thirty per cent. on your money. Big interest, isn't it? Well that's exactly what you make right here by investing in some fine pantings, Scotch and Canadian tweeds, that we are offering. Atkinson & Switzer.

BANK STATEMENT.

We have received a statement of the condition of the San Joaquin Valley Bank of Stockton, Cal., of which Mr. J. M. Welsh, son of the late Mr. Welsh of this village, is president, and Mr. R. Baldwin Teffy, son of Postmaster Teffy, is cashier. The statement gives the business done up to the 31st December, 1903, and reflects credit upon the management. The deposits have steadily increased from the year 1897 when they were \$291,609 to last year when they showed \$1,185,795.

MR. HARTMAN, WARDEN.

Mr. L. L. Hartman, County Councillor, Whitechurch, was on Tuesday elected Warden of the County of York by his colleagues in council assembled. The new Warden has been a member for the past 18 years, and has been on the principal committees, always taking an active part in the work of the Council. He is a nephew of the late Joseph Hartman, M. P. for the united counties of York, Peel and Ontario, who was first warden of York County Council following the regime of Wm. Lyon Mackenzie. The new Warden's mover and seconder were Messrs. G. Powell and Arthur Quantz.

FUNERAL OF MRS. WILLIAMSON.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Treleaven Williamson, relict of the late Robert Williamson, took place Monday, Jan. 25, from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. George Robinson, lot 7, con. 3, Township of Markham, to Thornhill Cemetery, and was attended by many friends and relatives. Mrs. Williamson was well known in the vicinity of Richmond Hill and Elgin Mills, where for more than half a century, together with her husband, she resided, both being highly respected by all who knew them during that time. Some years ago they decided to go to reside with their son-in-law, Mr. Robinson. Her husband predeceased her several years ago. Two sons and two daughters survive her, John the eldest son, who resides in Galt; Robert, who resides in Markham; Mr. Gamble of Stayner, and Mrs. Robinson, at whose home she died.

At the Epworth League on Friday evening an address, subject, "The Bible Society and its Relation to Missions," will be given by Mrs. Switzer. Chair will be taken at 8 o'clock. Members will please bring their Missionary contributions.

Stylish fur boas, ruffs, caperines, storm collars, regular \$14.50 for \$11; regular \$11 for \$9; regular \$10.50 for \$8.50; regular \$8.50 for \$7; regular \$7.25 for \$5.50; regular \$5.50 for \$4.25. Outside there is ice snow and winter. Looks as though we were trying to drive these beautiful furs out into the cold. So we are. They should be fulfilling their mission as comforters, instead of 'biding here. Atkinson & Switzer.

Word has just been received from Lot Roe stating that he cannot be present to race to-night, owing to an injury received yesterday while training. The matched race has therefore to be called off till later. The hockey match will be played. Admission, 10 cents.

UNIONVILLE.

The Joint Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran Churches of Unionville and Buttonville met at the home of Mrs. Elliott on Jan'y 21. The Society intend holding an oyster supper at Mr. Abner Summerfeldt's (Reeve of Markham Tp.) on Feb'y 3rd.

LITERARY NOTE.

Readers of Success will find much to delight them in the February issue, which contains a long list of articles of unusual interest. The cover, by E. B. Masters, is exceptionally attractive. It represents Sir Henry Irving and Miss Ellen Terry in the scene from "The Merchant of Venice" where Portia pleads with Shylock to show mercy, that mercy which "droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven." The costumes which have lent so much to the charm of the Irving-Terry performances of this great Shakespearean drama, have been faithfully reproduced by Mr. Masters. Some interesting facts regarding Sir Henry Irving are given by Roger Galeshore in an article entitled "Henry Irving's Fight for Fame," and an able article on "The Higher Influence of the Drama," is contributed by E. S. Sothern.

GRUINS.

STEPHENSON—On Mill Road, on Saturday, Jan. 16, the wife of Richard Stephenson of a daughter.

DEATHS.

REAMAN—At the residence of Mr. Geo. Reaman, Concord, on Tuesday, Jan. 26, Mabel A. E. Reaman, only daughter of the late Rev. Jacob and Emma C. Reaman, aged 28 years, 4 mos. 16 days. Funeral from the residence, Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock for Cober's cemetery.

Sale Register.

Saturday, Jan 30—Credit sale of farm stock, implements, etc. at Weston the property of J. R. Hurst. Terms 8 months. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.
Tuesday, Feb 2—Credit sale of farm stock and implements, on lot 21, con 4 Vaughan (Maple) the property of J. H. Jackson. Sale at 1. No reserve. Terms, nine months. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.
Wednesday, Feb 3—Auction sale of cattle and horses at the Palmer House Richmond Hill. Sale at one o'clock. Terms, credit to Oct. 1. Saigeon & McEwen aucts.
Wednesday, Feb 10—Credit sale of farm stock and implements on lot 17, 2nd con Vaughan (1 1/2 miles west of Richmond Hill) the property of Harry Peasana. Sale at 11 o'clock. Lunch provided. Terms 9 months. J. H. Prentice, auctioneer.
Thursday, Feb 11—Credit sale of thoroughbred horses and cattle, farm stock, implements, etc. on lot 2, rear 3rd con Markham, the property of R. G. Johnson. Sale at 11. Lunch provided. Terms 9 months. J. H. Prentice, auctioneer.
Thursday, Feb 11—Credit sale of farm stock and implements on lot 16 2nd con King the property of Joshua Ferguson. Sale at 11. Terms 8 months. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.
Friday, Feb 12—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., the property of John Hewitt, near Pine Grove. Terms, nine mos Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.
Wednesday, Feb 17—Credit sale of farm stock, implements, etc. on lot 19, rear 4th con Markham, the property of G. A. McCarthy. Sale at 11. Dinner provided. Terms nine months. J. H. Prentice, auctioneer.
Wednesday, Feb 17—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., the property of John G. Hallett, near Woodbridge. Terms, nine months. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.
Tuesday, Feb 23—Credit sale of farm stock and implements on lot 4 con 6 Vaughan the property of the late Henry Whitmore. Sale at 11. Terms 9 months. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.
Wednesday, Feb 24—Credit sale of farm stock and implements on lot 26 con 6 York (near Emery) the property of E. Smith. Sale at 11. Terms 9 months. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.
Thursday, Feb 25—Credit sale of farm stock and implements near Clairville the property of John Button. Sale at 1. Terms 9 months. Saigeon & McEwen, aucts.

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Three thousand dollars to loan at a low rate of interest on first-mortgage farm property. Apply at THE LIBERAL OFFICE.

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A Rummage Sale

Every busy store accumulates during the busy season innumerable odds and ends and sometimes have lines that they have to job off. We had no time before Christmas to pay any attention to these, but now we find them at every turn and want to get rid of them all. They worry us. "Out of sight, out of mind"—and so we have collected a lot of these and shall clear them out in a big Rummage Sale to last just as long as the goods last. Here is a list for a start:

Fine Worsted Pantings, regular \$1.50 yard at \$1.10.
Fine Worsted Pantings, regular \$1.75 yard at \$1.25.
Fine Scotch Tweed Suitings, regular \$1.00 at 65c.
Fine Scotch Tweed Suitings, regular \$1.35 at 90c.
Heavy Scotch Tweeds, regular \$1.25 at 85c.
A lot of ends of Mantle Cloths at a discount of 50 per cent.

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Yorkshire Cough & Heave Cure

Guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, heaves and broken wind in horses. Horsemen will find this an infallible remedy for any affection in a horse's wind, whether caused from after effects of distemper or from eating dusty hay. Price 50c. Sold in Richmond Hill by Geo. McDonald, harness-maker.

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