

RICHMOND HILL, April 23, 1904

## LOCALS.

Mr. Norman Barker of Chicago, visited friends here this week.

Miss Campbell of Toronto, spent Sunday at her home, The Parsonage.

Mr. Thorne and Mr. Rowlett of Toronto, were guests at the Parsonage over Sunday.

M. Teffy, Esq., attended a special meeting of Justices of the Peace in Toronto on Monday.

Mr. A. G. Beck, a clerk in the Standard Bank, Toronto, spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. J. W. Osborne.

Mrs. J. W. Elliott of Newmarket, has been spending a few days in the village and is the guest of Mrs. Isaac Crosby.

The Palmer House is being tucked pointed by Mr. J. McNamara which is a guarantee that when completed it will look well.

Figs, 5c. lb.; golden dates, 5c. lb.; California prunes, 5c. lb.; 1000 parlor matches, 5c.; Fairy soap, 5c. Atkinson & Switzer.

Eight election trials in the Provincial bye-elections will be heard in September. North York at Newmarket on the 20th September.

Mrs. Breddon, wife of the late Rev. J. Breddon, formerly a pastor in the Methodist Church here, has taken up residence on Church Street.

Jesse Wright, son of the late Wm. Wright of this place, died at the home of a brother, Hazard Wright, Michigan, on the 13th inst.

Mr. Teffy Mulcahy of Orillia, who was in Toronto on business, came up and spent Monday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Teffy.

Messrs. D. G. Blough and T. H. Legge have purchased Royal Hatton, a grandly-bred, imported Clydesdale stallion, well worthy of notice.

Mr. Albert Wright of Crosswell, Mich., made a flying business trip here, spent over Sunday with his mother and sister, and returned Tuesday.

Mr. T. Boynton is building a new kitchen and otherwise improving his residence on Elizabeth St., which he recently purchased from Mr. W. T. Storey.

A meeting of all interested in tennis will be held at Mrs. P. G. Savage's next Monday evening, at 8.30, for the purpose of re-organizing. Everyone welcome.

The Prize Lists have been printed, and are being distributed by the Secretary. Any interested party not receiving a copy should apply to Mr. H. A. Nicholls.

Just to hand at Atkinson & Switzer's, a special lot of whole roasted coffees which we'll grind while you wait at 20, 25, 30, 40 and 45c. lb.

The Woman's Missionary Society of Victoria Square, have secured Miss Jean Scott, Supt. Deaconess Home, to speak Sunday, May 8, both services. Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair of Stouffville, will sing.

Mr. F. W. Harrison, a student at Queen's College, Kingston, spent over Sunday with his parents here, and on Tuesday started for the North West where he purposes taking a school for the summer months.

Dr. John Wells, L. D. S., died at the residence of his sister, Mrs. D. McLeod, Aurora, on Friday, 22nd inst. Deceased was in his 52nd year. He was a son of the late J. P. Wells, a former M. P. P. for North York.

The reason why Atkinson & Switzer, the grocers, have such a trade is probably because they mind their P's and Q's—Price and purity; Quantity and Quality. People are apt to appreciate the highest in purity when it is associated with the lowest in price.

R. W. Bro. Nicholls paid an official visit to Zerodatha Lodge A. F. and A. M., Uxbridge, on Monday last. He was accompanied by W. Bro. J. J. Thompson, of Toronto, and Bro. C. P. Wiley, of Richmond Hill. Masonry is said to be in a flourishing condition in that place.

The members of the W. M. S. wish to thank the public for their patronage at the musicale held at Mrs. Andrew Newton's Tuesday evening, which was in every way a grand success. They wish to thank all who so kindly and willingly aided them in any way.

Owing to the musicale, the Epworth League social which was being arranged for this week will not be held until Friday evening of next week. On Friday evening of this week a Consecration Meeting will be held. Rev. T. Campbell will take up the topic. Miss G. Harris will be in the chair.

T. R. Jones, Lieut., Act. Asst. Adjt., is advertising for recruits for the Governor General's Body Guards. Men enlisting will assemble for twelve days, once a year, for the annual training. Farmers or farmers' sons owning their own horses preferred. Parties interested in this section will get full information by applying to C. H. Elliston.

Dr. Langstaff had his automobile, No. 192, out for a spin yesterday afternoon, and that useful machine assisted the firemen in taking the hose-reel down to the Harding fire.

Ursula, wife of Mr. Fred Pugsley, died at her late home at Indian Head, on the 8th inst. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. Henry Grose of Keswick, and was 35 years of age.

The Quarterly Service for this circuit will (D. V.) be held in the Methodist Church here on Sunday, May 1, commencing at 10.30. The business meeting will be held in the Sunday School room on Monday at 3 p. m.

Margaret, wife of Mr. Charles Kirkland died Sunday night aged 65 years. Interment took place Wednesday afternoon in the village cemetery previous to which a short service was conducted at the house by Rev. J. A. Grant.

Mr. John Palmer's fine Clydesdale stallion, Laurentian, died last night. The animal was apparently not ailing when his manager, Mr. Archie McLean, left him late in the evening, but he was found dead in his stall this morning. This is a heavy loss.

At a meeting held in Toronto on Monday the following were recommended as County Constables: Benjamin Davis, Aurora; Stephen Thompson, Bradford; Charles Smith, Toronto Suburbs; Wm. Boynton, Victoria Square; A. B. Peters, Toronto Junction.

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### MONTHLY SALE.

Auctioneer Saigeon expects a large auction sale of horses, colts, fresh milk cows, beef-ringers, etc., at the Palmer House next Wednesday. Two carloads of cattle and horses are advertised, and it is expected that a lot of good animals will change hands. Parties having stock to dispose of may bring same on day of sale.

### PATENTED.

A patent was granted at Ottawa on the 12th of this month, to Mr. Frank Robinson of this village for a leach casting apparatus, to be used in tanneries. Mr. Robinson has installed a machine at the Elgin Mills Tannery, and it has given excellent satisfaction. He will next install a machine in King's tannery, Whithy, and expects to be kept busy during the summer months.

### DEPUTATION.

A deputation of our citizens went to Toronto on Thursday relative to the James Bay Railway which it is hoped will pass close to this village. The company should endeavour to come as near Richmond Hill and Elgin Mills as possible in order to get the freight to and from these places. The gentlemen composing the deputation—Reeve Savage, Jas. Newton, W. H. Pugsley, J. H. Sanderson and J. A. E. Switzer—were well satisfied with the interview they had with the railway authorities.

### W. M. S. MUSICAL.

The Auxiliary of the W. M. S. are to be congratulated on the success of their musicale at the home of the President, Mrs. Andrew Newton, Tuesday evening. Tempting refreshments were served, and during the evening a most enjoyable programme of vocal and instrumental selections was rendered. The commodious dwelling was well suited for the occasion, and everything was so well arranged that the large gathering experienced no crowding. The receipts amounted to something over \$22. The following interesting programme was given:—Duet, Miss Mortson and Mr. E. Newton; Solo, Miss Duncan; Solo, Mr. Harry Sanderson; Cornet solo, Mr. E. Mason; Solo, Miss Teasdale; Piano solo, Miss Corrie Brown; Solo Mr. Douglas Derry; Piano solo, Miss Millie Trench; Solo, Miss Morston; Solo, Miss Switzer; Piano solo, Mr. E. Newton; Cornet solo, Mr. E. Mason; Solo, Miss Teasdale; Solo, Mr. Harry Sanderson; Solo, Mr. Douglas Derry; Piano solo, Miss Corrie Brown; Cornet solo, Mr. E. Mason; Solo, Miss Switzer. God Save the King.

### OFFICIAL VISIT.

R. W. Bro. H. A. Nicholls, D. D. G. M., No. 11a, paid an Official Visit to his mother lodge here on Friday evening. Visiting brethren were present from Thornhill, Maple and other places, and a pleasant evening was spent together. After the initiation of a candidate the work was criticized in a fraternal way by the D. D. G. M., and R. W. Bro. J. E. Francis also made a short address. After the business in the lodge room was completed all repaired to the lower hall where refreshments were served. W. Bro. G. B. Newbery, acting master, presided. After "The King" had been duly honored, the "Grand Master and Grand Lodge" was proposed, and this brought good speeches from R. W. Bro. Nicholls, R. W. Bro. Francis, and V. W. Bro. T. Newton. The "Visiting Brethren" was ably responded to by W. Bros. J. Breaky, J. H. Kirby, R. Rumble, R. Thompson, D. Cooper, and Bros. J. B. Maclean, A. Muckle and H. C. Bailey. Short speeches were also given in response to "Richmond Lodge" and "The Ladies," and good songs were sung by Bros. Osborne, Moodie and Newton. Caterer Bro. D. Hill was complimented on the excellent spread provided.

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### NARROW ESCAPE.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the "Fire" alarm was sounded, and firemen and others pushed for the fire engine and other appliances. It was learned that Mr. Thomas Harding's straw-stack, two lots below the village, was on fire. After a heavy pull the place was reached, and several neighbours and members of the family were doing good work with pails and water. The fire was kept under control until water was dashed on the flames by the fire-engine. The boards along the south side of the barn were scorched, and only hard work saved the buildings, in the face of a driving wind. The fire started in the small stack, though how the fire got there is a mystery.

### GOOD PRIZES.

The prizes in various departments at the Fair to be held on the 24th of May will be larger this year than ever before. For best team of heavy draught horses the prizes will be \$15, \$10 and \$5; span of agricultural horses in harness \$10, \$5, and \$4; herd of milk cows \$10 and \$5.75; herd of thoroughbred Durham cattle \$10 and \$5. In the speeding class \$100 will be given for an open trot or pace, and all through the classes the prizes are liberal.

### A FEW TIMELY FACTS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

Mr. W. S. Moore, after spending six months under our instructions, is now earning \$25 per week for six hours work per day, at Memphis Tenn. Miss Nellie Carson, after five months' training, is now with the Western Union telegraph company at Detroit, earning \$70 per month. Mr. W. H. Hodgson, after four months' training, is now with the C. P. R. at Tweed, Ont., earning \$40.00 per month. Numerous others are being placed in equally as good positions. Our winter term opens January 4th, and those desiring to take up the work should enroll on or before that date to ensure them a position in the spring or early summer. Five competent instructors of exceptional ability are giving their personal and individual attention to the rapid advancement of our pupils. Young ladies are prepared for commercial telegraph positions, and young men for the same and railway positions as operators, train dispatchers, agents, etc. This is a profession not overcrowded, and one which will command steady employment the year around at good wages. Write at once for particulars as to terms, etc. Canadian Railway Instruction Institute, Cor. College and Yonge Sts., Toronto.

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