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RICHMOND HILL DIVISION - COURT. The Next Sitting of Division Court for No. 3, County of York, will be held in the Court Room, RICHMOND HILL - ON - SATURDAY, NOV. 25, 1905. Commencing at 10 a. m. T. F. McMAHON, CLERK.

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Maple A business meeting of the directors of the King and Vaughan Plowmen's Association was held here on Monday afternoon. It was decided to hold the annual plowing match on the farm of J. Gillies of King on Nov 7th. The sacramental service was held in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday last. The preparatory sermon was preached on Friday by Rev. Mr. Lemon of Laskay.

Rev. Mr. Baker of Downsview occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday morning. Quite a number went to hear him preach anniversary sermons at Carville in the afternoon and evening. The trustees of this section have re-engaged both teachers in the public school.

An interesting programme is being prepared for the school concert on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Keys attended Weston Fair on Saturday and remained with friends in that town over Sunday. Miss Flora Travis of Claremont is visiting friends in the village. Miss Elsie Teasdale returned last week after spending several weeks with friends at Concord.

Carville Mrs. Ellarby spent a few days last week visiting Mrs. Hall of Richmond Hill. Miss Lillie and Mr. Britnell of Toronto, were guests at "Hill Crest Cottage," the residence of Mr. G. Wood, on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Cook spent a few days last week visiting in Toronto. Rev. W. E. Baker of Downsview was the guest of his cousin, Mr. John Tyndall, of "Pine View" on Sunday. Mrs. Hollingshead, Miss Richardson and Mr. Young of Newmarket were guests at "The Elms" over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. N. Line and daughter Irene of Maple visited on Sunday at "Cedar Grove," the residence of Mr. A. Paterson.

Miss Puterbaugh of Edgely was the guest of Mrs. E. Prentice for a few days this week. A meeting of Carville Ladies' Aid will be held at "The Elms," the residence of Mrs. Wm. Cook, on Wednesday, Oct. 25. Anniversary Sunday was observed in Carville Methodist church on the 15th inst. Services were conducted during the day by Rev. W. E. Baker of Downsview. In the afternoon and evening impressive sermons were preached from the following texts: "To every man according to his several ability" and "Where hast thou gleaned to-day?" The music given by the choir, assisted by Miss Richardson and Mr. Young, with Mrs. Hollingshead of Newmarket presiding at the organ, was much appreciated by the large congregations which attended both services. The duet in the afternoon by Miss Richardson and Mr. Young, also the solo by Mr. Young in the evening, were exceptionally well rendered and added much to the enjoyment and impressiveness of the occasion.

King Council Council met at Phillips' Hall, King City, on Saturday, Sept. 30th, 1905. Members all present. Council in committee of the whole on bills, Mr. MacMurchy in the chair, when the following bills were ordered to be paid:—

Joseph Billings, month's salary	\$33.33
H. Winger & Son, bridge on S. & L. new road	24.00
Robt. Brown, putting in new culvert	1.50
S. W. Armitage, lumber	4.20
John Follott, hauling lumber	1.75
Wm. Ough & Son, shovel and pick	1.85
Calvin Doan, repairs to culvert	2.50
Thos. Davis, " "	4.15
Walter Bovair, road work	8.10
Ed. Owens, " "	14.62
Luke Gibbons, " "	13.50
Albert Grey, repairs to bridge	9.00
S. Jamieson, road work	22.45
Michael McGinnis, road work	5.00
John Rae, repairs to bridge, and timber	39.80
Fred Graham, gravelling N. T. Line	77.00
Robt. Kelly, repairs to bridge, and road work	33.72
S. H. Lundy, printing	60.00
John McCarroll, road work	6.75
John Fry, " "	2.50
S. Jamieson, " "	8.00
John Ireland, work on temporary road, Laskay	7.12
Thos. Gray, lumber	10.24
Jas. Gillies, hauling lumber, Laskay	7.00
Eli Hollingshead, road work	6.87
A. Hollingshead, " "	5.25
Alfred Gordon, use of by-road at Laskay	15.00
John Clark, hauling sewer pipe	12.00
Henry Miller, cedar	5.50
Wm. McCarroll, road work	41.55
Robt. White, repairs to culvert	1.00
O. J. Hutt, gravel	25.90

MacMurchy—Phillips—That the bonds of the collectors be approved by this Council.

Armitage—Wells—That the clerk be instructed to notify the Schomberg and Aurora R. R. Co. to clean out the ditch on con. 7 on east side of road to prevent water backing upon John Evans' land.

Phillips—MacMurchy—That the following bills be paid for erection of wire fences on highway:—Calvin Doan, 24 rods, \$1.92; Wm. H. Proctor, 118 rods, \$9.44.

On motion Council adjourned to meet at Harris' Hotel, Schomberg, on Saturday, Oct. 25th, 1905.

Fall Pruning BY H. L. HUTT, B. S. A.

As soon as the leaves are off in the autumn much of the pruning of vines and bush fruits may be done to better advantage than by leaving it till next spring. Much, of course, depends upon the locality. In southern sections, where no winter protection of vines and bushes is needed, the pruning may be left till some convenient time during the early spring, but in northern sections, where grape vines and berry bushes have to be laid down in the fall and covered with earth or other covering before winter sets in, it is advisable to do the pruning before such covering is necessary.

Current and gooseberry bushes are so hardy that they need no winter protection, even in the north, and they leaf out so early in the spring that it is well to have them pruned in the fall. It is best to grow them in the bush form, allowing about six canes to the bush. And as the best fruit is borne on wood not more than three years old, it is well to adopt a renewal system of pruning whereby one-third of the bush is renewed each year. This can be done by cutting out two of the oldest canes each year and allowing two of the new canes to take their places. In this way the whole bush is renewed in three years. The ends of the new growth should be shortened enough to keep the bush symmetrical.

Raspberries and blackberries have perennial roots, but biennial canes; that is, the roots live through a number of years, but the canes die after fruiting at the end of the second season. Some kinds have more or less of an annual fruiting habit; that is, they bear fruit and die in one season. With such bushes then the annual pruning consists in cutting out all the canes which have borne fruit. The new canes also should be thinned out so as to leave only six or eight of the best canes to each bush; or, if the bushes are grown in the hedge row instead of the hill system, the thinning should leave the canes six or eight inches apart in the row.

As to whether the tops of raspberry or blackberry bushes should be headed back in the fall depends largely upon the locality. In sections where the canes do not kill back in the winter they may be headed back in the fall; but where the canes have to be laid down and covered, or where they kill back more or less during the winter, it is best to leave the heading back till spring, when they can be cut back to sound wood. The height to which sound canes should be cut back varies from three to five feet, depending upon the vigor of the bush.

There are almost as many systems of training the grape vine as there are kinds of grapes, but for northern sections one of the low arm renewal systems is best, as this facilitates the laying down and covering of the vines where that is necessary. In southern sections the Kniffen or one of the high arm sections is more convenient. Whatever method of training may be adopted the main object of the annual pruning is to remove all superfluous wood and reduce the vine to just what is sufficient to bear a full crop of fruit. Thirty or forty buds is usually all that is necessary, and these should be evenly distributed over the vine.

Vaughan Tp. Council.

Council met at Vellore on October 10. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. A communication was read from J. G. Hallett, manager of the Crown Bank, Woodbridge, soliciting part of the Township business. No action taken. Mr. Back asked for usual donation for Maple Public Library and Mr. A. McNeil for Vaughan Plowman's Association.

Cameron—Devins—That Treasurer pay Treasurer of Maple Public Library \$25.00.—Carried. Devins—Longhouse—That Treasurer pay Andrew McNeil for Vaughan Plowman's Association \$20.—Carried. McNair—Longhouse—That bonds of the collectors be accepted.—Carried. McNair—Devins—That the Treasurer pay the following accounts:—T. F. McMahon, printing and advertising \$112 00. P. S. Gibson, C. E. services, 1904-1905. 88 75

Road Accounts.

D. McDonald, repairing culvert	\$ 1 85
J. O'Connor, " "	3 40
Wm. Darker, cleaning ditches	2 10
Fred Wise, sharpening picks &c.	75
Chas. Huson, gravel	2 80
G. Sutton, teaming and repairing	8 82
Lock Maynard, work	6 30
John Snider, work	42
Jas. Ross, teaming	3 10
W. McClure, material and work	2 70
Wm. Lawrie, work on bridge	2 25
S. McClure, work on bridge	2 25
Edwin Hopcraft, teaming	4 50
Geo. Miller, teaming	4 50
John Ireland and Adam Coulter, to apply on contract re. Howland's Hill	250 00
T. Smyth, work and material	5 90
Wm. Robinson, work	3 15
Arthur Benn, repairs	11 95
Bert Gunn, replanking bridge	1 37
John Card, material	20 47
Yonge St. Account, to be paid by Markham	
Wm. Chatterley, 14 1/2 days' work	18 12
Wm. Ford, 3/4 tonise stone	5 00
Wm. Hopper, breaking stone	12 00
John Naughton, cedar	2 20
M. Conley, breaking stone	12 00
J. E. Francis, scythe stone and pick handle	30
B. & J. Grady, teaming	3 00
Statute Labor Account	
Div. 3, J. W. Rumble	\$ 8 62
Div. 11, J. Kerr	52 76
Div. 12, W. Hamilton	48 22
Div. 17, P. Devins	8 35
—Carried—	

Council adjourned to meet on Tuesday, Nov. 15. J. B. MacLEAN, Clerk.

Bolton Fair on Thanksgiving Day.

The prize list of Bolton Fair, which will be held on October 25th and 26th, has been received and promises an attractive program for the latter date. The premiums for horses are particularly good, the following purses being offered for speeding:—Free-for-all, \$80; 2.30 class, \$65; 3 minute, \$50; green, \$22. Football match, Caledon East vs. Lloydstown. The Band of the Governor General's Body Guard will be present and also give a concert in the town hall in the evening. Hon. J. W. St. John, Speaker of the Ontario Legislature, will formally open the fair. A special train will leave Toronto at 12.30 on the 26th and call at intermediate stations, returning at 10.30.

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