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## GENERAL NEWS AND VIEWS

Thornhill is going to have street lights. Why not lights all along Yonge Street from the city limits as far north as Schomberg Junction.

Everything comes to those who wait. Remember that when you are discussing the change of gauge of the radials or the paving of Yonge Street.

It is good advice for pedestrians walking in the North Yonge Street district to "face the traffic." With heavy fog it is often impossible for a motorist to observe a pedestrian in front of him when brilliant oncoming lights are in view. A pedestrian may not realize this and may be in real peril. If the walker crosses the road, however and faces the traffic he can see oncoming cars, and in case of danger step out of the way.

Two deer were seen by several people on Sunday last on the farm of Mr. Harvey Kaake, 5th line, Albion, a little more than two miles from Bolton. The deer were grazing with cattle and showed no restlessness until investigators came within a short distance of them, when they moved off leisurely. Wild deer are not often seen in this district.

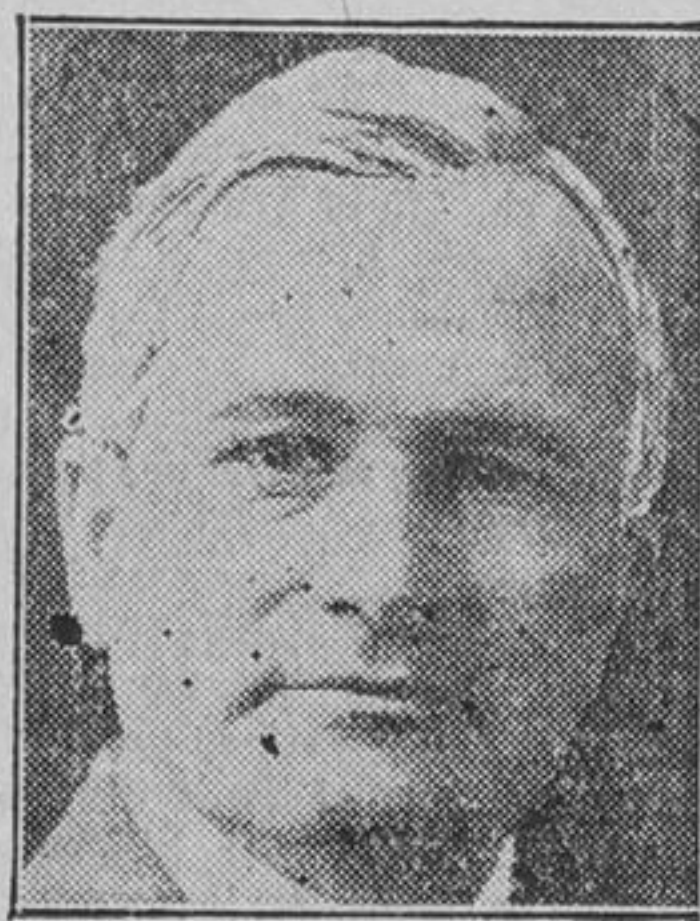
I have been a resident of Scarborough for upwards of 69 years and I never saw as much hay wasted through bad weather, writes the Malvern correspondent of the Markham Sun referring to this year's hay crop.

Sixty members of the English Newspaper Society will visit Canada next month with a view to obtaining a wide intimate first-hand knowledge of our Dominion. The party which will include most of the important daily newspapers outside of London, will tour Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The story of Canada will doubtless be told to the readers of those papers in several instalments, and as a result a real and vital interest in this country should be awakened in the minds of hundreds of thousands of people.

**Winners in Fall Wheat Competition**  
 The following are the winners in fall wheat, in the field Crop Competition under the auspices of the Markham Agricultural Society. The judge appointed by the Dept. of Agriculture, was J. J. Virtue of Hampton, Ontario.  
 1 Geo. B. Little, Agincourt—Dawson's Golden Chaff.  
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 6 Bert Kennedy, Agincourt—Dawson's Golden Chaff.  
 7 W. P. Johnson, Stouffville—Dawson's Golden Chaff.

**A Late Hour**  
 Not long ago a citizen was wending his way homeward, walking from this side to that, muttering to himself and wondering what Mary would say about the lateness of the hour. He had reached the square. It was midnight, but the citizen did not know it for as he looked at the clock in the steeple of the Methodist church the dials seemed to revolve like a buzz saw. "I am drunk," said the citizen, "drunk—too drunk to see straight, but if that clock would strike, I'm not so drunk but what I can count!" He sat down on the steps to think it over. Just then the clock began to strike. The man counted one—two—three—four—five—six—seven—eight—nine—ten—"It must be 'leven'" "leven—"("No, it's twelve!") twelve. Just then the Congregational clock began—"thirteen—"("Eh!")—fourteen—"Gee!" fifteen—"('D'ye hear that?)"—sixteen—"Lord but I'm full!" seventeen—"('T'ell!) eighteen—"("Holy smokes!"—nineteen—"(!)"—twenty—"(!)"—twenty-one—"(!)"—twenty-two—"(!)"—twenty-three—"(!)"—twenty-four—"Oh, but Mary'll give it to me! I never was out so late in my life!"

**Psychological Spot**  
 "Why are you scratching yourself, Doris?"  
 "Cos I'm the only one that knows where I itch."—The Humorist London.)



**NEW PRESIDENT**  
 Frederick C. E. Elford, Dominion Poultry Husbandman at Ottawa, has been elected president of the World's Poultry Congress, to be held in London, England, in 1930.

A teacher was instructing her class in the use of antonyms. "Now, children," she said, "what is the opposite of sorrow?"  
 "Joy," shrieked the class in unison.  
 "What is the opposite of pleasure?"  
 "Pain."  
 "And what is the opposite of woe?"  
 "Giddap."

Lloyd Turner has sold his handsome Clyde mare which he purchased a couple of years ago from Graham Bros., to Thos. Kidd of Victoria Square, Mr. Kidd previously purchased from Mr. Turner a very good mate for this animal, so that he now has the team.—Stouffville Tribune.

The world should honor the man who makes two blades of grass grow where one grew before. This is what has been accomplished an hundred-fold by Mr. J. B. DeFerri who owns one of the finest fruit and vegetable gardens in this district. It is situated on the third concession of Vaughan just north of the Elgin sideroad and is well worth a tour of inspection. Mr. DeFerri some twelve years ago purchased the property which was then regarded as unprofitable and unfruitful land and by hard work and careful application of the science of gardening has transformed the property into a veritable vineyard of plenty.

Stouffville baseball team received their first defeat this season in a league game at Aurora last week. The score was 1-4, and the game was keenly contested. Bruce Lehman pitched for Stouffville, and Curly Thompson, did the twirling for the Aurora boys.

One looks over the lost strayed or stolen columns in vain to find any mention of the Richmond Hill Intermediate Baseball team. They have vanished and no man seems to know whether. Looks as though the earth has opened and swallowed them up.


**Tell This One To Your Neighbour**  
 Down in a certain town a man went into a hardware store to buy some nails and he asked the price. It was 3.20, the dealer said.  
 "Good gracious," said the man. "I can get the same thing from a mail order house for \$2.82."  
 "That's a low price," said the dealer, "but I'll sell it on the same terms as the mail order house just the same."  
 "All right," said the customer. "You can send it along and charge it to my account."  
 "Not on your life," replied the dealer. "No charge accounts. You can't do business with the mail order house that way. Fork over the cash."  
 The customer handed over the cash. "Now two cents for postage and five cents for the money order."  
 The customer, inwardly raving, kept to his agreement and paid the seven cents.

"Now thirty-five cents expressage."  
 "Well, I'll be—" the customer said but paid it, adding: "Now hand me it and I'll take it home for myself and be rid of this foolery."  
 "Hand it to you? Where do you think you are? You'll have to wait a week."  
 Whereupon he placed the nails behind his counter. "That makes \$3.24," he said. "It has cost you 4 cents more and taken you a week longer to get it than if you had paid my price in the first place."

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