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FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1896.

LOCAL LAONICS.

Boots and Shoes
at auction prices for 30 days at M W Collins New Shoe Store, East Side, Whitby.
Allin's for pure drugs.
Hardwood dining tables, 4 leaves, only \$5, at W. Till's.
Mr. Jas. Gordon, Pickering, was in town on Sunday last.
Mr. B. Saunders, Guelph, is visiting at His Honor Judge Dartnell's.
Save your butter account by using Tod's bread. Half the butter will do.
Even Toronto hankers for an earthquake since the news went in from Whitby.
McGeary's horse won third money at Trenton last week in a race which was won in 2:18.
Messrs. Hugh M. Ross and Jno. Willis are off to Oswego this week for a schooner jaunt of the Flora Carveth.
Mr. Essie Arnold is off on a bicycle trip for two weeks. He will go as far west as Chatham during his absence.
Messrs. W. W. Tamblin, M. A., and W. J. Greenwood, B. A., are appointed examiners in the subject of English grammar at Toronto this year.
Mr. W. H. Hall, editor and proprietor of Markham Sun, and Mr. Brodie, Markham, were in town on Sunday last, they being en route for Oshawa.
About 450 people excorted to Toronto on Monday on steamer Eurydice, fifty or more Whitby people being in the crowd. The overnight trip at night was not so well patronized.
OB for Muskoka, Mackinaw, seaside, Manitoba, Europe, all United States, B. C. and Canadian points, anywhere, every-where, by boat, rail or ocean. Rates guaranteed right. Through tickets reading from Pickering, Toronto, Myrtle, Brooklin or Whitby. Write or see Stephenson, Whitby before traveling. Choice of all routes and to best ocean S. S. lines. Buy Stephenson's round trip tickets to only \$28.
To Day!!!
Ice cream, cakes, boiled ham, at Yates'.
Great Sale
of boots and shoes at auction prices for 30 days at M W Collins' New Shoe Store, East Side, Whitby.
Steamer A J Tymon.
Commencing to-day the steamer A. J. Tymon will make a trip from Bowmanville to Oshawa and Whitby to Toronto and return every Friday. This is not a very large boat, but is strong, swift and safe, and will give the utmost satisfaction. Round trip 50 cents. Our Leading Grain Grower.
Mr. Thos. Manderson made his annual call at this office a few days before he left samples of the ripening crop. He selected three varieties of fall wheat—Surprise White, Roger's Red, and Dawson's Golden Chaff—and one of rye. We do not see how any of the bunches could well be better. The samples are hanging in our sanctum for inspection.

Harriet Beecher Stowe's Last Letter.
The last thing written by Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, only a few days before her death, was a loving acknowledgment to the public for fond remembrance, and tokens and expressions of affectionate esteem, on her 83rd birthday, which she sent to the Ladies' Home Journal. In the next issue of this magazine it will be published in facsimile. It reflects the beautiful nature of the gifted authoress, and by her death has become her last message to the American public.
The Earthquake.
The severest shock of earthquake known to have visited this part of the country in years occurred between 5 and 10 minutes to Monday evening. Hundreds of towns-people report having been awakened, while not a few who were awake give accurate accounts of the phenomena. The sound was most like that of distant but very heavy thunder, and lasted probably 20 seconds. After about one-third of the shock had passed, and when time the roll of sound had been extremely even, there came a tremendous thump. From then on until loss of sensation, the even rolling thump, the sound which had characterized its commencement was resumed, and gradually people and those living in the country immediately to the north are pretty well agreed that the shock passed further to the north across the country, but in which direction it travelled could not certainly be determined, although the preponderance of opinion is that it was towards the northwest or west and came from the east or northeast. Houses were shaken, windows rattled, dishes moved, and in some instances it is stated that furniture tumbled. The sky was slightly clouded at the time, but the stars shone brightly where not obscured by the clouds. The air was very still, and the atmosphere might be said to have been hot and close; no thunderstorm preceded the earth tremor, nor followed it, and there was no mistaking the nature of the disturbance. But in the course of a few hours the commotion resulted in a fine morning shower. Later reports show that the rumbling was heard and felt northwest of here in a course running north of Oshawa in the direction of Taunton.

The best in the land to be slaughtered. The Slater boots and shoes. Don't miss the chance. Only 30 days at M W Collins' East Side Shoe Store.
Allin's for pure powder.
Mrs. Sam. Thompson, New York, is here on a visit.
Miss Florence Dartnell, Toronto, is home on her holidays.
Try Tod's bread, sold only at Yates', at 5 cents per loaf.
Mr. W. G. Walters returned home from Montreal on Sunday morning.
Miss May Collison spent a few days with her parents in Toronto this week.
6 piece solid walnut parlor suite, plush, with silk plush bands, for \$32, worth \$45, at W. Till's.
Lou. Lintner is indisposed this week. A slight attack of typhoid fever appears to be the cause.
Mr. S. Coxworth returned last week from the old country with an importation of Berkshire hogs and Cots-wold sheep.
Master Jno. McDonald, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Angus McDonald, has been in Toronto during past week, undergoing an operation for throat trouble.
Miss Eva Clemence, of Uxbridge, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Clemence for past three weeks, left for her home week. Miss Eva Clemence, of this town, accompanied her.
Mr. Roger Rice, express messenger on the Locals between Toronto and Belleville, is spending a few days with his aunt, in Detroit before resuming his duties.
To-day is decoration day at the union cemetery and St. John's at the bay. The mayor has proclaimed a half holiday. Oshawa lodges will also decorate at the union cemetery and the 34th battalion band will play the airs.
The national division of the Sons of Temperance met in Washington, D. C., last week. Mr. Thos. Caswell, city solicitor, Toronto, was elected Most Worthy Patriarch, and Mr. W. J. Gates, of Nova Scotia, Most Worthy Associate, the two highest offices in their order. This is quite a feather in the cap of the order for Canada. The next session will be held in Montreal, Quebec, in 1897.
Ice Cream Parlor.
For the best Ice Cream, call at D. Mathison's, Dundas street.—23-1f.
Write for \$3000.
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Allin's for fly poison, pads and tanglefoot sticky fly.
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An earthquake or two is nothing to Whitby one way or the other.
Miss Louie Warren, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Warren, is home from college.
Mr. Jas. Ayres, Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ayres Sunday and Monday.
Miss Carrie Stephenson, Peterboro, is visiting in town, the guest of Miss Edith Gross.
D. M. Tod's bread and cakes are sold at T Yates'. Give him a call when you want anything nice in that line.
His Honor Judge Burnham and Messrs. Wright and Mutton, sat here as auditors of criminal justice on Monday and Tuesday.
The Checkers, of Beaverton, defeated the Uxbridge lacrosse team by a score of 2-0 in a league game at Uxbridge on Thursday last.
A lacrosse match has been arranged between Oshawa and Whitby at Oshawa on July 24th. All the players here are requested to attend practice as often as possible.
Mr. Geo. Barnes was unable to play with Stouffville in the Stouffville-Markham championship game on Saturday, on account of injury received by being run down by a bicyclist on July 1st.
In a championship lacrosse game at Stouffville on Saturday last the Markham team defeated Stouffville by 3 goals to 2. At the end of two hours play the game stood 2-2, but after fifteen minutes more Markham scored free from roughness. The game was fast and exciting.

Crop prospects throughout the county lead us to look for more than average crop. There is less complaint among farmers this year over the crop prospects than we have heard for years. The yield promises to be unusually good. Prices may be low, but that will not trouble those who grow grain for feed. The apple crop will also be abundant. Those who have large orchards are reasonably sure of a good thing, while others are planting trees hoping to get their reward later on.
Geo. Dunsheath, a farmer who lives in Pickering township, was arrested in Toronto on Tuesday on a charge of forgery. It is alleged that Dunsheath forged the name of a rich Markham township farmer named S. A. Monkhouse to a note of \$210, given in favor of Henry Russell of the Schiller House, of Toronto. When arraigned in the police court he pleaded not guilty, but said he was not prepared to go on with the case, and he was remanded for a week. Application for bail was refused.
Four bloomer bicyclists, two male and two female, spent an hour or two in town Wednesday. The girls had everything that is suggestive of new women in their garb and conduct, even to sitting cross-legged in front of the hotels. There was nothing but the outline of their figures to show that they were not men, their conduct being as much as possible the same. In riding they had the same hump on their backs and appeared to have equal strength. They went east from town.
A pointer for housekeepers.
All your wants supplied at Allin's drug store, rubber rings, corks, sealing wax, etc.
Up-to-date styles
Men's fine kid gaiters toe tip \$1; Mens' fine kid lace boots, narrow toe, \$1; ladies' fine kid buttoned boots, toe tip, narrow toe only \$1; ladies' fine kid oxford shoes, narrow toe, only 85c at the new shoe store, M W Collins.
St John's Church.
The Rev. T. R. O'Meara, curate of Trinity church, Toronto, and secretary of Wycliffe College, will conduct divine service in this church on Wednesday evening, the 22nd inst., at 8 o'clock. At the close of the service holy communion will be administered.

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Cost sinks out of sight in this sale. If saving is making money this is certainly coinin Don't fail to share in the bargains of the

GREAT CLEARING SALE AT C. F. STEWART'S

LIST TO THE DIRGE OF PRICES.

Job Lots of Dress Goods 25, 35 and 50c. Reduced to 12, 15 and 25c. See our Prints 6, 10, 12, 14c. All New Goods. New Colored Crepons, all new, goods just in, sold for 15c. our prices Saturday 11c. New Black Crepons regular 15c. for 12c. be sure and see them. See our Flannels at 6, 7 and 15c. See our New White Spot Muslins at 20c. regular 25c. All our Wool Delains to be sold at cost and under.

MILLINERY. —: MILLINERY.

All must go regardless of price. Trimmed Hats regular \$5, for \$3. Trimmed Sailors regular \$1 75, for \$1. See our Ladies' Belt Buckles at only 10c. New Blouse Sets, regular 50c. to go at 25c. Very best goods.

Ordered Clothing at Great Reduction.
Halifax Tweed Suits only \$10. Blue Serge Suits only \$12. Fine Black Suits a specialty. No trash in our stock.

Everything at Reduced Prices. This is the store for real Bargains.

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W. G. WALTERS'

Great July Clearing Sale.

BARGAINS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

We intend to make business as lively as possible during the present rather slow month if **LOW PRICES** and plenty of them will do it.

Clearing out the Departments, And the Reduction of Stock

will be the main object of our business, and no effort will be spared to make July a **RECORD BREAKER** in this respect. Shoppers in general should not fail to inspect the immense inducement we are offering in

Wash Dress Goods, Silks, Linnens, Cottons, and Ready-to-Wears of every description, Including Jackets, Capes, Blouses, Boys' Clothing, Hosiery and Underwear, Parasols, etc., etc.

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TRY IT ONCE YOU WILL USE NO OTHER.

M. C. LAWLER.

Back in Whitby.

WM. TILL, Furniture Dealer, etc.

STOP AND THINK!

Before you purchase your Furniture it will repay you to come to my store for a short time. I will sell:

- Good Wire Mattress, any size, for \$1.75
- Good Mixed Mattress, good ticking 2.75
- Good Maple Bedsteads for 3.00
- Solid Oak Bedroom Sets for 16.00
- Hardwood Sets for 11.00
- Oak Parlor Sets, worth \$26, for 20.00
- Finest Rug Sets, spring edges, extra spring backs, worth \$65, for 45.00
- Plush Sets, spring edges, silk plush bands for 30.00
- Show wood Lounges for 4.50
- Hardwood Dining Tables for 4.50
- Solid Oak Dining Tables for 3.00
- Children's Carriages at cost to clear.

UNDERTAKING—A full stock of Coffins, Caskets, etc., and a first-class Hearse.

Upholstering in all its branches. Repairing promptly attended to. A call respectfully solicited.

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As a blood maker, blood purifier, health giver and system renovator **Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound** is unrivalled.

The eruptions on the face particularly have been removed, and the trouble in my back as well, and I feel like a new man. I consider Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound better than doctor's medicine for blood and liver troubles, as it has proved so in my case.

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