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Special attention to collection of Farmers' sale notes.
E. D. WARREN,
Manager of Whitby Branch.

Warning.
This is to warn all parties against giving credit to any person on my account after this date, as I shall not settle any accounts contracted after this notice.
H. W. LITTLE, Brooklin P. O.
Nov. 20th, 1897.—2in.

FIRST CLASS
FARM TO RENT OR SELL.

Lot 24, 6th con of West Whitby, in the village of Brooklin, comprising 100 acres known as the Bickle Homestead. On the premises is a good house and outbuildings, good garden and one acre of good orchard. Possession for plowing given at once, and possession of whole farm by Nov. 1, 1897. For further particulars apply to
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LOCAL NEWS LETTERS.

CHRONICLE CORRESPONDENCE.

GREENWOOD

Mr J. Richardson, of Salem, Sundayed with Mr N. Ledgett.

Miss Emma Ledgett, of Toronto, is spending a short time under the parental roof.

Mrs W. G. Ward spent a few days in Toronto recently.

Miss Kate Bray, of Claremont, was the guest of Miss Lena Gibson a few days last week.

A number of the young people attended the oyster supper given by the Glen Major people on Monday. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

The evening services at Kinsale on Sunday were well attended by the Greenwood people.

There was splendid skating on the pond for a few days until the ice spoiled it. Say boys why not organize a hockey club and be up to the times with the rest of the small places?

The literary entertainment given by the league on Wednesday last week was well attended. A choice programme was given by members of the Mount Zion, Kinsale, Audley and Greenwood leagues. A pleasant and profitable evening was spent by all and everyone was well pleased for attending.

Sunday, Dec. 10th, is the day set for the Sabbath school anniversary services. A stranger is expected to conduct the services both morning and evening. A tree will be felling will be taken on each service to meet the expenses of the school.

The trustees of our east are considering the engagement of a teacher. The ratepayers have confidence in the present teacher, who will have little work to do but reorganize Mr Smith.

Rev G. Clark, of Greenwood, preached a missionary sermon to an unusually large congregation on Sunday. His discourse, to my mind, was practical, and contained many things touching upon superstition.

The officers and members of the E. L. are preparing an excellent programme of music, readings, recitations and essays for Tuesday evening Dec 14th. Several are also coming from a distance, and the committee are determined this will surpass any previous efforts. Come early and get seats. Silver collection to meet the expenses of the term.

The question is, who will be our postmaster after New Year's? We hope our present postmaster will continue in the duties. We must have an office, and it seems too bad that the Government has seen fit to lower the salary on account of so small a scale of stamps. Let us soon report that the office is here to stay.

When a country woman, who goes no farther than the home—perhaps to market once a month—meets a neighbor, what is the conversation? Well, she tells everything that she knows has taken place and all that will take place, according to her meagre judgement. She goes farther and, probably, unknowingly slanders her friends, and blackens a pure character. Remembering that the gossip only awaits an opportunity to endanger the listeners' prospects. Shun or rather try to improve a gossip, for pity them when they can see nothing good or true in the life of a neighbor.

PINE DALE

Mrs Wm Wright is visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

David Martin has been laid up for a week with sore throat, but is on duty again now.

The Daytonians are going to have a Christmas tree in connection with their Sabbath school.

Mr Jas Rennie started for Brantford on Monday morning to attend the fat stock showing held there. He has taken seven head of cattle which it will be hard to beat.

There is some talk of having a curfew bell established in our town. It might be a good thing if it could be made to be effective, not only to children, but to those also who were children some years ago; it might perhaps stop a little talk.

J. C. BOTT.

PORT PERRY

Dr Clemens was in town a few days ago.

Hon Jno Dryden was in town last Saturday on business.

Daniel Rose, who was a resident of this town many years ago, and now of Belleville, was here on Wednesday.

There is some stir with the candidates in the coming municipal elections. Messrs Jeffrey and Rundle are out for the reevehip. The names of Messrs Purdy, Bateman, J. Nott, Frise and Philip are mentioned for councilors.

We have in our midst a clever little girl, Clara Broad, a daughter of Edward Broad, who is rapidly making a name for herself as a reciter. For a child she does exceedingly well, having a good delivery and a clear voice. She has engaged to recite at the Dec 8th; Layton, Dec 9th; Millbrook, Dec 10th and Greenbank on New Years.

The senior Epworth League of the Methodist church held a social evening to their members and friends on Monday evening. An appropriate programme was rendered, during which the young ladies served cakes and coffee to those present. A very pleasing feature of the evening was the question and answer slip given out requiring the ladies and gentlemen to find out who had the corresponding number.

The insurance inspectors have been here this week and adjusted the fire losses. T. C. Nicholls, of Uxbridge, was here on Monday, and not only had his loss settled but sold his lot and the walls for \$400 to Joshua Wright who intends to start building at once and expects to have his building ready by the first of next February. Everyone thinks Mr. Wright struck a snag when he bought the land, etc., from Mr. Nicholls. It is one of the best stands in town and Mr. Wright can congratulate himself on securing such a lot. C. H. Allison will in a few days open out in Lang & McBarry block for about two months. Dr Sangster and Denton Sangster will be ready in a few days in office centrally located in the Willard block over the post office.

A Field Day for Inspector Ferguson

Many in town wondered on Monday morning what brought Inspector Ferguson so soon again to our town. As the hours passed it was soon found out that he had business on hand of a very urgent kind. Hotelkeeper Harding, of Seagrave, who came from Lindsay to Seagrave hotel, has not got his true bearings yet, and has found out that it costs money to sell good whiskey on Sundays. Result: \$20 and costs. He sold whiskey on Sunday, Nov 28th, to different dry ones. Mrs Whitney, who has evidently forgotten the many warnings given to her lately, sold liquor to minors on Thanksgiving day. Result: \$10 fine and costs. At this writing one of the minors who drank beer at Seberis hotel has been fined \$2 and costs, in all \$28, and rumor says that several informations have been laid against several others, some of them minors. Truly the way of the transgressor is hard. There is weeping, wailing and gnashing of teeth among a certain clique. On Thanksgiving day several boys in their teens got sophisticated on beer and soft drinks with a stick in them. It was a sad spectacle to see boys, intelligent and clever and members of respectable families, with their fathers of respectability and hotelkeepers in Port Perry, Seagrave and Manchester: just keep right on gentlemen, in the work of filling boys up with your beer and whiskey, and breaking the law, and in less than two days next March a most determined opposition to your applications for a license. From the numerous reports flying about two or three hotels in Port Perry and Reach may have trouble in securing the necessary government paper called a license. When law and order is set at defiance as it is in those hotels the only way to get justice is to close their bars. When hotelkeepers with curses in their hearts will sell whiskey and oaths state that they will sell whiskey and bear to whom they like, boys or men, and on Sundays as well, then it is time for respectable law-abiding people to have a say in the matter. When a man can go in a hotel with \$35 in cash, and in less than two days not have a cent left, when a man with a wad of bills is kept in a hotel for days until his money is all gone; when a man can be turned out of a hotel at near the midnight hour on a cold wintry night and only kept from being nearly frozen by a kind-hearted citizen taking him home instead of allowing him to plod home as best he can; when a man can go into a hotel with his summers wages and inside of twenty-four hours lose it all and then be shoved out doors to go home it is high time that the better element of the people in Port Perry and Reach took steps to stop this kind of rum selling. A prominent hotel man in this vicinity has asked me not to write up the hotels any more, to use his own words "Give us hotelmen a rest, for Gods sake." Yes, sir, I will give you a rest gladly and with pleasure if you will obey the law in not selling liquor in this town on the Sabbath day. Fair-riding, gentlemen; troublesome times ahead, so report says. Some of those people who are such awful good friends of the hotelmen say, "That a man or a boy is a sneak and a spy when he tells or informs on a hotel keeper or a man who is violating the law." I ask, which is the sneak? That man who sells my boy or some other fathers boy like mine, beer or whiskey which robs them of their reason for the time and doing violates the law, or the man who by doing violates the law, or the man who informs on the hotelman that sets at defiance law, decency and respect? There is too much of this whisky-washy sentiment in this town and vicinity, and the least said is soonest mended. Our Under-the-better for themselves if they have any respect for what manhood they have left. I learn that I am blamed for some of those informations being sent to the inspector. I am not to be blamed for an information, and further, I do not know who the informer is.

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