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CLAREMONT.

The new market at North Claremont is booming. Every Tuesday a large amount of farmers' produce changes hands.

Mr. Tobias Caster shipped a carload of new wheat to Toronto on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gale, of Toronto, visited at Reeve Gerow's over Sunday.

Miss J. Mickell is visiting her cousin at Stouffville.

Miss Stokes, of Mt. Albert, is visiting at Mr. Geo. Cooper's.

Mr. Wm. Leaper has the framework of the new rink erected on a stone foundation.

Mr. Parks, of Toronto, was visiting friends in Claremont over Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hopper, Mr. and Miss Gregg and Miss Waddle are expected back from the Old Country about Tuesday or Wednesday next.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Campbell, are visiting friends in Western Ontario.

The "Sports" of our town spend their spare moments playing croquet on Jobbitt's lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and daughter, of Parkdale, were visiting at Mr. Tobias Caster's during the past week.

Mr. Fred Tilson, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. L. Caster for a few days.

Mr. Geo. Dowdswell, of Toronto, is visiting under the parental for a couple of weeks.

Miss Mowbray, of Kingsale, has been engaged as teacher for the Junior department of our public school.

Mr. Luther Bowes, of Camilla, has returned home for a short time.

Milton Kitchen left last week for Rossau, where he is engaged to work in H. W. Crossley's stables.

Mr. Dalgetty, the horse buyer, shipped seventeen fine heavy horses from here last week for Glasgow. The prices ranged from \$60 to \$125.

A large number of the elite of Claremont were present by invitation at the lawn party given by the Misses Thompson on Tuesday evening, and a very pleasant evening was spent. The lawn was beautifully illuminated by Chinese lanterns. During the evening Dr. Brodie was called to the chair and a short programme was gone through with, consisting of readings by Miss Pickett, Miss Cooper and C. J. Brodie, V.S.; solos by Miss Stokes, of Mt. Albert, and Mr. Ed. Evans; recitation by Miss Jessie Thompson.

Parties wishing to subscribe for the Claremont Free Press, please call on Mr. Wm. Covington who has charge of the office in Bundy's Block, open every day in the week. News of any value of credit to this.

The sudden death of Hugh Wilson was startlingly received by our people on Saturday, Aug. 1st. Deceased leaves a wife and seven children, the youngest one being about ten years of age. He was in his 64th year, a hearty man all his life. Saturday morning he was engaged harvesting with Charles Proctor. They were binding beside each other, when deceased remarked that they would finish the job before night and started on his row. His partner missed him and on looking back saw him prone upon the ground dead, having expired without a struggle. The remains were interred on Monday, Aug. 3rd at Ashburn, where a large number of former friends and acquaintances assembled to witness the last sad rights.

ALTONA.

(From our own Correspondent.)

A 7-year-old daughter of Mr. Henry Elson, of Altona, was accidentally shot on Saturday afternoon by her older brother, a boy of 10 years of age, who did not know the gun was loaded. The little girl lived 12 hours after, everything being done that medical aid could do for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cliff, have returned after a week's visit with friends in Toronto and Weston.

Messrs. Cliff & Son, of the Altona apiary report an excellent yield of honey this season of a superior quality. Their bee yard is said to be one of the best in the Province as to location and equiptage.

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son, for 70 yards of gravel furnished road division No. 50, \$7; A. Nighswander, for building a culvert and railing opposite lot 33, 8th con., \$7; J. A. Mitchell, for 200 cedar posts, delivered at Brougham and Pickering, \$16; J. H. Connor, for building a culvert on the Kingston road, west of Dunbarton, \$8.75; J. H. Connor, for teaming cedar from Brougham to the Kingston road, \$2; A. Booth, for repairing a culvert on the sideroad between lots 30 and 31, in the 1st con., and putting in a culvert on the Kingston road opposite lot 32, \$10.50; Jas. Rouse, for breaking 5 toise of stone, \$24.70; P. P. Madill, breaking 5 toise of stone, \$24.50; John Burton, for 157 yards of gravel, \$15.70; Henry Byer, drawing gravel for the 9th con., between lots 18 and 19, \$15.80; John Michell, grading on the town line between the townships of Uxbridge and Pickering, opposite lots 30 and 31, \$29.50, also building a culvert at the same place, and extra grading, \$9.50, one-half paid by Uxbridge township, Pickering share, \$19.50; W. J. Turner, building an abutment under the bridge between lots 34 and 35, in the 8th con., and drawing timber and extending the length of the bridge, \$20.25; David Annis, 134 yards of gravel furnished per contract on the 6th con., \$13.40; Wm. Devitt, for tile for divisions 41, 52, 68 and 69 and for the Altona sewer as well as delivering and giving instructions for laying and for drawing two loads of gravel, \$47.37; Joseph Pilkey, 16 yards of gravel for road division No. 16, \$1.28; Wm. Gibson, drawing gravel between lots 12 and 13, in the 8th con., \$12; F. Soden, for grading the hill between lots 12 and 13, 8th con., \$13; H. Morrison, a bonus of 12c. on 90 rods of wire fence built on the side-road between lots 22 and 23, broken front, \$11.25; W. M. Michell, for work done on road division No. 69, \$9; W. M. Michell, for grading and ditching on the northern town-line, opposite the 3rd con., \$17.50; also grading opposite lot 34 in the 8th con., \$3.90, total \$21.40; Jas. White for a cedar railing for the road opposite lot 20, 1st con., \$1.30; A. Gormally, path-master, the amount of statute labor returned from road division No. 9, and collected by F. Hutchison for the year 1895, \$5.75.

—\$50 EACH AND COSTS.—Messrs. Jas. Gordon, Pickering, J. M. Gerow, Brougham, Alex. Wilson, Claremont, Wm. O'Leary, Pickering, and W. Besse, Whitevale, five Pickering hotel-keepers, appeared before P. M. Harper on Friday for sentence for selling liquor without license. It was the final of the cases which have been standing for over two years. There were three cases against Wilson, two against Gerow, and one each against Gordon, O'Leary and Besse, but only one fine was imposed upon each man—\$50 and costs. As usual the legal sprout appeared and stuck out for further adjournments, in order to enable him to make Premier Hardy and even when County Attorney Farwell produced letters from Mr. Hardy's department, stating that the Attorney-General did not intend to interfere in the case, the lawyer hung on for more time. This the magistrate refused to allow, and a total of \$250 and costs was paid in by the defendants. The costs in each case amounted to from \$8 to \$12.

Farmers and other stock raisers should be very careful in the matter of keeping any animals suffering from contagious disease. As soon as an animal is known or suspected of having any of these diseases, it should be isolated and minister of agriculture at Ottawa immediately notified. An inspection will then be made and the case properly dealt with. The inspector has lately had to slaughter several animals that were affected with lumpy jaw. There is a heavy penalty for failing to report all diseased animals.

BE SURE YOU ARE RIGHT. And then go ahead. If your blood is impure, your appetite failing, your nerves weak, you may be sure that Hood's Sarsaparilla is what you need. Then take no substitute. Insist upon Hood's and only Hood's. This is the medicine which has the largest sales in the world. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier. Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient, always reliable, easy to take, easy to operate.

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VOTERS' LISTS 1896.



MUNICIPALITY OF THE Village of Stouffville COUNTY OF YORK.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in sections five and six of "The Voters' Lists Act," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the List made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said municipality, to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at Elections for members of the Legislative Assembly, and at municipal Elections, and that said list was posted up at my office at Stouffville, on the 2nd day of July, 1896 and remains there for inspection. Electors are called upon to examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

A. G. BROWN, Clerk of said municipality. Dated this 2nd day of July, 1896.

TAKE NOTICE.

The public are hereby notified that I will not be responsible to anyone negotiating buying or in any way becoming possessed of a certain Promissory note purported to have been signed by me, made in favour of one Calvin Yake, of the village of Stouffville for the sum of \$1,200, and which is now past due. As I have never received any value for said note.

HIRAM YAKE, Witness, James O'Brien. Dated at Stouffville the 9th day of June, A. D. 1896.

Agony

The wonderful cure related below is by no means unusual with Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine has given health to suffering children, even when health seemed impossible. The secret of its success is that it purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood. "I wish to tell of a wonderful cure effected by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Five years ago my little boy was suddenly seized with a severe lameness, apparently in his right knee, which some physicians said was rheumatism, while others said it was hip disease and that it was

Incurable

During the next winter and spring he became rapidly worse. We footed Jimmie to a specialist, who said it was hip disease. At this time, the affliction became so severe that we could not move him without causing screams of agony. He became reduced in weight to 30 pounds, and was but a shadow of his former self. We had about given up hope when we read of a cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla of a similar case. We resolved to try this medicine. Jimmie was decidedly improved after taking the first bottle. He was even

Better

after the second. We have since used over a dozen bottles of the medicine, and the change has exceeded our expectations. Jimmie is now able to walk without the aid of crutches and goes to school every day. He has been wonderfully cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. O. RUNDRELL, Ontario, Michigan.

Cured

Druggist C. C. Tubbs says he knows the Rundrell boy has been wonderfully cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla and that Mr. Rundrell is thoroughly reliable. He has a good sale of Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, both of which are giving perfect satisfaction. He says Hood's Pills seem to be the coming family cathartic.

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Valuable Farm FOR SALE BY TENDER.

The undersigned will receive tenders for that valuable farm, situated south of the Stouffville Public School, being part of Lots 34 and 35, in the 9th Con. of Markham, containing 48 acres more or less. This is, without doubt, one of the best properties in Ontario. The buildings consist of a good large frame house and an excellent barn. There is also a good well, a fine young orchard and berries of all descriptions.

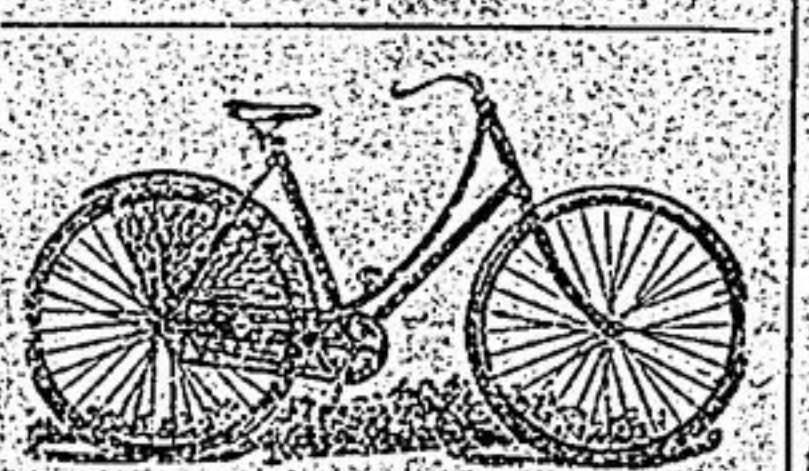
Tenders will also be received for a small farm of 18 acres in the 9th Con. of Markham, Lot 31. This is a fine little home for the right man. On this property is a frame house and barn, a good well and a gentle stream of good spring water constantly flows through it from east to west.

Tenders will be received for the whole of the above named properties or a portion of them. The proprietor desires to give more attention to other business. Possession given the 1st of October.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until the 15th of July, 1896.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars apply to

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Having taken over the Agency heretofore held by J. Elliott for the following companies: G. Western Life Insurance Co. Imperial Fire Western Fire. It will be to the advantage of all wishing a FIRST-CLASS COMPANY and LIBERAL POLICY to call upon me before insuring elsewhere.

M. M. BRENT, Agent. Office, Standard Bank, Stouffville.

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