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## DISTRICT NEWS.

### SILHAM.

Mr. T. H. Eckhardt lost a fine horse last week, by inflammation.  
Messrs. Dike, our carpenters, started their summer's work on Monday morning.  
Wonder what dude broke his shaft Sunday when crossing the pool of Silham.  
Mr. T. Gould, of Uxbridge, preached in the church here to an appreciative congregation.

### NEWMARKET.

The Clerk and Treasurer's salary was raised \$75 at the last Council meeting.  
The net revenue from the town waterworks for the first four months is \$52.78. Connections will be put in for a number more water takers as soon as the frost is out of the ground.  
At a recent meeting of the Town Council a By-law was passed providing that all dogs must wear a tag in future, instead of the usual assessment. The by-law comes into effect on the first of May, and after that date all dogs found without a tag will be impounded, and if not redeemed at a cost of \$2 within three days, will be destroyed.—Banner.

### BLOOMINGTON.

Mr. Joseph Walker's barn was burnt on Thursday evening. Cause, small boys playing with matches. Mr. Walker's loss is considerable as there was no insurance. Two horses narrowly escaped being burnt. Mr. Joseph Lemon who rents the farm lost a quantity of grain.  
Promotion Examination on Friday last. Thirty-six candidates in all wrote in the different classes. Results will be published shortly.  
Big taffy pull at Joe's not long ago, and as usual the taffy got stolen while the boys and girls were otherwise enjoying themselves, when they ought to have been watching. Caught the thief at the barn.  
Mr. Conklin, paid us a flying visit last week. Came on Thursday evening and left again the next day. Always glad to see him.

### PICKERING COUNCIL.

Council met in the town hall, Brougham on Monday, April 8th. Members all present. Petitions were read asking for grants to improve Kingston road; to improve Greenwood road; to improve road from Pickering village to G. T. R. Station; to improve sideroad between lots 30 and 31; to improve road between lots 10 and 11, 3rd Con.; to pay Lamoreaux for the burial of Mrs. Beverly.  
It was resolved to memorialize the Minister of P. W. to aid the Pickering Harbor Co. in dredging the harbor.  
The following claim for sheep damages was allowed, \$6.67 to Oliver Badgerow in addition to \$11.83 already paid.  
The special committee reported unfavorably on the proposed road between lots 20 and 21, Con. 4.  
The tender of James Hiltz for work on Bay road, at \$4.90 a rod, was accepted.  
The following accounts were ordered paid:  
Hart & Co. assessment rolls, \$5 45  
Wm. McKittrick, supplies to Mrs. Stoner, 5 50  
Dr. Dale's attendance on Wilkinson, 17 00  
Clark Bros. Advertising, 2 70  
A By-law was passed relating to transient traders.  
The clerk was instructed to correspond with iron bridge companies with reference to the cost, utility, etc. of such bridges, for future use of the council.  
Council then adjourned.  
Scrofula is transmitted from parent to child, and thus becomes a family inheritance for generations. It is therefore the duty of every scrupulous person to cleanse his blood by a thorough and persistent course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is sold by all druggists.

# 50 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.

We have just received a large consignment of Dry Goods and Groceries, upwards of Four Thousand Dollars worth at FIFTY CENTS ON THE DOLLAR, which will be disposed of at half the regular prices.—Tremendous Bargains.

124 lbs. Granulated Sugar, \$1.00; 18 lbs. Light Sugar, \$1.00; 6 lbs. good Tea, \$1.00; 15 Bars Soap, 25 cts.; Buttons, 3 to 5 cts. per doz. worth 15 to 25 cts.; Lace Curtains, 50 cts. per pair, worth \$1.00; Dress Goods at half regular prices; Clothing at staggering prices; Cotton, 7 cts. worth 10 cts.; Cotton, 2 1/2 cts. per yard; Spools 2 1/2 cts. each.

This big purchase, of Warriner's is a great bonanza and will enable him as in the past to ever carry the sway for bargains and his motto is Never To Be Undersold, See Warriner, the cheap man before buying elsewhere.

**S. M. WARRINER,  
THE LEADER,  
STOUFFVILLE.**

### ATHA.

Rather quiet around here at present. People wonder how Ralph managed to nurse his measles and mumps.  
Miss Boden from the States is visiting her many friends in this neighborhood.  
Our school re-opened on Monday last after being closed for two weeks on account of measles.  
The men who abused their horse so badly on the night of the election should be aware that there is a law against such practices.

### NIGHTINGALE.

### MOUNT ALBERT.

Farmers busy seeding now; some of them will get through this week.  
Mr. V. Brooks has been improving his hall by adding a neat and attractive front to it and the school room.  
Mr. J. Burnham, who has lately moved into our midst, intends, rumor says, starting another meat shop. There are four or five butchers who come here now, and we wonder how would another man live.  
Mr. John Money has rented the Peckman farm of 200 acres, which he and his sons will work this year in addition to the one they now have. It will keep them busy, but they are thrifty and pushing and will be sure to make it pay.  
Messrs. Finkwood and McFarland, having bought a couple of acres of top soil from Mr. A. Fletcher, are very busy engaged getting the sticky clay ready for bricks. We trust they will be successful.

Messrs. — & Rowland, two young men, have opened out a grocery store in the old Jackson stand, now occupied by Messrs. Miller Bros., boot and shoe merchants, and Seth Jewel, hardware merchant, all under the one roof. Success to the new firm.  
Some young men have lately departed for the N. W. T. and the U. S. including two sons of Mr. Jones, of Messrs. Smith & Jones, general store keepers; also a son of Mr. Robinson Long, who has recently departed for better or worse.  
Geo. Peterman, Jr. son of the retired farmer of Scott, went over to his father's late residence on the 1st, cop and while there wanted to fight or quarrel with an old man of nearly 60, because of a rumor reflecting on his (Peterman's) veracity. Under circumstances of this kind people are apt to think of the fable, "If the boot does not fit, why wear it?" Whether deserved or not, George did not improve matters by his recent conduct and language.—Journal.

### UXBRIDGE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

Council met in the Town Hall, Goodwood, April 13th, 1889.  
Members all present, Reeve in chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.  
Accounts to the amount of \$92.50 was ordered paid on motion of Dows, well seconded by Ewen.  
Millard seconded by Williams, moved for leave to introduce a by-law to fix the salary of the Clerk of this municipality and that the same be now read a first and second time and that the Council go into committee of the whole thereon.  
The by-law fixing the salary of the Clerk of this municipality was introduced and read a first and second time. The Council then went into the committee of the whole thereon, Dows in the chair. Committee rose and reported the by-law with the blank filled up fixing the salary of the Clerk at \$280.  
Moved by Millard seconded by Williams that the by-law just read a first and second time be now read a third time and passed, signed by the Reeve and Clerk and the seal of the Corporation be attached thereto and that the same now become a by-law for the purpose therein mentioned.  
Moved by Millard seconded by Dows, well that the aid heretofore granted to Christopher Middleton, indigent, be discontinued.  
Moved by Millard seconded by Williams that when this council adjourns it stands adjourned to May 27th.  
Council adjourned.

## Want of Sleep

Is sending thousands annually to the insane asylum; and the doctors say this trouble is alarmingly on the increase. The usual remedies, while they may give temporary relief, are likely to do more harm than good. What is needed is an Alterative and Blood-purifier. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is incomparably the best. It corrects those disturbances in the circulation which cause sleeplessness, gives increased vitality, and restores the nervous system to a healthful condition.  
Rev. T. G. A. Cote, agent of the Mass. Home Missionary Society, writes: "His stomach was out of order, his sleep very often disturbed, and some impurity of the blood manifest; but that a perfect cure was obtained by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla."  
Frederick W. Pratt, 421, Washington street, Boston, writes: "My lancet was prostrated with nervous debility. Ayer's Sarsaparilla restored her to health."  
William F. Bowker, Erie, Pa., was cured of nervousness and sleeplessness by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla for about two months, during which time his weight increased over twenty pounds.

## Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

PREPARED BY  
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.  
Sold by all Druggists. Price \$1; six bottles, \$5.

### A Rank Matrimonial Swindle on a Farmer Who Was Too Accommodating.

The Avon correspondent of The Belmont (Ont.) Times gives the following particulars of one of the rakes swindles heard of for some time. "A swindle that leaves the 'Red Lion' a long way behind happened near this place not long ago. On Jan. 23 an elegantly dressed young couple, handsome and gay, drove up to a wealthy farmer's residence accompanied by a young man whom he introduced as 'Rev. B. L. Simes.' The young man told the farmer that he was on his way to Ingersoll to be married, but just a short distance from here they met the minister, and noticing your beautiful place the bride remarked that she would rather be married out there than go to Ingersoll, and if he would allow them to be united in marriage in his house and be provided with a wedding dinner he would be well rewarded. The farmer, being an accommodating man, readily consented and preparations soon began. A groomsmen and bridesmaid were furnished from the good man's family and the marriage ceremony performed by the man of much grace, who gave the blushing bride a certificate, but before doing so he asked the obliging host to sign as a witness, which of course was done. A jollier party never sat down to a wedding dinner than they, in fact everybody enjoyed a rare treat. They stayed until 4 o'clock, when the groom handed the farmer \$40 in gold to compensate him for his trouble and took his departure, accompanied by his new wife and the minister. Everything passed off lovely for about a week, when a collector presented a \$40 note due on Feb. 1. The farmer was greatly surprised and it was some time before he could think what note it could be. However, it came to his memory that he had a wedding at his house a while ago, and now he had to foot up to the tune of \$40. There is no doubt but this whole affair was a deep laid plot, and had been some time in maturing. The young married couple and the minister are away visiting, and it is not likely they will return very soon."

The great demand for a pleasant, safe and reliable antidote for all affections of the throat and lungs is fully met with in Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It is a purely vegetable compound, and acts promptly and magically in subduing all coughs, colds, bronchitis, inflammation of the lungs, etc. It is so palatable that a child will refuse it; and is put at a price that will not exclude the poor from its benefits.  
The Telegram came out ahead in the suit for \$20,000 instituted against them by contractor Farquhar.

## 20 PER CENT.

We have decided to sell the balance of our HANGING TABLE and HAND LAMPS, SILVER PLATED WARE, and AXES,

at 20 per cent. less than regular prices. Now is the time to buy.

We respectfully ask those who intend building to call and examine our

## COMMON SENSE, SASH BALANCE.

No weights used. No pulleys to break. No rope to wear out. Costs less than the old kind. Can be applied to any window, and does not require a box frame.

SILVESTER & DOUGHERTY.

### TIMBER FOR SALE.

I have a large quantity of Round Timber of all sizes and lengths, for Culverts and Bridges. It may be seen at the following places: Dixon's Hill; Arthur Spofford's, Almiria; and a so at Lot 1 and 2 Con. 2 Scott.  
I have also a large lot of Cedar Posts, round, Cedar Timber and lumber; also Planks at my own premises, Lot 34, Con. 8, Whitechurch.  
57-60. CHAS. SPOFFORD.

### IN MEMORIAM.

(In remembrance of Mary Jane Simpson, niece and adopted daughter of Wm. Simpson, of Palaestrae, who died Feb. 9th, 1889, aged 23 years.)

Dead! 'tis but one more in heaven,  
One loved, one that we miss on earth;  
But higher, holier aims are given;  
And purer, sweeter thoughts have birth.

The friend we loved is gone,  
Not lost, but gone before,  
Life's toils are o'er, life's battles won,  
She waits for us at heaven's door.

She sleeps, our darling sleeps,  
Within the dark and silent tomb,  
But Jesus her pure spirit keeps,  
Beyond this vale of death and gloom.

We'll dry our falling tears,  
And calm our throbbing breast,  
Our feeblest cry our Father hears,  
And to earth's weary ones gives rest.

Our hearts are bound by earthy ties,  
Our Father gently breaks the chain,  
And bids us high and higher rise,  
For earthly loss is heavenly gain.

But O, at times 'tis hard to bear,  
Our fainting hearts will sigh and moan  
Under the load of grief and care  
That's in that plaintive word—alone.

And shall we then forget our friend,  
Because she does not come?  
Never, till life's great work shall end,  
And we shall meet in our palace home.

Sacred to us are the songs she sung,  
Her parting words memorials sweet,  
But never again till death's knell has rung,  
Will our hearts, in love, responsive beat.

And yet we won't despair,  
We'll strive to meet the friend we love,  
Where all is glorious, bright and fair,  
In realms of light above.

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### S. YAKE,

### Jeweler

Stouffville.

March 1st, 1889.

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4 YEARS OLD,  
a beautiful Mahogany Bay, over 16 hands high, with Black Points,

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will visit regularly during the season of 1889.

MOUNT ALBERT, SANDFORD, LISDALE, ZEPHYR, RAVENSHOE, UNIONVILLE, GORMLEY, VICTORIA SQUARE.

Parties desiring of breeding good road stock should see this fine young animal before breeding elsewhere.  
Lemonville, April 12th, 1889.