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DISTRICT NEWS.

LEMONVILLE.

Lemonville Wollen Mill has been kept very busy during the season.

Mr. J. C. Cook, our enterprising stone mason, is at Markham this week, overseeing the work of Mr. Fleming's new house.

A "small boy" of our village is making his plans for destructions on "Howler Eve Nite." Beware of your gates and other movable property.

The members of the Gospel Temperance Society here intend going to visit Victoria Square I. O. G. T. on Saturday evening next to entertain that Lodge. A pleasant time is anticipated.

The following is a report in order of merit, of some of the pupils of Lemonville school for the month of Oct.—5th class—Kate C. Perkins. 4th class—Fred Lemon. 3rd class—Seynitha A. Cook, Cecil Jordan, Lillie Cook. Jun. 3rd—Ada V. Lemon, Llewella Burkholder, Ella M. Baker. 2nd class—Oswan Baker, Martha J. Adams, Laura Beebe. 1st pt. 2nd—Willie Cook, Cephas Ramer. Sr. 1st—Milton Cook, Johnnie Cook. Jr. 1st—Della Baker, Ralphie Baker, Herbie Brillinger.

GOODWOOD.

Mrs. Jas. Hill started for her home, in Winnipeg, on Wednesday last.

Dr. Franey, of Richmond Hill, formerly of this place, was in town last week.

Mr. Geo. Oxley, of the G. T. R., London, is stopping for a few days in town.

We noticed the tax collector for the Township calling around town on his annual visit.

Mr. Tobias Caster is buying grain, at Mount Albert for Messrs W. S. Matthew's & Co. of Toronto, this season.

Mr. Wm. Henderson, who is attending the Model School, at Port Perry, was home over Sunday.

Dr. W. E. Grinby is taking a short visit to his home, in Owen Sound. His prother has charge of the practice during his absence.

Miss Speight, of Markham, has been visiting at Mrs. Chapman's and Mrs. Thos. Dowswell's for a few days this week.

During the past week there has been a large amount of potatoes and grain brought to market here and the dealers find it almost impossible to obtain cars from the G. T. R. to remove their accumulated stock.

CLAREMONT.

Mr. Will Graham holds the champion apple. It was grown on his father's place and measures over 13 inches in circumference.

Quite a large crowd, mostly ladies, turned out to the auction sale of the household effects of the late Richard Stokes on Tuesday. Although the effects sold well, the house and lot were not disposed of.

Mr. T. C. McAvoy is giving a honey social at his residence in the Mount Zion neighborhood for the benefit of the church, on the evening of Friday, Nov. 1st. Everyone should turn out as a pleasant time is assured.

On Friday last Mrs. Wm. Macnab, sister-in-law to Messrs. Macnab Bros., fell through a trap door into the cellar and dislocated her arm at the shoulder. At first it was feared that her injuries were even more serious, but she is now doing nicely.

Mr. Robert Ward of this village and Mr. John M. Gerow of Brougham leave on Friday for Lake Joseph, Muskoka, on a hunting trip. Good luck attend them. Mr. Joshua Bundy and Dr. Brodie were to have been of the party, but press of business forces them to remain at home.—News.

BLOOMINGTON.

Everything is very quiet around our town lately as the leading Officials have been attending to business elsewhere.

The turnip cellars are being filled this week.

The friends of the Christian Church intend celebrating Thanksgiving Day by giving a cold roast in the evening, in the Bloomington Hall, after which an Entertainment will be given in the Church.

The Methodist friends held their annual Missionary Meeting on Tuesday evening Oct. 22nd. Addresses were delivered by the Rev. Mr. Rankin, of Unionville, and Rev. Mr. Roberts, after which the people present contributed liberally toward the missionary fund. The chair was ably filled by Mr. J. L. Hoshel.

The following is the standing of some of the pupils of Bloomington Public School for the month of Oct.—4th class Maggie Rae, Mary Ramer, Janet McKuen. Sen. 3rd class—Mary Lazenby, Wm. Kirby. Jun. 3rd class—Jessie Sage, Lucv Hamill, Jessie Kennedy. Sen. 2nd class—Alvira Conner, Annie Williams, Mary Harman, Richard Rae. Jun. 2nd class—Annie Topper, Bertie Williams, Nellie Phillips, Diana Conner. Sen. Part 2nd class—Alma Baker, Ettie Ramer, Rupert Polard, Lillie Clarkson, Llewella Burnet. Jun. Part 2nd class—Mary Lemon, Edgar Kennedy, Doka Degeer, Gertie Kennedy, Gertie Patterson, Edgar Story. First class—Annie Williams, Laura Baker, Libbie Cook.

SUTTON.

All our hunters have returned empty handed.

A large number of travellers have visited us during the past week.

We have the promise of a weekly newspaper.

Mr. Townley's watchmaker seems to be giving satisfaction.

Mr. W. M. Sibbald is thoroughly renewing his house on the Lee farm.

Mrs. F. G. Tremayne is visiting friends in Toronto and at Mimico.

A great amount of fall plowing is being done in this vicinity this year.

Mr. Henry Treloar, Jr., is recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Charles Galbraith who has been for some weeks seriously ill of pleurisy, is now much better.

The Oddfellows have moved into their new hall, and Mr. McKillop into his new office in the brick block.

Mr. Charles Lyons and family, of Virginia, leave on Tuesday to take up their residence permanently in the North-West.

It is rumored that a prominent politician of this village will measure swords with Mr. Mulock at the next general election.

Mr. Arnold Lee goes shortly to attend the Toronto Veterinary College. This will be Arnold's last term and we wish him success.

The Sutton Correspondent of the 'Reformer' has again been exhibiting the true inwardness of his (or her) nature. Having constituted himself sole censor of morals and customs, he hesitates not to contemptibly hint at impropriety in the course of our preachers, the Rev. Messrs. Frazer and Cattanaeh, because, forsooth, they saw fit to enjoy a two weeks holiday-hunting in Muskoka's wilds. He is too cowardly to speak his mind plainly, but clothes his insinuation in the following garb. "Perhaps it is not amiss to say that they are being submitted whether rightly or wrongly to a good deal of adverse criticism." Well we think it is very much amiss and not only so, but it is a mis-statement; as such criticism had its existence exclusively in the mind of the 'Reformer's' Sutton Correspondent. We would advise him (or her or both) to visit the Methodist church on next Sunday evening and profit by the sermon which the Rev. Cattanaeh purposes delivering on the "Golden Rule."

Mr. Arthur Talbot is buying a great number of cattle in this neighborhood. By mistake the cow of one of our villagers was shipped to Toronto with a drove, but was returned to the owner in good order.

With regret we learn that Mr. W. H. Wismer severs his connection with our school at the close of the present term. Mr. W. will have the best wishes of this community, wherever his field of labor may be.

We are pleased again to have to congratulate Messrs. McDonald & Vrooman upon "Norland's" success at Cannington races where he captured third money, making one mile heat in 2.40. The same horse is matched to trot Henry Kay to day (Wednesday) at Barrie.

PICKERING COUNCIL.

The Pickering council met pursuant to adjournment on Monday, October 21st, 1889. Members all present. The Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Several accounts were presented for payment. Communication read from John Ball Dow re claim of Thos. Madden for gravel taken from part of lot 9, con. 5, Tp of Pickering. Petitions presented from Thos. Moody and 14 others asking aid for Patrick Tool, from Dr. E. J. Freel and 16 others asking aid for Mrs. Devitt. A resolution passed by the Local Board of Health re stagnant water on Mrs. Ryan's property at Pickering village, was laid before the council. Com. read from Asst. Comr. of Crown Lands re appointment of W. E. Yarnolds Esq., P. L. S. to make survey in 5th con.

On motion of Mr. Parker the Reeve left the chair for half an hour and resumed.

Moved by Mr. Gerow, seconded by Mr. Westgate that all contractors tendering for grading or gravelling in this township in future, and in case same be accepted, do furnish bonds or other security that the same will be completed according to contract and within the time specified; and that the above be added to the list of rules and regulations. Carried.

The Standing Committee on Sheep killed by dogs recommended through the chairman, R. R. Mowbray, that W. W. Bunker be paid the sum of \$16 being two-thirds sworn value of three sheep killed by dogs. On motion of chairman report was adopted.

The Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges recommend payment of various amounts, for work done on township roads.

On motion, Mr. John Phillips was heard in reference to building a house for shelter of the Stark family.

The Standing Committee on Contingencies reported and recommended payment to Clark Bros. for printing 1600 collector's receipts, \$4.75; Sylvester Mackee, for selecting jurors, \$9; D. R. Beaton, selecting jurors, \$10; F. A. Beaton, selecting jurors, \$5. Also an allowance of 75 cents per week until 31st December, for Mrs. Devitt; and an allowance of \$1 per week until December 31st, for Patrick Poole, indigents. That the committee re Stark house receive an additional grant of \$10, but expenses must in no case exceed this sum.

Moved by Mr. Westgate seconded by Mr. Gerow that Richard Burt be and is hereby appointed overseer of highways in Road Division No. 16 to fill vacancy caused by the death of the late Geo. Leng, and that the seal of the corporation be attached thereto. Carried.

Mr. Parker seconded by Mr. Gerow moved that Mr. Westgate attend in the interests of this municipality at the engineer's inquiry re drain near village of Pickering. Carried.

Mr. Westgate seconded by Mr. Mowbray moved that this council do now adjourn and stand adjourned until Monday, the 11th of November, to meet at 10 o'clock a. m., for the transaction of general business. Carried.

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The Murray Canal mystery has been cleared up. The woman's body found is that of some one unknown and was placed there at the instance of Toronto medical students who had been dissecting it.

Hon. Alex. Morris died on Monday last in Toronto at the age of 63 years. He was a native Canadian and has occupied prominent positions in Canadian political life. He at one time defeated Hon. Oliver Mowat in a contest for the seat of East Toronto in the Assembly. He was a member of the Brown-Macdonald government and afterwards Lieut. Gov. of Manitoba. He retired from public life three years ago. He is the author of a number of well-known works on Canadian subjects and in public life he was esteemed as well by his opponents as friends.

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