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Overcoats and all Clothing, as well as 50 pieces of **Flannels** and 10 cases of **Fur Goods** to be run out at cost, and a parcel of Sugar thrown in.

20 cases of new Dress Goods just opened.
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10 pieces of fine Dress Trimming at 25c., worth $1 per yard.
75 pieces of Cream Searsucker.
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50 pieces of Shirting and Zephyr Ginghams.
All just opened.
100 dozen new Towels just opened.
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All-wool Dress Goods, all colors, for 15c., worth 25c.
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$ 5.00	we give	10 lbs.	brown or 8 lbs.	granulated.
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15.00	"	30	" 24	"
20.00	"	40	" 32	"
25.00	"	50	" 40	"
30.00	"	60	" 48	"
35.00	"	70	" 56	"
45.00	"	90	" 72	"
50.00	"	100	" 80	"

With every $5 worth you get your 10 lbs. of brown or 8 lbs. best granulated. Remember, we do not sell sugar, we give it away, and we sell every line of Dry Goods and Clothing fully twenty per cent. lower than any store in town, and don't you forget it."

See our Sugars, like everything else in the store they are number one. This is open for the Dominion and for all January, but each $5 purchase must be made all at once in order to get your present.

Over one hundred parcels given away this week, so don't delay but come with the rush to the great I am.

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THE BESOM AND STANE.

BY NORMAN MACLEOD.

A night it was freezin', a' night I was sneezin',
"Tak' car'," quo' the wife, "gudeman o' yer cough".
A fig for the sneezin"! hurrah for the freezin"!
This day we're to play the Bonspiel on the loch!
"Then get up, my auld leddy, the breakfast get ready,
For the sun on the snowdrifts' beginning to blink;
Gie me bannocks or brochan, I am aff for the lochan,
To mak' the stanes floe to the tee o' the rink!"

CHORUS—
Then hurrah for the curling frae Girvan to Stirling
Hurrah for the lads o' the besom and stane!
"Ready noo"! "soop it up"! "clap a guard"! "steady, noo"!
Oh! curlin' aboon every game stan's alane

The ice it is splendid, it canna be mended—
Like a glass ye may glower on't and shave aff yer beard,
And see hoo they gether, comin' owre the brown heather,
The servant and master, the tenant and laird;
There's brave Jamie Fairlie, he's there late and early,
Better carlers than him or Tam Conn canna be,
Wi' the lads frae Kilwinnin', they'll send the stanes spinnin'
Wi' a whirr and a curr till they sit rain' the tee
Then hurrah, etc.

It's an uncu-like story that baith Whig and Tory,
Maun aye collyshangie like dogs ower a bane,
And a' denominations are wanting in patience,
For noe Kirk will hole to letithers alane:
But in fine frosty weather let a' meet thegither,
Wi' a broom in their haun' and a stage by the tee,
And then by my certies, ye'll see hoo a' parties
Like brothers will love, and like brithers agree.
Then hurrah, etc.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth, send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums and reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

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Choice Confections,
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LOCAL NOTICES.

All advance notices in the local columns of the TRIBUNE of meetings or entertainments at which an admission fee is charged, or from which a pecuniary benefit is derived, must be paid for at the rate of seven cents per line each insertion, no charge less than twenty-five cents. When bills are printed at this office or advertisemen s of entertainments are inserted a brief local will be given free.

THE TRIBUNE.

STOUFFVILLE, JAN. 15, 1892.

LOCAL ITEMS.

All furs and overcoats below cost this month at Spofford's.

E. G. Tranmer and family returned home on Friday last.

Jas. Fairles is confined to the house on account of sickness.

Store to rent in Mertens' new block. Apply to W. J. Mertens.

10 lbs bright sugar free with every $5 purchase at Spofford's.

Village question for last few days—"What is that strange whistle."

MOURNING GOODS.—Envelopes, paper, cards, &c., always in stock at the TRIBUNE office.

Stouffville's new council will assemble on Monday, when some "swearing" will be done.

Miss Nellie Edmett, of Port Perry, was the guest of Mrs. F. W. Hill for the past couple of weeks.

Geo. Hunt, of Donald, B. C., visited this week at the residence of his brother-in-law, F. W. Hill.

D. L. Barclay has been laid up for the last two weeks with a severe attack of inflammation of the lungs.

W. A. McCormack, the successful candidate for the reeveship of Whitchurch, paid us a flying visit this week.

It is reported that quite a lot of money changed hands in the shape of bets on the Reeveship election here last week.

The Markham Township Sabbath School Convention will be held in the Methodist church, Victoria Square, on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 28th and 29th.

As Lewis Bros were leaving Ab Barkey's with their steam thresher one day this week, the horses became unmanageable, and ran against a stump, upsetting the engine and causing a complete smash up.

In order that everybody concerned may attend the union revival services, D. Stouffer & Co. have decided to close their boot and shoe store at seven o'clock each evening while they continue—Saturdays excepted—Customers will please govern themselves accordingly.

CARNIVAL.—A grand skating carnival will be held on the Stouffville skating rink on Thursday evening, Jan. 21st. Good ice, electric light, and music by the Stouffville orchestra band. Should the receipts of the evening warrant it a liberal cash prize will be given for fast skating. Admission, skaters 15c., spectators 10c., ticket holders free.

Dr. R. W. Storry, V. S., of Princeton, Ill., (son of the late Wm. Storry, of Stouffville) in sending his subscription to the TRIBUNE says:—"We are having a very mild winter here at present. A little Canadian winter would be very agreeable here, as there has been no ice put up for next summer's use as yet. Mother likes this country very well. She is quite content and is feeling well."

During the year ending on the 15th day of December last there were registered with the clerk of the municipality of the village of Stouffville, 31 births 15 marriages and 21 deaths. The causes of death were as follows:—Accidental 1, inflammation of the lungs 1, paralysis 2, gangrene 1, consumption 1, cholera infantum 3, chronic bronchitis 1, croup 1, heart disease 1, peritonitis 3, typhoid fever 2, convulsions 2, stillborn 2, total 31.

CATTLE:—John Cooney has just returned from the north with another car load of cattle, composed of feeders, cows supposed to be in calf and yearlings, weighing from 800 to 1800 lbs. They are a fine lot of cattle and will be sold for cash or on time to suit the purchaser. Intending purchasers should call early in order to secure what they require as they will sell fast. They will be on "Fairview Farm," lot 11, two miles and a half north of Ringwood.

The question of who will be Warden of York for '92 will soon begin to agitate the mind of our civic legislators and to tell the plain truth there is many a breast filled with an ambition to capture the Wardenship. Some do not hesitate to say that they would like it while others sort of pine in secret with the desire that the plum was theirs but are not possessed of the necessary nerve or movement in them to make a hustle and try to capture it. The Wardenship has nearly always been settled on the question of politics and there has been considerable nonsense about doing it in that way. But nevertheless it has been so done, although there is scarcely a municipality in the county where a Reeve or Deputy is selected with a view to his political belief. So far the two most prominently mentioned for the position are Forster, of Markham, and Russell, of Vaughan. As both these gentlemen are of Reform persuasion there is every probability that the Conservatives will put a candidate in the field. However, we opine that Forster will sit in the much coveted chair this year.

To those interested in the milk and butter industries we would call attention to the sale of Malcolm Boyles, lot 23, rear of 9th con., Markham, one mile south of Mongolia, to be held on Saturday, Jan. 16th, commencing at 12 o'clock, noon, lunch being provided. Mr, Boyles directed his attention especially to the dairying branch of farming and to that end paid great attention to the selection and breeding of the very best of animals for the purpose. His herd consists of thorough-bred jerseys, jerseys having two crosses, half guernseys and several fresh milch cows with calves by their side. To those desiring to improve the quality of their dairy cattle this sale offers an excellent opportunity to secure animals reared specially with a view to securing the best results. His horses and a good set of farm implements will also be sold. No reserve, as the proprietor is giving up farming. Terms,—Nine months' credit on sums exceeding $10. The hammer will be wielded by N. E. Smith, Stouffville's popular auctioneer. Don't fail to be present at this the most important sale of the season.

If You are in need of

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It will be to your advantage to call at

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As we are selling

AT PRICES TO CLEAR.

We never carry over goods from one season to another.

Will those indebted please settle and oblige.

MRS. F. WILSON.

Spofford has a house to rent.

Big excitement over the free sugar at Spofford's Mammoth.

Hiram Yake, jr., is visiting his brother, Ira, at Arnprior.

Mrs. Jacob Barkey has rented the house lately vacated by Mr. Ferguson.

John McKinnon's little son, Willie, is dangerously ill with inflammation of the lungs.

While home for vacation Ira Yake son of C. Yake bought and shipped per C. P. R. one car load of apples to Arnprior.

What does "Or" Mean? It means the only Reliable Kidney cure ever put on the market. Put up by the Or Company, Box 89, Belleville.

Backward, turn backward, oh, time, in your flight, give me the nose that I breathed through last night, seems to express a popular sentiment just now.

Will the party who borrowed our axe (without axing us for it) kindly return the same. By so doing they will much oblige the editor and need not fear the "devil."

Counterfeit ten cent pieces are in circulation in Toronto. They are very fine imitations in appearance, and can only be discovered by the ring. See that you don't carry any of this kind of filthy lucre home with you when you go to the city.

A large number of TRIBUNE subscribers have renewed for 1892, and we beg to remind those who have not that now is the proper time, The paper that is paid for is always better reading than the one you owe for. Therefore, renew, and you will appreciate the paper better, and we will try and duly appreciate the money.

We have received a copy of the Peoria, Ill., Journal, containing a lengthy account of the marriage of Dr. J. T. Nattress, of Delavan, Ill., to Miss Louisa Young, a niece of Mrs. J. M. Wells, of Aurora. The bride was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents, which we have not space to enumerate. Mr. and Mrs. Nattress are now on a visit.

Canada is being congratulated everywhere on the excellences of her manufactures. Art Stained Glass is prominently in the front rank of her improvements, thanks to McCausland and Son, of Toronto, who for 40 years have labored, not only to accumulate money, but to make Stained and Ornamental Glass of all kinds a credit to the Dominion.

All the pretty girls are saving their love letters diligently now in hopes to accumulate enough with which to paper their bedrooms. It is really quite the latest and most approved form of wall decoration. They make the dado of the envelopes and the general decoration of the letter sheets. Young men will please write only on one side of the letter page after this, as it goes further, and use very black ink, as the effect is more artistic.

MARKET REPORT.—Farmers were somewhat late in arriving yesterday, yet there was a very good attendance and high prices for produce were obtained. Butter 17c to 20c, eggs 18c to 25c, onions $1 bush.; chickens 50c to 70c a pair, potatoes 40c bag,; apples 30c bush.; cabbage 25c to 40c doz.; celery 40c to 60c doz.; cauliflower 5c to 8c each; calves $4 to $6; lambs $2.50 to $3; wheat 86c to 88c; barley 43c to 45c; oats 29c to 30c; pease black-eye 90c; pease small 55c.; pork $5.00 to $5.25; lard 12c lb. geese 6c to 7c lb.; turkeys 9c to 10c lb, ducks 60c pair; alsike $7.30; hay $9 to $11; flour $4.75 to $5 barrel.

We will have four eclipses during the year, a total and a partial each, of the sun and moon. But while we await with anxious expectancy the time when these peculiar occurrences are to take place we would just remark that the concert given by Fred Spofford in Daley's hall on Wednesday evening eclipsed all his previous efforts in that direction. The attendance was good (though not quite as large as is generally secured at a free concert) and the programme all that could be desired. The stage was artfully adorned in a manner well pleasing to the eye. The promised talent were all present, viz., Fred. Warrington, baritone, and Mrs. Helen Wright, soprano, of Sherbourne street Methodist church choir; Geo. F, Smedley, professional teacher on mandolin, guitar and banjo, and Miss Ellis, pianiste, of Toronto; Harry W. Rich, comic singer, also of Toronto, and Miss Josie McCarty, pianiste, of Stouffville. Each number on the programme was well received by the audience, some of whom were heard to remark that the entertainment was the crowning event of the season.

Since the defeat of the bylaw to provide means for lighting the streets of the village by electricity we have had but little use for an artificial light of any kind. Nature seems to have smiled upon us Mother earth has been clothed in her beautiful white mantle, and the moon has been shedding forth its beautiful rays. But ere long that heavenly orb which serves to dispel the darkness of the night will cease to illuminate our pathway for a time, and we will feel the want of something to guide our wandering feet, (unless our village fathers paint the sidewalk white). Here's a clever device:—Put some heated olive oil into a small bottle, drop in a piece of phosphorus and cork it up securely. Any time the cork is removed for a few seconds and then replaced a powerful light will be given out of the bottle, which will last several minutes, and be again renewed at any moment by pulling out the cork. A more convenient device for finding the sidewalk on a dark night could scarcely be devised, as it will give off its light on the stormiest night, and if it gets out of order can always be got into shape again by the aid of a little warmth. The mixture once prepared, will last for some weeks with but a reasonable amount of care. But don't give it away to those fellows who voted against the by-law.

Big clothing sale at Spofford's.

Car load of goods all choice and new just arrived at Spofford's.

Dress goods and trimming to match away down at Spofford's.

We are sorry to hear that W. Mason has been laid up for the last week with la grippe.

MOURNING GOODS.—Envelopes, paper, cards, &c., always in stock at the TRIBUNE office.

Joseph Lehman has returned home from Carleton Place where he has been working for the past eight months.

We are glad to see Jim, son of J. G. Martin, around again after a very severe attack of inflammation of the lungs.

James Smith and J. E. Richardson wear a 2x9 smile on their countenances these days over the advent of a son and daughter.

The Independent Forester, the official organ of the I. O. F., will now be published in Toronto instead of London as heretofore.

TO THE MARKET DRUG STORE STOUFFVILLE:—Dear Sirs,—I have used your Baking Powder with entire satisfaction and can recoommend it highly.—Mrs. John B. Hoover.

They have discovered it! "What?" Vita Ore, which is warranted to cure Diphtheria or any Throat trouble, Dyspepsia or Female weaknesses. Put up by the Vita Ore Company, Box 89, Belleville.

If you wish to send your friend a lasting present—one which will cause him to be reminded of you pleasantly fifty-two times a year—send his name and address with one dollar to the TRIBUNE office and we shall see that your request is complied with.

On these very cold mornings when one is in a hurry to get out, a very rapid way to make the kettle boil quickly is to cover the top of it with a thick piece of flannel or woolen stuff. This keeps the cold air off the top and hurries the heating, or has much the same effect as a cover on a teapot. In a great hurry, placing the hands when warm on the top of the kettle will hasten its boiling.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, the supreme chief ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters, has appointed the Rev. D. V. Lucas, (who lectured in Daley's Hall, here, a short time ago) his deputy to plant the standard of the order in Australia. It is expected that his operations may extend to some of the colonies in South Africa and New Zealand. The supreme chief ranger has about completed arrangements for the institution of high courts in Wisconsin and Manitoba.

For those who are on the lookout for bargains now is the time to be on the warpath. At all the stores whose advertisements appear in the TRIBUNE the prices on remaining stock of winter goods have been cut, so that some very handsome pieces can be bought for very little money. Not only dress materials are being sacrificed to make room for spring goods, but all sorts of novelties. If one sees anything that is really needed now is the time to buy it. Many women, however, buy things simply because they are cheap. This is a deliberate waste of time and money and there is not the first principle of economy about it.

Dear young ladies, here is your golden opportunity. Old Mother Earth has rolled around another cycle, and now, according to the dictates of the astronomers of old, you are enjoying a period of 366 days, during which you may in all propriety lay aside those icy barriers of maidenly modesty and reticency, assumed and real, that have likened you to a castle or a shrine builded on a firm rock, before which the men, old and young, rich and poor, bald and otherwise, of all times have besieged or worshipped with a fervor unremitting that certainly merits some compensation at your hands. Let us repeat, ladies—here is your golden opportunity. There are hundreds of young men right in Stouffville, Whitchurch, Markham and Pickering who have moped, blushed and simpered as masculine wall flowers during the past three years, who have longed for dawn of 1891. Would you like to roam unmolested in fields of your own choosing, plucking the flowers of masculinity, whose colors, form and perfume attract and please you most? This you can do, and again let it be said, here is your opportunity.

John Jamieson, of Baker Hill, is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ab. Hoover, of the 7th con., Markham, and Mrs. Wm. Watson, of the 3rd con. Uxbridge, are very ill at present.

A short road to health was opened to those suffering from chronic coughs, asthma, bronchitis, catarrh, lumbago, tumors, rheumatism, excoriated nipples or inflamed breast, and kidney complaints, by the introduction of the inexpensive and effective remedy, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

At Newmarket the other day Mrs. Kitty McDonald's children were playing with a cow's horn, which the ladies are using extensively now-a-days in decorating, when little Trixie received a very ugly wound in the forehead. It bled and swelled so badly that medical aid was afterwards sent for, but at last accounts they were afraid of blood-poisoning setting in.

Why suffer from disorders caused by impure blood, when thousands are being cured by using Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery? It removes pimples and all eruptions of the skin. Mr. John C. Fox, Olinda, writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is giving good satisfaction. Those who have used it say it has done them more good than anything they have ever taken."

The members of the Ontario County Council for 1892 are as follows:—Oshawa, Coulthard, Tamblyn and Fowke; Whitby Town, Rutledge and King; West Whitby, Wilson and Calder; East Whitby, Motherall and McGregor; Pickering, Parker, Mowbray, Gerow and Boyer; Reach, Burnett, Allin and Munro; Scugog, Graham; Port Perry, Wright; Uxbridge Town, R. J. Gould; Scott, Blanchard and Keater; Uxbridge, Plumerlelt, Millard and Dowswell; Brock, Shier, Vrooman, and Gibbs; Thorah, McRae and Brown; Mara, Graham and Gillespie; Rama, Trenouth; Beaverton, Treleaven; Cannington, May.

James Richardson, one of the oldest pioneers of the township of Pickering passed away early on Wednesday morning at the good old age of 82 years. Deceased was a native of Cumberland, England, and came to Canada when a young man. He located on the 9th con. of Pickering, about one and a half miles from Claremont, and there hewed out for himself a home where he resided the rest of his life. He was first married to Jane Law, of Pickering township, of the children of which union there yet survive James and Robert, of Brant township, near Walkerton, and also Ann, who resides in Buffalo. His second partner in life, who still survives him, was Mary McBeith, of Scarboro, whose only son George lives on the old homestead. Deceased was a hard-working industrious and successful man and was specially noted for being straight-forward and strictly honest in all his business transactions. He was an adherent of the Presbyterian church. The funeral took place on Friday from his late residence to the Bethel burying ground, a large assemblage of friends and relatives accompanying his remains to their last resting place.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

CULLODEN CULLINS.—Gentlemen.—In 1888 I was severely afflicted with gravel of the kidneys from which I suffered great pain. "I was recommended to take Burdock Blood Bitters, which I did, finding great relief, and after taking 4 bottles can truly say I am cured and have not since been troubled. I highly commend it. PETER WEST, Culloden, P. O., Ont.

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DISTRICT BRIEFS.

Geo. Field, of Goodwood, is very ill.

Some Whitby ladies talk of getting up a leap-year ball.

Claremont Methodists netted about $150 at their annual New Year's dinner.

South Ontario Agricultural Society meets at Whitby on Wednesday, 20th inst.

Ontario County Council will convene at the Court House, Whitby, on Tuesday, 26th inst.

WORMS CAUSE SERIOUS SICKNESS. Dr. Low's Worm Syrup destroys and expels all kinds of worms quickly and surely.

A cobweb party is the latest thing which the young ladies of Whitby are springing upon the unwary bachelors of that town.

The Sutton Herald remarks: "Some men think they know everything until they get home late at night and their wives ask them where they have been."

The Markham High School opened on Monday last and has now an attendance of 150 pupils with a prospective increase of from 10 to 15 this term.

Alex. and Jas. Torrance are the new proprietors of the Franklin House, Markham. They took possession on Monday of last week.

Among the victims claimed by the rail road disaster on the Hudson River R. R. near Yongers, N.Y., on Dec. 24th, was Dennis Barry Murphy, a lawyer of New York city and a grandson of the late Garret Barry of Markham.

The annual meeting of the Township of Markham Agricultural Society was held at Victoria hall, Unionville, on Thursday the 14th inst. For the E.R.Y. Society, the annual meeting will be held at the town hall, Markham, on Wednesday the 20th inst at one o'clock.

On Tuesday evening, 29th ult., a number of the pupils and friends of S.S. No. 6, Markham, assembled at the residence of W. Landy and presented Mrs. Jos. Perkins, widow of the late teacher of that section, with a beautiful upholstered rocker accompanied by a kindly worded address.

Edna, the 10-year-old daughter of S. P. Foote of Bethesda had the misfortune to break her left arm about half way between the elbow and wrist on Wednesday of last week. She was going down stairs, when she was tripped by one of her shoe laces which happened to be untied.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL.—This great internal and external remedy always allays all pain. It is a specific for croup, and promptly cures coughs, colds, sore throat, sprains, bruises, burns, rheumatism, cuts, wounds, etc. Good for man or beast. Stands all tests. Sold everywhere. Price 25 cents. Hagyard's Yellow Oil.

Before leaving Markham for Orillia, J. Kennedy, of the Franklin House, on Friday evening, 1st Jan., tendered his friends and patrons a complimentary dinner. About four hundred partook of his hospitality and after the cloth was removed reciprocated mine host's kindness by presenting him with a handsome marble clock and his estimable wife with a silver tea service.

A party of young people from Scarboro seventeen in number, attended the New Year's dinner in the Methodist church, Victoria Square. While returning home late that evening, in a large sleigh, the night being very dark, they were thrown out into the ditch and all were more or less injured. One young lady, we are told, had one of her legs broken, and another young lady had an arm broken.

Other sufferers from cold in the head and catarrh have been promptly cured, why not you? Capt. D. H. Lyon, manager and proprietor of the C. P. R. and R. W. & O. car ferry, Prescott, Ont., says:—I used Nasal Balm for a prolonged case of cold in the head. Two applications effected a complete cure in less than 24 hours. I would not take $100 for my bottle of Nasal Balm if I could not replace it.

The final shoot for the Kennedy Cup took place at Markham on Saturday, Jan. 2nd, between the riflemen represented by the villages of Markham and Unionville. The cup was won by the last named by a score of 852 points out of a possible 1,000. Only 15 of the Markham rifle men put in an appearance at the rifle range making a total score of 569 points, it being impossible for the other 5 to shoot to equal the Unionville score.

Since the first of January, 1892, 124 new patients have been admitted into the General Hospital, Toronto, an average of over 10 a day, the highest average known in the history of the institution. At the present time there are 277 patients in the hospital. In consequence of the unusual number under treatment, it will be necessary for some time to communicate with the hospital before sending any patients there for admission.

The South Ontario Sabbath School Association Convention will take place in the Methodist church, Claremont, on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 28th and 29th. The first session will commence at 2 p. m. on the first day. Some able papers will be presented at the various sessions. The local committee are using every exertion to make the convention one of the most successful ever held. Every Sabbath school in the South Riding of Ontario should be represented.

The Medicine for Liver and Kidney Complaint,—Mr. Victor Auger, Ottawa, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending to the general public Parmelee's Pills, as a cure for Liver and Kidney Complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have taken many medicines which were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled."

A novel case of interest to farmers was tried at Flesherton recently before Judge Creasor. According to the ruling any person purchasing agricultural machinery and paying for it with anything but cash or notes is still responsible to the firm should the agent become a defaulter. The judge held that the agent must be paid the wheres of to settle with the employers. Thus the giving of horses, etc., in part payment for machinery is a risky transaction unless the agent is known to be reliable.

On Monday morning the case of the Queen v. Handcock was commenced in the Criminal Assize Court now in session at Toronto. The circumstances of the case are no doubt tolerably fresh in the minds of the public. On the 17th of July last the dead body of Miss Sophia Handcock was found in a room back of her father's store in the village of Fairbank. On it were marks of violence, but for a short time the theory of accidental death by falling appeared to be correct. As the coroner's jury investigated the affair, foul play was suggested, and eventually Edward Handcock and his wife were arrested on the charge of having murdered their daughter. Mrs. Handcock was acquitted and Handcock committed for trial. The grand jury found a true bill against him. Another element in the affair is the exhumation of the body, which was done by the defence, who advanced a new theory that the deceased was shot, and certain medical men claim to have found particles of lead in the skull. The case was completed on Wednesday at noon, and after Justice Street had strongly charged in favor of the accused the jury retired and after an hour and a quarter's deliberation returned a verdict of acquittal.

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York District Council, R. T. of T., met at Newmaket last Friday.

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The annual meeting of the Nork York Ag. Society takes place in Newmarket on Wednesday, Jan. 20th

"It leads them all," is the general reply of druggists when asked about the merit or sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Mr. R. H. Tinsdale, the popular teacher in Mount Albert public school has been very sick with congestion of the lungs.

Goodwood post office has been made a money order office, which will satisfy a long felt want in that place, there being no bank there.

Grain thieves are said to be operating in the vicinity of Goodwood. The other night W. A. Told had a quantity of pease stolen from his barn.

A pleasant event took place at the residence of J. E. Gould, clerk of the 4th Division Court, Uxbridge, on New Year's day, the occasion being the marriage of his second daughter, Miss Lily, to T. G. Gold, of the firm of Mansfield & Gold.

Siloam paid Goodwood a visit a few days ago with their breech loaders, and ten of their best marksmen were pitted against ten of the crack shots of that place. The wager was an oyster supper—the loser paying the full bill. Result, Siloam paid for the oysters.

A drunken husband, not many miles from Mount Albert, turned his wife and family of six small children out of doors the other night and they were compelled to go home to her father's. A child about eleven months old died from exposure. He is a first-class mechanic only for whisky.

SIX YEARS' SUFFERING.—Dear Sirs,—I was troubled for six years with erysipelas, and two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters entirely cured me. I keep B.B.B. constantly in the house and think it is an effectual cure for all diseases caused by bad blood. MRS. M. DOWSETT, Portland, Ont.

The following are the officers of Claremont lodge No. 105, A.O.U.W. for the ensuing term:—P. M. W., M. Henderson; M. W., W. Dowswell; Foreman, W. Leaper; Overseer, T. Gibbons; Recorder, F. Macnab; Financier, J. Bundy; O. W., H. Found. Applications for membership are continually coming in, and the lodge is in a very prosperous condition.

When King James the first wrote his "counterblast to tobacco" the royal pedant knew nothing of the "Myrtle Navy." If he had, instead of wasting his brains over his curious production, he would have filled his royal pipe with it, and taken a royal smoke, he would then have been prepared to admit that with regard to the injurious effects of tobacco, it all depended on what tobacco you smoked.

On Sunday, 3rd Jan., death removed one of Brougham's oldest and most respected citizens in the person of Robert Brown. The interment took place on Tuesday at the Bible Christian burial ground. About two years ago Mrs. Brown died and since that time the old gentleman has gradually sunk. Deceased was a member of the Masonic order as well as a constant attendant of the Presbyterian Church. He had reached the ripe old age of 70 years.

Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup stands at the head of the list for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It acts like magic in breaking up a cold. A cough is soon subdued, tightness of the chest is relieved, even the worst cases of consumption are relieved, while in recent cases it may be said never to fail. It is a medicine prepared from the active principles or virtues of several medicinal herbs, and can be depended upon for all pulmonary complaints.

Sarah Roe, Amy Meyer, Frances Townley and Minnie Brunton have commenced suit against Albert E. Roe for an account of his dealings with the estate of the late Wm. Roe, of Newmarket. The deceased was the postmaster of the town for many years and amassed considerable wealth. The son became executor, and now others interested under the will are not satisfied with his management. It is thought that the issuing of the writ will bring about the desired explanation without a trial. The parties will live in Newmarket.

The first sitting of the Fourth Division of York County for 1892 took place at Newmarket on Wednesday, 6th inst. His Honor Judge Morgan presided. Some 45 cases were on the docket and the court room was filled all day with witnesses and spectators. The most interesting of the whole day was a triple suit entered by E. B. Hoover for damages against the Grand Trunk Ry., the Corporation of Newmarket and Chas. Lundy. In reality it was the same case over again which Judge Morgan heard last fall and judgment was given this time, the same as the last, against the plaintiff.

One night last week an old horse belonging to a resident of the 3rd of Uxbridge fell into the railroad track on Brock St. in Uxbridge, and its owner with some friends had quite a time getting it home. The poor old nag was unable to get up. They rolled it over and it slipped into the ditch. They then hitched a team to it and pulled it out of the ditch but it wouldn't stand up. Finally, placing boards from the ground to the back end of a sleigh, they hauled it up the incline into the sleigh and carried it home. The horse we understand is about 25 years old, and no other cause was given for its weakness.

Newmarket Era:—It is our painful duty to chronicle this week the death of Mrs. J. B. Caldwell, the most widely known and beloved of our oldest citizens, at the advanced age of 82 years. She passed peacefully away on Monday morning last at her late residence "Liberty Hall." Deceased, whose maiden name was Rosanna Potter, was a daughter of the late Robert Potter of Ardstraw, County Tyrone, Ireland, and in her girlhood removed to Montreal, where many of her relations reside, thence to York (now Toronto), finally removing to Newmarket in 1830 at the time of her marriage to the late Jas. B. Caldwell, one of our well-known and representative citizens, whose death she survived some five years.

About 12.30 on New Year's morning Burnett and John O'Brien, of Uxbridge township, were walking down Brock St., Uxbridge and when nearly opposite The Times office three of the town boys stepped out on the sidewalk behind them, one of the latter made a remark about a cigar he held in his hand. The O'Brien brothers evidently thought the remark was intended for them, and, wheeling around, they assaulted the young men behind, the result being that the brothers received what is once termed a "licking." They then went up street, procured clubs, and waited in the Mansion House archway for their enemies to appear and give them an opportunity for revenge. Presently Alfred Pirt came along and just as he arrived opposite their hiding place they sprang out upon him, striking him over the head with their clubs. Just then Mr. Fowlie, who was returning home from church, appeared on the scene and came in for some rough usage at the hands of the infuriated brothers, they evidently mistaking he and Mr. Pirt for two of their enemies. At this juncture the young men for whom the clubs were really intended appeared and the O'Biern brothers fled. Next morning two separate charges of assault were lodged against them, but the matter was settled out of court.

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