## THAMESFORD,

A post village, situated on the banks of the middle branch of the River Thames, and on the line of the Governor's Road, which passes through it, in the Townships of East Nissouri and North Oxford, distant from Woodstock 14 miles, from London 14 miles, and from Ingersoll 5 miles. It is connected with Ingersoll and London by the Ingersoll and Thamesford Gravel Road, and also with St. Mary's by the road leading from it to St. Mary's. There is excellent water power in its immediate vicinity for mill and factory purposes, with good mill sites. It contains several stores and manufacturing establishments, of which Messrs. Hull & Kennedy's carriage factory deserves especial mention. They employ about 15 hands, and turn out everything in the line to a large extent. The premises consist of two buildings, one of brick 50 × 30 feet, two stories high, and the other a frame 26 × 32 feet, two stories high.

Mr. H. Hull employs six hands, and an engine of 15 horse-power, in the manufacture of sowing machines, horse rakes, land rollers, spinning wheels and reels, bench screws, wood turning of every description, and iron turning is also done by Mr. Hull. The factory is a frame building  $86 \times 24$  feet, two stories high, and was started in 1856.

Mr. John Johns established in 1842 the Thamesford flour and grist mills—water power—buildings, frame on stone basement,  $35 \times 45$ , four stories high, and contains three run of stone. Mr. Johns also saws about 750,000 feet of lumber annually.

There are three churches, viz.:—Church of England, Presbyterian and Episcopal Methodist, and a good common school, well attended. The nearest railway depot is Ingersoll. Mails tri-weekly. Population about 500.

Anderson, Duncan, farmer.
Bailey, Wm., laborer.
BELCHER, REV. MR., Church of England.
Brock, John, merchant.
Brown, Wm., general merchant.
CROSS KEYS' HOTEL, John Lee prop.

Dawes, Thos., M.D., physician, surgeon, &c.
Garner, Peter, potash-maker.
Hallaghan, H., laborer.
Hall, Henry, laborer.
HENDERSON, SAMUEL (Mc Kay & Henderson.)
Hendrihan, P., laborer.

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A large Stock of Furs at the Golden Fleece—W. Watson, Thames Street, Ingersoll.