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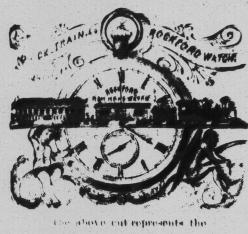
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TOWN COUNCIL MEETING.

A Lougtby and Windy Scution. COMMUNICATIONS AIDING THE GUARAN-ANTRE FUND-REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE-REPORT OF FINANCE COM-

METER-LEANING THE TOWN HALL-IMPEACHING THE CHIEF CONSTABLE-The regular meeting of the council for August was held in the council chamber

on Monday evening of this week. Present Of. W. Wallece, mayor; Reeve Deacon, Dep. reeves McLeman and Ingie, and Conne. Crandell, Cabill, Connolly, Graham, Sinclair and Brady. There was a large attendance of ratepayers. Perhaps it was that they were expecting that an interesting seasion would take place and much spirited controversy. Possibly they merely dropped in from the salvation army meeting held on the square with a view of changing from the hearing of matters doctrinal to the consideration of things municipal. There they sat, however, the combined intelligence (barring that at the board) and taxpaying material of the town. But their presence showed their interest in what was going forward. The minutes of the last regular and aperial meetings having been read and approved, the mayor gave his -.f. W. Wallace, mayor; Reeve Deacon,

INTRODUCTORY OVERTURE.

He had written, said Mayor Wallace, to Mr. Cox regarding the fast running of trains through the town. The reply received from Mr. Cox had stated that instructions had been issued to prevent the matter complained of in future. Certainly the speed of the trains had been reduced and he was glad of it. With regard to the question of the placing of a fence across a public road in the east ward leading to the river, as had been done in the case of Fee v. McIllhargey, Mr. P. S. Martin had been consulted and action would be taken in acaccordance with his instructions.

COMMUNICATIONS. A communication from the president and secretary of the South Victoria agricultural society was read, asking that the council contribute \$200 towards the guarantee fund. The communication is print-88UER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES FOR THE COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

antee fund. The communication is printed below:

In consequence of the directorate of the agricultural society of West Peterboro having decided to hold no central exhibition at Peterboro for the current year. I have been requested to inform your honorable body that the board of directors of the south riding of Victoria agricultural society have determined to hold an exhibition at Lindsay during the antumn of this year, which in point of prizes and exhibits frey hope may not be far short of the central exhibitions of the past. They have determined to invite exhibits from all parts of the lifth agricultural district as well as from the neighboring counties of Ontario and Simcos. This will necessarily involve a large outlay, and the directors have agreed to make every effort to make up a guarantee fund of \$1,000, \$300 of which has already been made up by private subscriptions, I have now on the part of the board to respectfully request that you will contribute \$200 towards the guarantee fund, not necessarily to be paid but to be paid pro rata to cover any deficiency which may exist towards paying the prizes awarded. In the event of your body prime awarded. In the event of your body granting this guarantee I venture to suggest that you appoint some member of the council as a delegate to attend the meeting of the board with a view of protecting the interests of the

town in carrying out the proposed exhibition.
At a further stage of the proceedings of the meeting a resolution moved by Reeve Descor was passed granting to the South Victoria agricultural society the \$200 towards the guarantee fund as asked for in the communication. Dep.-reeve McLennan and Coun. Crandell were appointed delegates in the interests of the town to

act on the board of the society.
From Mr. J. Begley and others asking that the council give orders to have a culvert built at the intersection of Queen-st. and the Midland railway tracks and that a drain be opened on Caroline-st., both in the east ward. This communication was referred to the chairman of the street and bridge committee. Mr. Ingle added the information that it was possible that the culvert would be put in by the railway authorities as the matter was under the con-sideration of the railway engineer.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE. Report of Special Committee.

Reeve Dracon, chairman of this committee, read a report from the special committee appointed to deal with the question of uncollected fines imposed at the police court. The report dealt with the matter in a very thorough manner and showed that the sum of \$300 was unpaid. It was noted that there seemed to be a misappre-hension among the town officers as to whose duty it was to make these collecttions. A list of the amounts owing and of the parties indebted was attached to this report. The report was adopted, and further on the matter was taken up.

RESTORING WILLIAM-ST. A resolution was submitted by Reeve Dracon that the council should call on the Consumers lias Company to at once restore Williamst, to the condition in which they found it before commencing putting down their pipes. The motion was passed. Dep.-reeve INGLE also referred to an obstruction by the pipes of the gas company to the drain at the crossing of Cambridge

AN INCREASE OF SALARY. Coun. Connolly moved that the care-taker of the pump house, Mr. P. Forbert, be granted \$30 in addition to his regular salary and as remuneration for extra services. Coun. Connolly spoke in favor of the resolution and said that Mr. Forbert deserved the increase.

Coun. Sinci.Air seconded the resolution, Coun. Sincilair seconded the resolution, when it was objected to by Reeve Deacon, who contended that it was a vicious principle to put in operation to interfere with the provisions of a by-law such as that governing the salaries of town officers. Severals councillors objected to the payment for extra services and contended that if said services were incurred in filling the water tanks for street watering purposes that the contractor should stand the expenses. Dep.-reeve McLennan favored the motion and would vote for it. Coun. Bracky condemned it as bad practice. The caretaker should abide by his bargsin till his year whe up. A vote was taken and the resolution finally passed.

CLOSING UP LOGIE STREET. The chairman of the street and bridge committee, Dep.-reeve INGLE, brought forward a motion that Logic-et., in the east ward, should be closed to traffic for one mouth pending the completion by the contractors of the new railway bridge. The motion was seconded by Coun. Brady and carried, it being deemed advisable that the street should not be used while accidents ware liable to occur.

Reeve DRACON pointed out that one billiard license and one livery license insued by the town had not yet been settled for. He contended that it was wrong and unjust to the licenses who had said their fees, to allow other parties to early on trade withwithout paying their dues when called on. He legace that stops would be taken at once to make the measury collections.

REPORT OF TINANCE COMMITTEE.

report also set forth the railway and debenture indebtedness of of the town and the financial details in connection with public school matters. The report showed an estimated expanditure on all accounts for the town of \$86.017.96 for the year 1886. A further estimate of the probable expanse for 1884 placed the amount likely to be meeted at the same figure, and the rate for 1884 at 211 miles on the dollar. During the year 1886 a quantity of debentures will have to be met, including \$8,000 for town hall. With \$1,000 sinking fund on hand, it was proposed to raise by taxation \$3,000 additional to assist in meeting these debentures when they fail due. A number of accounts were certified to and ordered to be paid. The report was then submitted, when, Coun. Crandell moved, before the adoption of the report, that the council do not make provision for the, payment of interest on railway debt. He based his wish that the council should take this step on the basis that they had paid their money for competition and by the action of the railways and government they have been discappointed. He maintained that that the government had over-ridden the town's contract with the railroad, and as one tax-payer he was not affaid to risk it. He had waited for this opportunity for months and he hoped the men of our town would bestir themselves and that in a court of equity they would get justice. He moved in amendment that the report be adopted with the exception of the clause relating to the sayment of railway debenture interest. The amendment was carried.

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The town treasurer, Mr. J. B. Knowlson, pointed out that he could not recognize any such vote as taken to-night. The by-law granting the money was a by-law emanating from the people and a mere vote of the council had no effect.

Reeve Dracon moved, seconded by Coun. Connoilly, that by-law No. --, to levy and collect certain moneys for the municipal year he carried.

Coun. CRANDELL objected to the resolu-

tion passing.

Coun. Connolly moved that a collection be appointed for the year 1883 at a salary of \$-. The council went into committee of 3-. The council went into committee of the whole on the second readings of both

The by-laws were read a third time and massed. Mr. B. F. Jewett was appointed collector at a salary of \$330.

LEASING THE TOWN HALL. Reeve Dracov brought forward a motion that the mayor and clerk be authorized to enter into a lease with Mr. Thos. Bradburn on the terms of the original lease, as drafted by the town solicitor. The lease to cover a period of ten years. Upon the suggestion of the mayor, the town solicitor was instructed to lay before the council the lease of plantages and plantages by the council to the suggestion of the mayor. cil the lease and plans made by the council of 1882 on the subject.

CENSURING THE CHIEF CONSTABLE. Coun. CRANDELL read a resolution which he hoped that the council would pass, and pass unanimously. The resolution censured Mr. Smart, chief of police, for neglect of duty in not collecting fines which were outstanding on the police court books. The resolution also stated that the amount were outstanding on the police court books. Ontario Hotel. The cup is a thing of The resolution also stated that the amount uncollected should be deducted from Mr. and might be well prized by any club in mart's salary. Coun. Chandell. backed up what he sug-

gested by a great speech. Mr. Smart had been remiss in his duty. Were the council going to say that they were going to loose it. Let me drive this nail in a sure place. He would not hurt a hair of Mr. Smart's head, but as a representative of the town he must see fair play. If Mr. Smart had funds in his possession which were placed in his hands to pay fines he must be made to disgorge. There was the resolution and he would stick to it to the last. Take the amount from Mr. Smart's salary and fetch

The motion was lost on a division.
The Mayor said that if Constable Smart lid not do his duty the council should put

Coun. CRANDELL said that he was glad o hear that the mayor was taking a sensible view of affairs. Reeve DEACON then moved in effect that

the mayor take the necessary steps to com-pel the chief constable to collect the fines outstanding and to assure that officer that he was expected to do his duty and that properly. The motion passed. A COW HY-LAW.

Councillor CRANDELL took up the subject of the proposed cow by-law. It was an important by law to draw up. In order not to hear to hard on the "poor man" he would designate a part of the town bounded by certain streets within which jurisdicion no cow might legally run at large bethat he would bring in at the next meeting

The council then adjourned.

LINDSAY BOARD OF EDUCA-

A Special Meeting to Fix the Rate. RESIGNATION OF THE CLASSICAL MASTER A SEASON OF ECONOMY.

A special meeting of the board of educa-Wednesday evening of this week. Present:
Mr. Wm. Grace, chairman; and Mesers.
Pilkie, Brown, McNeillie, Heap, DeGrassi

Before taking up the consideration of the fluencial position of the schools, the chairman said that Mr. Smith had resigned the position of science master to accept a more remunerative position in the Galt collegiate institute. Mr. Smith had proved himself

institute. Mr. Smith had proved himself a very satisfactory teacher.

With regard to advertising for a teacher to fill the vacancy a difference of opinion was expressed. It was felt by many of the board that with three teachers the school could be carried on until the end of the year. On the other hand the expense of a fourth teacher would be reserved. year. On the other hand the expense of a fourth teacher would be nearly, if not entirely, covered by the amounts coming in from the government and county. In this case the actual expense to the town would be so trifling that the schools might as well have the services of a master. After a very full discussion on motion of Mr. Irwin a committee was appointed to consider as to whether such an arrangement of classes could be made as would obviate the employment of a fourth teacher. The committee to report to a meeting subject to the call of the chairman. The motion was carried.

Mr. HEAP, chairman the of finance committee, read a statement which he had prepared, showing the sums needed to meet current schools. For high school purposes \$3,000 was necessary; \$2,050 of this amount was paid by government and county, the balance would be raised from the town by its own special rate, say 1½ mills. For public school purposes \$7,000 was necessary. This sum included \$2,300 carried over from last year. On the taxable property of the

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

HALIBURTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
CORRECTION. — In local last week it should have been "Messys. Irwin and Spry are shipping shingles and lumber to Port Hope and slabs to Whitby."

OAR WOOD

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PRESENTATION.—A nice little gathering of members and friends of the M. E. church here, met at the residence of Mrs. Taylor, East Oakwood, on the evening of July 27th, to present Miss Etta Taylor with an address and presentation for valuable services as organist and leader of the choir in the church for some time past. A couple of young lady friends got up the matter on short notice, otherwise there would have been a larger attendance and more valuable present. Following is the address to which Miss Taylor made a suitable reply:—

Miss Etta Taylor, Organist M. E. Church

Miss Taylor made a suitable reply:—

Miss Etta Taylor, Organist M. E. Church
Onkwood East.—Dear Friend.—We, a few of
the members and friends of the M. E. church,
Oakwood, having recognized with feelings of
indebtedness your services as organist, have met
to-night to express our gratitude and to give
you a slight token of our appreciation of your
labors. Please accept these dishes and this
purse which very inadequately express the
value we place upon your efforts to aid us in
singing the senge of Zion. We are pleased to
find you in early life devoting yourself to the
Master's service. We hope our voices will long
mingle together here in prayer and praise and
trust when the storms of life are past we will
again unite in singing the anthems of redeeming love in the "mansions not made with hands
eternal in the heavens."

Oakwood, July 27th, 1883.

HARVESTING.—The fall wheat and barley

HARVESTING.—The fall wheat and barley harvest commenced very generally last Monday. The wheat is somewhat shaken and it is said will not average over twenty

BEAVERTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
The induction of the Rev. G. C. Patterson, M. A. into the charge of Knox Church Beaverton, took place on Tuesday last. There was a very large congregation present to welcome their new pastor. Full

particulars next week.

EXHIBITION.—The Thorah branch Agricultural society holds a meeting of the directors on Saturday, the 11th instant, for the purpose of appointing the show day and to revise the prize list. The prizes will be more liberal this year.

I.ACROSSE. - A silver cup, valued at \$60 given by the Olympic lacrosse club of Port Perry to be contested for by the several club at Port Perry on the 6th inst. for the championship of the county, was won by the Checkers of Beaverton. In the first draw, Cannington and Port Perry clubs played. Port Perry winning by three straights; and Oshawa and the Beaverton Checkers faced, when the latter were easy checkers faced, when the latter were easy victors by three straights. In the second draw, the Port Perry and Checkers were to face for the final decision, when the Port Perry club gave up the cup by default, rather than face the scientific play of our club. On the return the victorious club was enthusiastically received by the villagers, and a grand banquet will be given them on Friday evening next, at the

MAPLE HILL-MARA.

[Correspondence of the Post.] BERRY-PICKING. - The huckle-berry fields of Sadowa and Dartmoor have been popular resorts for some time, the natural fruit of those places proving a most opportune sup-ply now when domestic fruits are scarce. When our party, about twenty strong, visited the grounds it found the bushes weighted with rich clusters from which it was quite possible to shell off at a grasp, a score or more of blue-black berries, the size of small ritle balls, at which rate of picking every basket and pail available was oon filled. Of course, not until individual appetities had been attended to, which, by the way is the first thing on entering a huckle-berry patch. An unpleasant incident of the trip was the meeting with a huge blowing adder on which one of the party would have planted his foot but for the timely note of warning sounded by the reptile. A pedagogue, skilled in the use of the rod attacked, and quickly despatched the serpent with his favorite weapon. THOSE BEARS. - A neighbour observed.

three bears crossing his field on Thursday. Quickly seizing his ballard, he sent all the cartridge in his possession in pursuit, but

they escaped.

Notes. - Passing Dairymple south recently with a friend, we did not fail to note the fineappearance of the farms in that locality. Where all are good it is hard to distinguish but the magnificent farm of the Graham bros. may be mentioned as one that will repay the trouble of a visit at any time, while those of Messrs. Ivory, Plews, and Fox, bear solid testimony to the good farming thrift, and good taste of their respective wners. Dalrymple is a favored spot, and it will have to be a mightier spectre than has yet visited it, that will blight the prospects of its people.
Good.—We dined on venison recently. It was good, really better than later in the

season, but we must not tell anyone. Splendid venison however.

LITTLE BRITAIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
PICNIC.—The picnic of last Saturday afternoon was attended by a large turn out rom different parts of the county, and all from different parts of the county, and all seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. The day being cool and dry made it pleasant in the woods. Time was spent as follows: speeches from Rev. Mr. Doxsee, C. M. minister; Rev. Rich. Mallett, Rev. M. Metherell, B. C. minister; Dr. H. E. Vrocman, and Mr. H. Allen; also choice music by the Little Britain glee club. The Little Britain band was on the ground although they have not been organised very long rendered some good music, which put new Britain band was on the ground although they have not been organised very long rendered some good music, which put new life in the amusement. There were swings croquet, refreshments, etc. on the ground. I. O. G. T.—The following officers were installed to office in Providence lodge No. 30, for the ensuing quarter: W. C. T., Bro. J. J. Sloan; W. P. T., Sis. E. Sailes; W.C., Bro. W. Yeo; W. F. S., H. Rusland; W.T., Sister P. Mark; W. S., Bro. F. Maunder; W. M., A. Mark; W. D. M., Sis. H. Wills, W. I. G., Sis. M. Glenny; W. O. G., Bro. W. Burden; P. W. C. T., Bro. T. Prouse; W. R. S., Sis. E. Glenny; lodge deputy, Bro. J. Prouse.

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EVIL DISPOSED.—We feel almost ashamed to report the following in a place like Little Britain, but we hope there is no young men to be found in Little Britain who would take part in small, spiteful, mean piece of business as the following:—The platforms and seats for the picnic were all put up and arranged the night before, which took several hours work for a number of men who got the lumber and were responsible for its return, and who did a lot of work gratis for the accommodation of the public. After leaving things all right, on their return the next day they found platform torn down and the lumber carried

London, preached a sermon in the B. C. church last Sunday evening.

CHIPS.—Harvest fully commenced....
Fall wheat a good crop.....Self-binders started all around....Berrying commenced.

WOODVILLE.

[Correspondence of the Post.]

New RACE COURSE.—A new race course on the premises of Wm. Smith, about a mile east of this village, will soon be completed and will be free to all those who may wish to practice their horses. A good manager committee have shown of managing committee have charge of it and intend having races early in Septem-

VICTORIA ROAD.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
A GREAT BOON.—The guage on the Nipissing will be changed and trains will run from Lindsay to Coboconk by the 15th

CLERICAL.—High mass was celebrated here on Sunday by Father McEvoy, assisted by Father Buckley of Toronto and Father Spratt of Wolfe Island. An eloquent and impressive sermon was preached by Father McEvoy. The Rev. gentlemen whilst here spent part of their time with our popular station agent, Mr. F. N. Law.

REMOVED.—Rev. Mr. Lloyd has removed from here to Warsaw. He is succeeded by the Rev. Mr. Duke.

DUNSFORD.
[Correspondence of the Post.]

FUNERAL.-Last week the remains of Mrs. Kate Thobourn were interred in the Presbyterian graveyard. Mrs. Thobourn was one of the pioneers of Verulam, and is said to have been in her one hundred and fifth year.

AN ADDITION.—Congratulations due our friends Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper, who are rejoicing in the addition to their family of a bouncing young daughter. May long life and happiness attend her. LEAVING.—Our popular physician, Dr. J. W. Ray, has signified his intention of leaving us. Dr. Ray, since his advent in Dunsford, has proved himself to be a skillful and attentive practitioner, and will carry with him the respect and the good wishes of the entire neighborhood. The fact that during his stay he monopolised the business of Dunsford and the surrounding country is a sufficient guarantee that his services have been duly appreci-

NEW REAPERS.—Mr. Jas. Bell is doing a fair business in the sale of implements. On Monday he started two new reapers, one for Mr. R. Mitchell, the other for Mr. R. Kennedy. As he will not accept the agency for any but first-class machines his

agency for any out first-mass machines his sales invariably give satisfaction.

Accident.—Last Thursday, when Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCallum were returning from Lindsay, their horses were frightened by a dog belonging to Mr. J. Brien and ran away, upsetting and badly wrecking their buggy besides inflicting severe injuries on both. There is no greater nuisance than logs continually running to the road and barking at passing teams. It is a lament-able fact that there are too many such lively canines, between Dunsford and Lindsay. If there is no law to protect travellers from this nuisance we would urge on our egislators the immediate passing of one.
THE HARVEST. -Haying is finished, and the attractions of the fair sex of this comegislators the immediate passing of one. the vield has been immense. The fall munity. wheat and barley harvest is keeping our farmers on the rush.

UPTERGROVE. [Correspondence of The Post.] EXPLANATORY.—A paragraph in THE Post last week under Uptergrove, quoting a "proverb" of Josh Billings's, is taken by ome to apply to Mr. J. H. Maguire, formerly station agent at Uptergrove and now at Beaverton. Mr. Maguire was recently presented with a gold headed cane, and some envious party may have taken advantage of the circumstance to get in a thrust at the recipient. The paragraph in question escaped our notice, and we find it did not come as was supposed in regular correspondence, and may therefore have had the object stated. We exceedingly regret its appearance in our columns, because we hold Mr. Maguire in high esteem, and we would not willingly print a slur upon any me. We must say, however, that the paragraph, in as far as empty-headedness s concerned, can have no application to Mr. Maguire, as his qualities of head are no less considerable than are those of his heart, his abilities being equal to his court-esy and kindness. He is well entitled to carry the gold-headed cane as an evidence bound upon its author. -- Ep. Post.

of the respect and esteem of many friends. and the uncalled for sneer will only re-A CHALLENGE.-In last week's issue of THE BOST Centre Mara boasts of having the "boss" binder in the township in the person of Joury of Sandy Point. ne wants to make money or loose money I will give him a chance. I will bet from fifty to one hundred dollars that there are two railway section men here that either can bind from 60 to 30 dozen more than his Sandy Point man, or any other man south of Uptergrove in Mara. I will leave this challenge open for two weeks and if Centre Mara comes to time I will put fifty dollars in the hands of the editor of THE POST as a

zuarantee of good faith.

LARGE SNAKE.—Mr. Sidney Penery of Schepler station killed a large snake one day last week, it measured five feet seven inches from to tail. Ir. Penry has seen it requently for the last four years but never could get near enough to kill it until then.

CANNINGTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.
PICNIC.—The Sunday schools in connection with the various churches in the village, intend having a union picnic sometime during this month. The date and and place will be fixed upon during the

week.

EXCURSION.—I understand that the Orange Lodge here intend having an excursion to Port Hope or Peterboro after harvest. Either place would be suitable, and if satisfactory arrangements can be made, a large number from this locality may be expected to join with them. The Oddfellows, intend holding their picnic at Beaverton, on the last Friday in August. The Woodville and Manilla lodge, join with them.

with them.
Foot Ball.—On Thursday evening last a meeting was held at the Bennett house for the purpose of organizing a foot ball club, quite a few were present, and the club will be formally organized in a few days. A large number have signified their intention of joining, and with a little practice, a really first-class team will be ready to do battle for the club. I regret to say that we have no really first-class say that we have no really first-class grounds here, and hope that those interes-ted in such matters, will take the matter in hand and secure for next season at least, suitable grounds, not only for foot-ball, but also for the other various games usually

indulged in.

PERSONALS.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Edwards, have returned home from a trip to the north-west and northern states. Mr. Edwards, reports everything dull, the crope look better in British territory than in the dominion of Uncle Sam. Mr. John Holmes, arrived safely home from the old sod. Although he spent but a few weeks in his native land, he had an enjoyable trip, and a pleasant time.

BUILDING.—In my last weeks correspondence I forgot to mention that our enterprising miller, Mr. John Leary is building a new brick house opposite his mills on Laidlaw St.

Lacrosse.—The Cannington Lacrosse club important that the siver cup at Port Perry on the 6th inst. but failed to carry off the trophy. The junior Lacrosse club important in the tory campaigm in Algoma.

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—An accident that may prove fatal occurred on Monday about two miles from Arthur at a farmer's named John Sweney. It appears his stepson named Dunn and his own daughter were fooling when Dunn took down a gun which, unknown to him, was load with alugs, and pointed it at her tropic in the tory campaign in Algoma.

tend playing a match with the Woodville Juniors this week at Beaverton. Our boys complain that the Woodville people are partial, and therefor they prefer to play on

CAMERON.

We have received a letter from a correspondent regarding the item "Correction" printed in last weeks correspondence from this place. We withold the letter in order to make enquiries before printing it.

-We have received a letter from a correspondent at Islay dealing with matters printed in another paper. The letter is of such a personal nature that we do not feel justified in publishing it for the present, without making further enquiry. ED.

CADMUS P. O.-CARTWRIGHT.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
BARN RAISING.—A very pleasant evening was spent on Monday July 30th at the residence of Mr. Charles Edgerton's, where a barn was raised which went up in first-class style. After the barn was completed, two young men choose sides, and had an excellent game of foot-ball. The after-part of the evening was spent with music and dancing. The evening was so well spent that all the young folks of this part of the country should to be thankful for having the chance to go and give a hand at the barn.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A very sad affair happened in this township at the village of Caesarea. The proprietor of the hotel, Wilkinson Todiff, dropped dead. It is supposed it was from the effects of liquor.

SUNDERLAND.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
HARVEST.—The armers have got a great
deal of their fall wheat cut. The weather
the past week has been the finest of the

RUNAWAY.—As Mr. Geo. Wright was driving to the village this week his horse took fright and became unmanageable. He had two ladies in the vehicle, and all were thrown out on the road. The ladies escaped uninjured. Mr. Wright clung to the lines and was dragged some distance before he got the animal stopped. One of

the wheels of the buggy was broken.

Selling off.—Mr. Jaffray is going to make a slaughtering sacrifice of his goods in order to make room for his fall stock. STEAM THRESHER. - Mr. A. McGincis has got his steam thresher rigged out for the season's work, and will commence this

business. -Trade is very brisk here just now. The increasing trade of Mr. E. A. V. Busick, our obliging harness-maker, has caused him to employ additional work. men.....Those intending going into housekeeping would do well to inspect the furniture rooms of Messrs. Rivell and Frankish, furniture dealers and under-

takers.
A LITTLE SLOW.-It is a sad fact that the young men of this village look so indifferently on the matrimonial question. The majority of the business men are yet to be made happy, but seem very slow about making up their minds. Truly their

> BLACKWATER [Correspondence of The Post.]

BUILDING .- Mr. Joseph Ruddige's barn raising took place yesterday. BERRIES. - The only refreshments the hungry passengers get here now are the raspberries, which grow plentifully in all

WANTED. -Several houses are badly wanted here, and would be rented if they were put up. One notable case is that of Mr. Hungerford, who is employed at the railway station, who has to leave his family in Lindsay and come and go to work some twenty miles every morning and

New Roads.-Mr. Darling with a surveyor was down on Wednesday locating the roads from the station across his pro-

perty, which he is willing to give the coun-NEW STATION. - The workmen after finishing the verandah at the station here left for Manilla junction and are putting a similar one there, but have evidently profitted by their experience here, for the new one is much broader. When that is done, which will be in a day or two, they return here and commence work on the station proper. The plans for the above have been decided on and when carried into effect will give us a fine building. It will be 94 feet long from the end of the shelter and contain spacious waiting and baggage-rooms, a luncheon bar, agent's house, etc. Instead of refreshment rooms as originally intended the company have decided to only have a luncheon bar as above stated for various reasons, one of which was that they prefer to encourage a good and re-spectably conducted hotel here to doing the spectably conducted hotel here to doing the business themselves....In order to assist the man who builds a hotel here to put up a nice looking building Mr. Darling states that he will provide him with plans from an architect if he wishes to use them.... We are authorized to say that Messrs. W. D. Matthews & Co., produce merchants of Toronto, wish to bus crain at this point and are willing to emgrain at this point and are willing to employ an experienced grain buyer at a liberal commission, on the condition that he puts up a warehouse. Land will be given such a person for both warehouse and dwelling, and the railway state that they will put in the necessary sidings. The proper person to apply to about this Matthews matter is Mr. Alex McDonnell of

-One hundred and ten British soldiers have died from cholera in Egypt since the

Poole one of the dynamiters, was yester-day committed for trial at Dublin on the charge of murdering Kenny. - A young man in Medonte who bought

a horse lately for \$115, is said to have received \$100 worth of experience, and \$15 - Thirty thousand of Bradlaugh's supporters made a demonstration in Trafalgar square yesterday as a protest against his expulsion from the Commons.

-Fifty-nine persons were poisoned by eating ice cream at a church festival at Camden, S. C. One child died and the lives of twelve persons are despaired of. -Mr. Gladstone stated in the Commons on Monday that the cholera had greatly de-layed the reorganization of Egypt, and the early withdrawal of the British troops was

not likely.

—A cheque for \$40,000 has been passed through the finance department at Ottawa under such circumstances as point to this sum as providing "sinews of law" for coming and the tory campaign in Algoma.

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