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The Fenelon Falls Gazette

Saturday, January 22nd, 1881.

Tremendous Storm in England.

England has been visited by an unprecedented hurricane and snow-storm, which was particularly severe in London and its vicinity. Numerous wrecks, attended with loss of life, are reported DARRISTER, ATTORNEY - AT - LAW, around the coast and several railways () Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, are snowed up. In the city nearly all &c. Office, Doheny Block, Kent street, traffic has been stopped and great loss and suffering have been caused by the overflow of the Thames, which has risen higher than was ever known before and filled the lower stories of hundreds of houses with water. The damage done by the flood is estimated a \$10,

#### The Irish Troubles.

The state trials of the Irish agitators tenced to seelusion for a time, - the Irish for the suspension of the payment of regret. all rent;" indeed, the arch-agitator uses In prietor. This well known hotel (lately | such high-toned and threatening language that many of his prominent supporters have left him in disgust, and it is even feared that the rant and vio-Irish population, which, as the "Globe' remarks, would be a colony within a colony and open to many objections.

# The Momentous Decision.

Sir John A. Mcdonald has at length definitely announced the determination | the proprietor, and now Divison Court with the St. Paul Syndicate, and, disthere appears to be actually no limits to knew him. Mr. Shortt edited the Echo the lengths to which the Conservative | and Mr. John Steele the "Guide," and there are enough left in the Commons in Beaverton, (which boasted a local and the Senate to enable Sir John to paper before Lindsay did,) but was carry his point in spite of all the ar- starved out, a fate which has befallen guments that can be brought against it. all his successors in that village. An-Syndicate-a combination of about man, we saw in the Toronto Leader twenty of the wealthiest men in Canada | office eight years ago; another, Mr. ridicule and the prominent men who soon acquired a large circulation for sary declarations of office and qualifi- Claverhouse and his men, the scant hint a suspicion that the members of new printing office; and Mr. Edwin Reeve, John Bredin, John Kelly, and on Scotch rebels in the Fifteen and the St. Paul Syndicate; but, unless they existence of the Echo, notwithstanding Attorney-General, who said the matter men of strong sense. But no one, except have some personal object in view, it is its early prosperity, was not a very long would receive the earnest consideration an inebriated Scotch apprentice, or a impossible to account for their intense one; but the old "Guide" still lives" of the Government, provided they enclerk at a St. Andrew's dinner, ever Dominion to the other, as the one to Furby, who now must be near his 80th by Wm. Thurston,-That James Jun-

power to frustrate the design of the Government; able speeches have been delivered against it, both in Parliament and out, and petitions from numerous constituencies have been presented; and when the evils predicted from the measure about to be consummated shall be felt in all their force, the Reformers of Capada will at least have the satisfaction of recollecting that they did their best to prevent them, and that the Conservative leaders, who just now glory in wrong upon the country, were alone responsible for all the lamentable consequences which that wrong will entail upon the public.

#### A Model Farmer Gone.

The London (Eng.) correspondence

of the Toronto "Globe gives some interesting particulars concerning Mr. Mechi, the well known agriculturist, who died on Christmas Day, in the 78th year of his age. Mr. Mechi was the son of an Italian father and an English mother, and having made a little money by some small inventions which he patented, he opened a shop in London for the sale of cutlery in general and his one shilling razor and magic strop and paste in particular. The articles being really good, he rapidly acquired fame and fortune, and in about fifteen years was very wealthy. Having a strong natural taste for agriculture, in which he had always taken great interest, he invested part of his means in the purchase of Tiptree Hall farm, in Essex, and went to work upon it according to his own ideas, which differed so widely from those generally prevalent that he was laughed at as a harmless lunatic who would soon reduce himself to beggary. For the first few years, before the improvements he was making had time to bring in returns, the balances were on the wrong side of the ledger; and, as this was made public, his agricultural contemporaries laughed more heartily than ever, and of course said, "we told you so." But Mr. Mechi had faith in his system, which was simply what is now known as "high farming" and after a time are in full progress, and the evidence in | began to show profits which excited the defence of the "traversers," as the ac- astonishment and envy of the men who cused are called, was closed on Monday | had previously laughed at him. Un-Whatever the result,-whether fortunately, he still continued his cut-Parnell and his colleagues be acquitted | lery business, which gradually fell away, and left at liberty to resume their sedi- and his mistake in retaining it proved tious mouthings, or convicted and sen- his ruin. A week before his deathwhich was no doubt hastened by the difficulty still remains to be disposed of; shock-he was adjudged a bankrupt, for though the heads of the League be | and one of the last acts of his life was cut off, the body will retain too much to sign a letter addressed to the Times, vitality and aggressive power to permit | declaring that it was his cutlery business, its existence to be ignored. Mr. Glad- and not his farm, that had caused his stone, in a recent interview with a Par- difficulty; the reason of this being that lingness to concede fair rents and free balance sheets had often been disputed sales of land,-two of the "three F's," by incredulous farmers, who could not -but the third, fixity of tenure, pre- believe that the profits therein shown sents greater difficulties and requires had been really made. Mr. Mechi's further consideration. Ireland, mean- writings upon agricultural subjects form while, is in a fearful state; fresh out- more than one volume, and he was so rages are heard of almost every day, esteemed, both personally and for his and "boycotting" is being carried to services to agriculture, that he would such extravagant lengths that existence | have been again placed in easy circumis becoming almost unendurable to all stances by a public subscription; and who refuse to join the Land League. as his death has but an end to the kind-Arrests of prominent members of that | ly project, it is the intention to purchase organization are beginning to be made an annuity for his wife and provide with commendable frequency, and the for his daughters. Even on this side Government appears to have at length of the Atlantic tens of thousands of resolved to put a stop to the intolerable farmers have read more or less contyranny of the Leaguers. The passage | cerning the famous Tiptree Hall estate of "coercion bills" is seriously contem- and its wonderful productions, and by plated. Parnell says that "the first ar- all such the death of its deservedly celerest under them would be the signal | brated proprietor will be learned with

## The Port Hope Guide.

Under the heading of "The Jubilee, the Guide of the 14th inst. says "In lence of the Leaguers have aroused in 1831, just half a century ago, the first ter 174, section 506, subsection 2.- kicked, unless he wish to appear in a House, on Wednesday, when many of England a feeling of antagonism that | number of this paper was issued by Mr. may seriously militate against the pro- | William Furby, who called it The posed amendments in the land laws. New Telegraph, Mr. Furby is still But not even the concession of the living, and at present his home is with "three F's" will free Ireland from the his distinguished son-in-law, Judge evils arising from a superabundant pop- Scott, of Brampton. In 1836 the name ulation, and the Duke of Devonshire | was changed to the Port Hope Gazette will, it is said, recommend a Govern- and Canada Independent Economist. ment scheme of emigration in order to In 1844, the name was again changed get rid of some of the surplus. The to the Port Hope Gazette and Durham London Spectator has an article advis- Advertiser. In 1846 another change ing the same remedy, and talks of the | was made in the name; it was christenformation of a purely Irish colony or ed the Commercial Advertiser, and for state on this side of the Atlantic, with | three years it was published under this Irish laws, an Irish Government and an | title. In 1849, the name underwent yet another change—to the Port Hope Watchman; and in 1852 it was change ed to its present name-The Guide.

It was in the Guide office, in the years 1853-4, that we acquired the art of "type sticking," and formed a friend ship with Mr. George M. Furby, son of of his Government to ratify the contract | Clerk in Port Hope, which has lasted for more than a quarter of a century. astrous to the Dominion at large and When we entered the office two papers especially to the North-West as that | were issued weekly, the Guide and the ratification will be, it is to be feared | Echo, or Protestant Episcopal Recorder, that there is no way to prevent it. We | founded and owned by the Rev. Jonconfess that we are not of those who athan Shortt, rector of St. John's, Port felt sure from the first that the mon- | Hope, who has long since "gone over strous bargain would be concluded; but to the majority," regretted by all who party will follow their chieftain; and | the employees in the office were about though some few have had the courage | ten in number. Of these, one, Mr. Wm. to protest against the iniquitous terms. | Hillam, soon after started the Packet It was hoped that the offer of the new other, Mr. David Cormack, the press--to build the Pacific Railway on much | James Bevan, is, we believe, still in more favourable terms, would at least | the "Guide" office; and yet another. have been maturely deliberated upon; Mr. Wm Graham, is a well-known but, instead, it met with nothing but | musical resident of Lindsay. The Echo compose it were gratuitously insulted. those days, and was so successful that cations, took their seats, viz, Charles justice done to Scotch interests at the It would perhaps be going too far to the proprietor purchased the plant for a Fairbairn, Reeve, John Junkin, Deputy Union of 1707, the venueance exacted eagerness to close a bargain so unpala- and we hope will in due course hold a tered into any new railway schemes, table to the people, from one end of the jubilee over its centennial. Since Mr. which it appears we are to be hopeless- | year, gave it up, it has passed through | ly committed. The Liberal party have several hands; but it has always been

consummation of his ruinous bargain with the Pacific Railway Syndicate.

## Village Council Proceedings.

Fenelon Falls, Jan. 17th, 1881 The members elect met, and after taking the usual declaration of office and signing the property qualifications, took their seats. The new council are Henry W. Greene, Reeve, and counciltheir ability to inflict an irreparable lors William Campbell, William Devman, Edward Fitzgerald and William L. Robson. The Reeve read the minutes of the meeting of Trent Valley Canal committee held in Peterborough on December 1st, 1880. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Mr. Robson gave notice that at this meeting of the council he would introduce a by-law to appoint auditors for the current year.

by Mr. Deyman, That the following councillors act as the standing committees for the ensuing year :- Street and Bridge, William Deyman, chairman, William Robson and William Campbell. Finance Committee, E. Fitzgerald, chairman, W. L. Robson and W. Campbell. Charity Committee, Wm. Campbell, chairman, E. Fitzgerald and \$3; Wm. Graham, do., \$3; D. Mur-W. Deyman. Petition Committee, W. Robson, chairman, E. Fitzgerald and of house at elections, \$4; Trustees S. W. Campbell.-Carried.

by Mr. Deyman, That the following accounts be paid and the Reeve give at election, \$4; Geo. Eastland, horse his orders for the same :-- Moffatt and McFarland, provisions to Petticombe, \$1 50; do. do., Mrs. Drake, \$1 Smith and Fell, plank for sidewalks, \$14 56; H. P. Heming, nails for sidewalk, 45c.; Jos. McArthur, taxes re- tion, \$16; C. R. Stewart, half expenses funded loss by fire, \$3 .- Carried.

Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Deyman, That John Fitzgerald be auditor for the current year .- Car-

Moved by Mr. Fitzgerald, seconded by Mr. Robson, That the clerk be instructed to write to Mr. Matchett to send a warrant to the collector to col- tisement will appear next week. lect the taxes on west haif of lot four north Bond west Colborne streets .-

Mr. Fitzgerald gave notice that he would introduce a by-law at the next hall, and the sum of \$18 65 wss realized. meeting of the council to appoint an as-

sessor for 1881. Moved by Mr. Robson, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, That By-law No .entitled a by-law appointing auditor. for the current year, be now introduced and read a first time. - Carried.

By-law read in committee of the whole without amendment. By-law passed in the usual way.

Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, That the council adjourn, to meet on Monday, Jan. 26th, at half past seven o'clock .- Carried.

Somerville Council Proceedings.

The municipal council of the town ship of Somerville met this 13th day of January, 1881, pursuant to a call of the Reeve. Members all present, the Reeve in the chair. The minutes of previous meeting were read as amended and confirmed.

Moved by Mr. Eade, seconded by Mr. Graham, That John Pettenger be allowed one day statute labour, the same having been performed by John Eade, and that one day be charged him and refunded next year, if the work be performed to the satisfaction of this council.-Carried

Mr. Rumney, That the clerk be instructed to have by-law No. 216 published for four weeks in the proper papers as required by the municipal In- in Lindsay, at any rate, he must stand this object in view a meeting of the by false pretences. stitutions Act, Statutes of Ontario, Chap- still and be beaten, or lie still and be farmers was called at the Blackwell

Mr. Rumney, That the following accounts against the municipality be paid : | C. Grace was equalled, if not exceeded. -E. D. Hand, printing &c., \$4 50; Henry Bradburn, cutting out road, stable Smart had summoned both par-\$2 50; David Galloway, planks for ties on a charge of disorderly conduct, bridge, \$1 45; Clerk's three quarters' and the public sympathy for Mr. Barr salary, \$60; John Fell, Esq., council- was greatly intensified. As a matter of that they have not the same benefit in lors' fees and mileage, \$17 50; Thos. course the magistrate decided, in spite this respect that their more enterprise-Howie, do., \$18 50; George Eade, do., of the quibbling of Grace's lawyer, that | ing brethren to the north new enjoy. \$20 50; Henry Graham, do., \$18; there was "nothing against Mr. Barr, George Rumney, do., \$22 50; John | who was an innocent sufferer, and he Hodgson, use of room for 1880, \$10; would dismiss the case against him;" but Clerk, postage and stationery, \$5 61; that the summons was the result of mal-John Fell, 50 lbs. flour for Wm. Cav- | ice in some quarter, there can be little anagh, \$1 50; John Fell, equalizing | doubt, though the Chief Constable ofunion school assessment, \$7 25; John | fered to make oath that he had not to keep a fancy team of horses, but is Fell, commission on road work, \$1 25; been actuated by any such feeling. The Thos. Howie, do., \$2 50; Henry Gra. | decision in the case of Grace was reham, do., \$1 25; George Rumney, do., served for a week, and we have not \$1 25; George Eade, do., \$2 50; Wm. heard the result. Dowson, returning officer's duties, \$4; John T. Beech, do., \$2; F. Train, do, \$2 25; D. McIntyre, use of hall at election, \$2; Henry Graham, do., \$2 Trustees of S. S. No. 8, do., \$2 .- Car-

chair.—Carrie l.

take the chair .- Carried.

Mr. Graham, That this council tender is it, we may ask, that we never hear same cause. For these accidents the a vote of thanks to the reeve for the this sort of language applied to Scotland. | children are not responsible; they are able and impartial manner in which he For every high-handed act committed too young to be able to reason; but the has presided over its deliberations for in Ireland by Strongbow, or Cromwell drivers of sleighs are clearly responsible. the year 1880, and that this motion be or Pitt, in the period of their ascendancy They have reasoning powers, and ought entered on the minutes of this meeting. -Carried.

## Verulam Council.

to statute. The following gentlemen met and, having subscribed to the neces-Moved by by John Bredin, seconded

kin be appointed auditor for the year. The Reeve then appointed David done, and which there is yet time will "a staunch supporter of British rule,' Murdoch as the other auditor. continue to do, all that lies in their and to-day is doing its best to break

the rule of John A. and prevent the John Bredin,-That Robert McFarland | that sufficient priority is not allotted to | and the disappearance of buffalo robes. be appointed assessor for the year 1881 | Scotch affairs, we know no grievance to | whips, bells, harness, par als of goods, at a salary of 50 dollars. Carried.

John Bredin,-That a by Law confirm- afford matter for complaint, unless it be | the police at last set a gorously to work ing the appointment of an assessor and that their Lord Advocate is unable to to discover the depredators, which they two auditors be read and passed .- Car- find a seat in the House.

Moved by Kelly, seconded by John Bredin .- That Peter Lordon be refunded \$8 62 cents error in School taxes.

Moved by John Kelly, seconded by Wm. Thurston,- That the Reeve and Clerk sign a memorial and attach the Corporate seal thereto to the Dominion Government, praying them to make an appropriation for the speedy survey and location of the Trent Valley Canal.

–Carried. Moved by John Kelly, seconded by John Junkin,-That Thos. Sproule be refunded two dollars, and Thos. Staples Moved by Mr. Fitzgerald, seconded one dollar, error in statute labor.-Car-

Moved by Wm. Thurston, seconded by John Kelly,-That the following accounts be paid and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the same :- Thomas Ellis, deputy returning officer, \$3; do., constable, 31; Wm. Devitt, deputy returning officer, \$3; C. E. Tiers, do., doch, do., \$3; Trustees S. S. No. 9, use S. No. 4, do., \$4; Trustees S. S. No. 7 Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded do., \$4; Jas. Bell, use of hall at election, \$4; Mrs. M. Knox, use of house hire, delivering election papers, \$4; the Clerk, expenses delivering election papers and certificates, \$5 75; the Reeve, expenses to Toronto and Peterborough Grand Junction R. R. deputato Toronto on G. J. R. R. deputation, \$6 75.—Carried.

On motion of Mr. Thurston the council adjourned to 1st March.

REMOVAL .- Mr. James Agnew has removed his boot and shoe store to Mr. Dewart's old stand, and his new adver-

M I ENTERTAINMENT .- The entertainment in aid of the Fenelon Falls Mechanics' Institute was held as advertised on Thursday evening in Ingram's Further notice next week.

Sworn In .- The new Council were sworn in on Monday evening, and that and the subsequent proceedings appear in another column. We are glad we are not members of the august body, as the school money muddle is likely to give them no little trouble.

TRENT VALLEY CANAL.-On Monday afternoon, in the Montreal City ed through a back door and goods to Council, a letter was read from the the value of about \$75 stolen. Trent Valley Canal projectors, asking co-operation with them in their request from Government of a survey of the the canal may be demonstrated. letter was referred to the Finance Com-

rounding this village, and have sold amount of damage. not only a good many machines but farmers also. One of the notes given to an agent is advertised in this week's "Gazette," and others will be. As long as people persist in dealing with they never saw before, and perhaps will never see again, they must expect to be "taken in" and will not meet with much sympathy in their trouble.

MALICIOUS PROSECUTION.-It is a Moved by Mr. Howie, seconded by strange thing if a man cannot, when as-Moved by Mr. Eade, seconded by sation caused by the assault committed upon the editor of the Post by James when it became known that Chief Con-

## A Pertinent Question.

The wrongs of Ireland, the woes of

the lovely Emerald Isle, the injustice to

the brave sons of Erin, have furnished Moved by Mr. Howie, seconded by Mr. | says the Saturday Review, ample mat-Graham, That the reeve vacate the erial for frothy declamation to orators and journalists; and even sober-minded Moved by Mr. Howie, seconded by statesmen seem to have got into a trick Mr. Graham, That George Rumney of declaiming about the heavy debt under which England lies to that most in- to get on to a passing sleigh. This is the Moved by Mr. Howie, seconded by necent and must injured country. How third accident this season from the it would not be very difficult to find to exercise them. For each of these accia parallel in Scottish history. The dents the drivers are clearly responsible. annals of that country are for centuries | They carry whips and a very moderate taken up with invasions and battles, in use of them would frighten children and which Scotchmen, fighting for their deter them from attempting to get on Council met January 17th pursuant | nationality, poorly armed, and scarcely | the sleighs. The driver who encourages disciplined, almost invariably got the a child to mount his sleigh is thoughtworst. The persecutions of Whigs by lessly wicked,-Independent. thinks of dwelling on the injustice practised generations back by Tory Ministers or High Church prelates. Even Provent to his national feelings, and though | for them. the member for the Kirkealdy Burghs Moved by John Junkin, seconded by may please his constituents by lamenting has been infested by a gang of thieves.

which Scotchmen are in the habit of and even articles experience Moved by John Kelly, seconded by calling attention, or which ought to became of such alari

Over a Bridge.

SEVEN FREIGHT CARS WITH MERCHAN-DISE DEMOLISHED BY A FALL.

MONTREAL, Jan. 14 .- Freight train No. 23, Conductor Beckues, last night left Bonaventure depot at 8:15 for Brockville, and numbered some 22 cars, nearly all heavily loaded with merchandise for the west. All went well until St. Ann's bridge was reached. The engine and several cars had entered the bridge, when a broken brake was discovered on one of the cars about the centre of the train, and in an instant this car was thrown off the track, mounted the " switch points," and was precipitated over the bridge, carrying with it the six other cars immediately in its rear. Six were freighted to their utmost capacity and one was empty. They fell a distance of thirty feet, making a complete wreck. The damage to the merchandise was considerable, as large number of small gray hawks have the bales of goods were smashed and made their appearance in the city, and the contents lay scattered around in the they gobble up sparrows with neatness greatest confusion. The consolation of the Company and public is that it was a freight and not a passenger train, as in the latter case the loss of life must have been very serious.

#### DISTRICT NEWS.

#### Whitby.

DEATH OF SHERIFF REYNOLDS .-Whitby, Jan. 16 .- Mr. N. G. Reynolds, | had been wetting and sticking upon his Sheriff of the County of Ontario, died own and the children's faces for fun at his residence here this morning about 10 o'clock. He had been ailing for some time, invalided from the effects of a paralytic stroke received some two or three years ago. Last Thursday he was again stricken down, and had been unconscious the greater part of the time up to his death. Sheriff Reynolds can e to Whitby in 1854, having received his appointment on the constitution of the county, and held the office up to the time of his decease. - Globe.

#### Lindsay.

BURGLARY .- On Monday night Mr R. Easton's book store on Kent street was "burgled" by some person or persons unknown, and who appear likely to escape detection. Entrance was effect-

FIRE.-About 4 o'clock on Monday afternoon the roof of the Doheny block was set on fire by some sparks from a propo ed route, so that the feasibility of | burning chimney, and for a time caused a great commotion and excitement The water-works were, however, in good order, and a stream was turned on Sold.--Sewing machine agents have which drowned out the flames before lately been through the township sur- they had time to do any considerable Cabbages, per dozen, - -

## Omemee.

A Busy EUVER .- Mr. James Smith of Port Hop, has been in Omemee the last couple of weeks purchasing large quantities of hay for the American market. The hay is being pressed and stored at the station, awaiting a rise in price across the line.

CHEESE FACTORY .- Mr. Myers Sine, sailed, defend himself to the best of his | cheese manufacturer, of Stirling, is at ability, without being summoned for present in Omemee prospecting for a half 12 months and the other half 24 months fighting and disturbing the peace; but cheese factory in this vicinity. With after date, as the said note was obtained Police Court as a defendant. The sen- the leading agriculturists of Emily were present. The meeting was very satisfactory to its promoters, and no doubt Mr. Sine will receive the guaranteed support he asks for. The factory at Downeyville has given most satisfactory results, and farmers of this district have only themselves to blame

## Bobeaygeon.

FAST DRIVING .- The back country man who would thrive has no ambition content with a good yoke of cattle. Many a man has been ruined by horses and many a man has been saved from ruin by his oxen. On a recent occasion a back country friend started one morning from his residence, seven miles north of Kinmount, passed through this village and reached his destination ten miles south of here by seven in the evening, his yoke of oxen having drawn him, and a light load on the sleigh, the whole distance of 35 miles in the day. That is something like a yoke of oxen.

ACCIDENTS .- A little boy was badly injured yesterday through endeavoring

## Peterborough.

A RARA Avis .- A few days ago a the Government have a pecuniary in- Vincent, the foreman, going with it, he Thomas Thurston, Councillors. The Forty-five, and divers others episodes, son of Mr. James Stevenson shot a bird terest in the ratification of the contract | was succeeded by Mr. John Cuttle, who | Reeve reported that he had proceeded | might surely form a fertile subject for | which no one could name until the ediwhich, Sir John says, they "entered into has for many years been running a job to Toronto with the memorial of this impassioned oratory if influential and tor of the Review sent it to the Kev. V on their own responsibility" with the office in the village of Orono. The council, and presented the same to the clever Scotchmen were not generally Clementi, who identified it as an old and rather small male specimen of the lanius excubitor, or Great American Shrike. When shot it was hovering over Mr. Stevenson's residence, on the watch for sparrows, of which it had killed and eaten a great many, and fessor Blackie only gives an occasional driven others from the house provided

A GANG OF THIEVES .- The town

fortunately succeeded in doing. Several successive issues of the Daily Evening Review contained the particulars of the trials at the Police Court, and although some of the charges could not be substantiated, the prosecution was more successful in others. The prisoners were five in number, and Charles O'Connor and John Laplant, both boys, and Patrick Barry, a pensioner, were convicted of theft, and Francis Quinn, hotel-keeper, and Aurelia Quinn, his wife, were found guilty of baving purchased some of the goods, well knowing that they had been stolen. The boys were sent to the Reformatory; Mrs. Quinn, in consideration of her large family, was sentenced to only one month in jail; while Barry got one year and

The Gazette is the only one out of the five English newspapers in Montreal that supports the Syndicate bargain,

Quinn three years at hard labour.

In Brantford the pugnacious English sparrow has met his match. Recently a and despatch.

Several farmers in Wisconsin, who not long ago complied with importunities to sign a temperance pledge, are being astonished by the presentation of promissory notes to pay eash instead of to practice total abstinence.

An extraordinary case of poisoning occurred recently in West Garafraxa, the victim being a young man, a son of Mr. W. D. Green. It appears than he certain coloured paper. In this manner poison was absorbed into his system, which caused his death after a few days' illness. This is indeed a melancholy warning.

#### BIRTHS.

In Fenelon Falls, on Friday, the 14th inst., the wife of Mr. Thos. Nevison, of a son.

DEATHS.

In the township of Verulam, on Thursday, the 20th inst., Jane, wife of Mr. James Ingram, Sr., in the 80th year of her age.

#### MARKET REPORTS. FENELON FALLS MARKETS.

Fenelon Falls, Friday, Jan. 21st, 1881. Wheat, fall, per bushel - - \$0 00 Wheat, spring, " - - - 1 08 Barley, per bushel - - -Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs . Hay, per ton, - -Apples, per barrel, Carrots, per bushel,

## New Advertisements.

TOTICE

This is to forbid any person purchasing or otherwise negociating a certain note of hand for \$23 50, made by me, on the 23rd of December, 1889, in favour of C. Butler, of Toronto, general agent of Singer & Co., and payable at my residence, on Lot No. 24 in the 1st Concession of Somerville, one

ROBERT GRAHAM. Somerville, Jan. 14th, 1881.

# MAPROVED FARM FOR SALE.

The east half of Lot No. 19 in the 2nd Concession of Verulam, about three miles from Fenelon Falls. The soil is a clay loam, and about sixty acres are cleared, well fenced and in a good state of cultivation; the balance hardwood and cedar swamp. There is a frame dwelling house, 32 x 20 feet, with kitchen, a good log barn. stables, &c., and an excellent well. For terms and conditions apply to



JAMES DICKSON, P. L. S.

CORPORATION OF THE COUN-TY OF VICTORIA.

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Victoria will meet at the Council Chamber, in the

COURT HOUSE, LINDSAY, Tuesday, the 25th day of Jan-

uary, 1881, at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to statute. T. MATCHETT, County Clerk.

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IMPORTANT Announcement!

COUNTY CLERE'S OFFICE,

Lindsay, 10th January, 1881.

The undersigned would inform the inbabi-

FENELON FALLS and the surrounding country that he has

# a Large Stock of Men's, Women's & Misses'

RUBBERS. Also, a Large Stock of Men's

MOCCASINS.

which he is determined to sell At Very Low Prices For Cash.

JAMER AGNEW.

Fenelon Falls, Nov'r 18th, 1880.