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COLDEST BUT ONE IN A CENTURY. January Was a Record Breaker For Cold Weather.

The past month was the coldest January as far as the record shows with the single exception of 1857, when the average only reached 12°,8, or about 2° colder. Jan., 1888, was nearly as cold as the past month, its average being 15°. The lowest point reached by the thermometer in the cold spell on the 11th, 17°.8 below zero, has been surpassed four times in the half century; 1840 -18°, 6, 1857-20°, 1, 1859-26°,5 and 1873-18°,4

The average of the coldest day— 7°, 9— has only been exceeded three times during the same period; 1853 on the 23rd-14°, 4, 1866 on the 7th-9° 5 and in 1882 on the 23rd -10°,2. During the past month the minimum thermometer has registered temperatures below zero on S days, 0° to 5° on 8 days and from 5° to 10° on 7 days.

Fire in Lindsay

About 7.30 o'clock Wednesday morning of last week the Syndicate store, of Messrs. Patterson & Co, Kent street was in an uproar. The fire had just been started, when the pipes fell down with a crush, and the flames from the burning cedar burst out on all sides, filling the premices with smoke fire almost instantly. Messrs. Patterson. and St. Lawrence were prompt to act. The stove was carried outside and a plentiful supply of water being on hand the blaze was soon quenched, without the firemen being called. Considerable damage was done by both fire and water and the loss will probably reach \$500 which is fully covered by insurance.

Omemce.

Isaac Graham, a Bethany boy has been appointed station agent here.

Mr. J. E. Hodgson, high school inspector spent Wednesday of last week inspecting the work, equipment and general management of the Omemee school. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the condition of affairs and stated that our school was equal to any two-mastered school in the province. His official report will be forwarded to the board of education in a day or two.

Those Commissioners Again.

Port Hope Guide.

The first meeting of the East Durham license board was held Saturday morning in the chairman's office. President, Geo. Wilson, S. Caldwell, F. Mulligan and Inspector Powers.

On motion of Mr. Mulligan, seconded by Mr. Caldwell, Mr. Wilson was elected chairman and Inspector Powers, secretary for the current year.

Mr. Caldwell gave notice of a motion that he would at the next meeting introduce a resoluting requestion the Ontario government to amend the liquor license law, so, that no one could sell cider by the glass, unless the holder of a tavern license. This was to meet a complaint that many persons get boozy by buying cider at the grocery stores, and it was difficult for the Inspector to reach such cases.

The board adjourned until Saturday, March 4th.

Elizabethville.

The following are the names in order of merit of the first in each class in Elizabethville school for January :-

Jr. IV .- Mabel Beatty. Sr. III.—Thomas Sowden, Marshall Mc-Millan, Willie Beatty.

Sr. II. - Annie McMillan, Edna Tamblyn, Jennie Tamblyn. Jr. II .- Eli Harris, Ethel Harris. Pt. II.-Laura McMillan, George Powell,

Sr. pt. I.—Harry Palmer.

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Items of Interest Gleaned from Our Exchanges.

Hall, Gilchrist & Co. will succeed Hall, Innes & Co, in their Peterboro' business. A freight carsmash near Port Britain caused a delay of several hours to all traffic on the G. T. R., Wednesday of last week.

The agricultural society's building in Barrie has been destroyed by fire. There was a large attendance at the Has-

tings races. Lindsay had three fires on Friday last. The Queens hotel was destroyed, as were also

two other buildings in other localities. The Port Hope council has received \$8,-836 in settlement of their insurance claim on the loss of the town hall.

Thieves in Hope.

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On Monday night of last week, Mr. James McHolme, near Charlecotte, in the township of Hope, had his barn broken into and his granary robbed of sixty bushels of cleaned wheat and between ten and twenty bushels of oats, a black goat sleigh robe, also a coon robe were taken at the same time. The robes are valued at \$20. Mr. McHolme thinks he knows the thieves.

Cedar Valley.

Following was the standing of the pupils of S. S. No. 12 on January 31st :-Class IV .- Florence Wyatt, Maggie Moore Gertie Veals.

Sen. III.—Lisgar Moore, James Roddy. Juniar III .- Susan Wyatt, Minnie Ken-Junior II.-Stanley Kennedy, Anna

Moore, Wm. Kennedy. Part II.—Gertie Wyatt, Ethel Veals, Wesley Sanders.

EMMA E. WARD, Teacher.

She Isn't In It, Anyway.

Cobourg Sentinel-Star. Now that the Port Hope town hall has been burned, the Guide is in for a division of the counties, with the county buildings at Port Hope. To secure this. the reeves of all the municipalities in Durham will have unanimously to agree for three consecutive years to separate, as required by law. Then our sister town will have Bowmanville to the west, and Millbrook to the north to buck against before she is chosen for the county town. Then the town will have to expend \$100,000 in putting up the necessary county buildings. So that all things considered, our dear little sister hamlet to the west had better drop her ambition to become a big metropolis like Cobourg and be known to the world by the distinguishing

Illegal Fishing.

Omemee Recorder.

title of connty town.

If a current report be correct, large numbers of fish are being taken from the waters in this vicinity. In fact it seems the sport (?) is carried on every winter, in open defiance of the law, which seems to be as much of a dead letter in the matter as it is in some others before mentioned in these columns. Where does the inspector keep himself, any way, while this kind of work is going on? is a question a good many people are asking.

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