Another Tax Exemption.

By the report of the proceedings at the last meeting of the Municipal Council, will be noticed that the question which has been exercising the minds of the member of the Council for some time has been brought to a termination by the By-law being introduced, read the required number of times, and passed.

For several years past, since the business

of Messes, W. H. Storey & Sou has assumed such extensive proportious, and become one of the important industries of the Dominion, the firm has been in receipt, at intervals, of very tempting inducements from a number of cities to remove the business theuce; but Mr. Storey, having always taken a lively personal interest the advancement and progress of Acton and for twenty five years; been associated with its extension and improvement, has always politely declined these offers, preferring to remain here and continue to do his part towards still further building up the place. His continually extending business new renders it necessary that increased accommodation be provided, and having decided to creet new buildings of large dimensions-plans and specifications for which have been prepared -he determined ta ask the municipality for some action by which his importance to Actob as a manu facturer and employer of labor, would, i some measure, be acknowledged. As encouragement to manufacturers generally takes the form of exemption from taxation, the Council was requested to take the steps necessary for the passage of a By-law partially exempting the basiness in question from taxation for the period of ten years, from Jamuary 1st, 1884, which action was taken at the Council meeting on, Tuesday evening. Not wishing to become a burden in the least degree to any ratepayer of the municipality, however, Mr. Storey agreed to pay taxes upon all the property and stock for which he is at present assessed, asking exemption only upon the new buildings he purposes erecting, the land upon which the buildings will be erected, and any additional stock necessary to the increasing business. The Bylaw as passed clearly states that he is to be annually assessed for the same amount of stock as for the present year, and that all the real estate he may possess-except that portion of land on Bower Avenue occupied by the new buildings and used for the manufacture of gloves-will be assessed as usual with other property of the municipality.

in all its details, and in its direct and indirect bearing upon our citizens, we cannot but conclude that the members of the Council have acted wisely on this important question, and we feel confident that the great majority of the ratepayers will coincide in this opinion. The Canada Glove Works are now virtually bound-we may say-to remain in Acton; the new buildings will be erected here, and will not only improve the appearance of our little town, but will also prove considerable of an attraction to outsiders desiring to settle in a town of progress and enterprise; the hundreds of citizens now receiving employment from this establishment will continue to be supplied with work, and Mesers. W. H. Stores & Son will still prov just as large an amount in taxes as heretofore; the whole of the above considerations tending not only to maintain the present value of property here, but also to considerably enhance its value. In contemptation of all this we, would advise our citizens to become thoroughly informed upon this subject before Justing any adverse criticism upon this action of the Council, as we firmly believe the members of that body acted with a personal and conscientions anxiety for the very best interests of the municipality, and the citizens collectively and individually, and that the ultimate result will prove their action one of wisdom.

The Provincial Exhibition

At the Provincial Exhibition recently held at Guelpin, the number of entries of live stock was larger than at any previous exhibition-of the association, and even exceeded that of the Toronto Industrial about which we hear so much. The Guelph Herald gives the following figures as the number of entries for horses and cattle at the last Provincial Exhibitions held in the places named:-

Guelph.....

London.....

Hamilton.....

Houses.

656

Kingston 343 620
And as compared with the Industrial
held in Toronto, we find:
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Guelph 902 839 Toronto 683 403
The decision as to where the Provincial
exhibition is to be held next year is left
with the Board of Agriculture and Arts.
The chances are that this decision will be
in favor of Guelph, as Guelph is, among
those places which are willing to assume
the responsibility of the undertaking, the
place at which the show is likely to prove
most successful. The association should
by all means give Guelph the Provincial
next year, in order to recoup the city in

Liquor Drinking in the Old Country.

some measure for the unusually large

outlay for new buildings this year.

Commissioners of Inland revenue shows in est and most heartfelt sympathy in your England during the year ending last March. the revenue from excise duties on spirits

decreased £62,296, and upon beer £180,451. The quantity of spirits consumed as a beverage deceased in England by 294,270 gallons, and in Scotland by 46,254 gallons; but in Ireland there was an increase of 245,667 gallons; thus the net decrease for the United Kingdom was 94,857 gallons. The Commissioners remark: "There cannot be any doubt that in some localities the spread of temperance principles has already caused a marked diminution in the consumption of intoxicating liquors, and the tendency is still increasing. On the other hand, it is remarkable to find in Ircland, in spite of a decrease of population an increased consumption of 245,667 gal-

The Guelph C. V. R. Connection.

An authority on railways tells the Acrox FREE Press that he does not think the Credit Valley will build the line to Guelph, the Grand Trunk by-line there as well as the Great Wostern Division, having got pusiness too well in hand for the company o make it pay. The "authority" in nestion has all the favors he wants from the Grand Trunk probably and therefore he "wish is father to the thought " in his

ase .- Guelph Mercury: We are very much afraid the Mercury will find that the "thought" expressed by our informant will be the ultimate decision of the C. V. R. authorities. It will be cause for regret, however, if this model little city is refused the connection desired, as it is 'at present, -as is also numerous smaller places-at the mercy of the great G. T. Railway monopoly, as far as freight rates are concerned. Our informant was neither a G. T. R. official nor an employee of that company, Bro. Mercury ..

Notes and Comments

An insolvency law is likely to be introlaced by the government during the next session of the Dominion Parliament.

The Scott Act has been carried in Cumberland County, N. S. by a splendid majorty. In Amherst, the county town, the rote stood 298 for the Act and 9 against it. This good cause is rolling on.

"Prohibition," says Mr. E. King Dodds a his last tirade against The Tribone, never yet made a sober man or woman; but it has bred drinking dens by hundreds." "Stop the manufacture of liquor," says an ex-tavernkeeper in the Toronto Canadian incidentally, while abusing the Scott Act, "and hotel-keepers will stop its sale." We leave these two worthy apostles of the "liquor curse" to settle their differences between them! The ex tavernkeeper seems to have the best of it. -Hamilton Tribune.

Canada's new Governor-General has many titles. The Gazette proclamation After mature consideration of the matter, | gives them thus: His Excellency the Most Honorable Henry Charles Keith Petty-Fitzmaurice, Marquis of Lansdowne. In the county of Somerset, Earl of Wy combe, of Chipping Wycombe in the county of Buck's, Viscount Caln and Calnstone in the county of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe in the county of Bucks, in the peerage of Great Britain; Earl ofKerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dankerron, in the Peerage of Ireland.

Acton Municipal Council

The council met on Tuesday evening pursuant to siljournment. Members present, D. Henderson, C. S. Smith, W. Ismond and Jno. Kenny. Mr. Smith moved to the

Minutes of last meeting read and con-

Upon motion a By-law to provide for the collection of Statute Labor Tax was introduced, read the required number of times, and passed, with the name of Donald Mann

insisted as collector. The Finance Committee presented their 19th report, recommending payment of the following accounts :-

J. B. Pearson, acct. for nails. \$ 1.81 . B. Pearson. 32 feet of 5 feet side-

Moved by D. Henderson, seconded by W. Ismond that the report of the Finance Committee be adopted .- Carried.

Moved by D. Henderson, seconded by W. Ismond that leave be granted to introduce a By-law to exempt the firm of W. H. Storey & Son from the payment of certain taxes, for the period of ten years, and that the said By-law be now read a first time.

By-law read a first time.

Moved by. D. Henderson, seconded by Wm. Ismond, that By-law No. - to exempt the firm of W. H. Storey & Son from the payment of certain taxes during the period of ten years be now read a second time and that the Council then go into committee of the whole on the same .-

By-law read a second time, went into committee of the whole, rose and reported. Moved by D. Henderson, seconded by W. Ismond, that the report of the committee of the whole on the above By-law be accepted, and that the By-law be now read

a third time and passed .- Carried. By-law read a third time, and passed, and the seal of the Corporation attached

Council adjourned.

Letter of Condolence

The following letter of sympathy was received last week by the friends and relatives of the late Mr. C. W. Lasby, B.A., this village, from the members of the V. P. which society our departed friend was anhonored and esteemed member :-To the Friends and Relatives of the Late | Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds,

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tion of the high moral quality and strong

beresvement. We desire also to express our apprecia-

mental powers which characterized our ate. lamented brother. Mr. Lasby, from his earliest connection with us, showed himself to be thoroughly

in sympathy with the objects of our Asso As a man he was universally admired and respected, and we looked forward to his future career with bright anticipations As a friend he was loved by all, and his nntimely death, so little expected, was to

those who knew him a bitter personal be-In his dealings with us he was ever courageous, straightforward and true, and inspired in all who knew him best the most ardent admiration and the warmest feel

ngs of friendship The vacancy thus caused in our ranks is one that cannot easily be filled, and our thoughts will ever turn with fondest recol lection to our associations with the de-

Why he should be cut off in the prime o life, and at the outset of what promised to be a prosperous and useful career, we cannot know, and in this calamity, as in many others, we have to stand reverently with bowed heads and silent lips before Him whose ways are inscrutable and whose wisdom is Divine.

Yours in Truest Sympathy, F. L. Switzen, Cor. Sec. pro len. Cobourg, Nov. 7th, 1883.

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