

The town council met and unanimously adopted a resolution in terms of a largely signed petition of ratepayers acceding to the request and instructing the mayor to forward to the Governor-General, an invitation to attend the Provincial Exhibition. As a result Mayor Peden resigned his office. The Recorder held he was bound in virtue of his office to forward the invitation to the Governor-General and hoped he would do so. The council accepted the mayor's resignation, and so says the Recorder "private spleen triumphed over public duty."

George Crawford announced himself a candidate for the representative of Brockville to Parliament.

SEPT. 11, 1851.

Married—At Brockville, on the 1st inst., by Dr. P. Schofield, elder of the Baptist church, Mr. Daniel Dunham to Miss Phoebe Kilborn, of Kitley.

Died—At Prescott, C.W., on Wednesday, August 13, Delight, the beloved wife of Thos. Freel, Esq., aged 60 years—deeply regretted by a numerous circle of relatives and friends, and for the last thirty years of her life a devoted and zealous member of the Presbyterian church.

At his residence in Bastard, C. W., on the 2nd inst., after a protracted illness, Matthew, second son of the late Arcaibald Denny, aged 26 years, much and deservedly regretted.

At a meeting of the Reform delegates from the several townships in the county of Grenville, held at Spencerville, Sept. 2, Wm. Patrick, merchant, Prescott, was chosen as their candidate at the approaching election. Mr. Patrick got 30 votes and Mr. Read Burritt, the sitting member, got 24.

SEPT. 18, 1851.

On the Wednesday previous a propeller, the Protection, of Brockville, was launched from Mr. Notter's shipyard in Brockville. The Protection was owned by Messrs. H. & S.

Jones, forwarders, and was intended as a freight boat to ply between St. John, in Lower Canada, and the Upper Lakes, touching at all intermediate ports. The same evening she left in tow of the Dawn steamer for Montreal to have her furnishings and machinery fitted up.

At a meeting of the town council George Sherwood was appointed mayor to succeed Mr. Peden, resigned.

Born—At Brockville, on the 15th inst., to Mrs. R. Peden, a son.

Married—On the 15th inst., at St. Peter's church, by the Rev. E. Denroche, Thos. Reynolds, M.D., of Brockville, to Eleanor Sarah, eldest daughter of the Rev. Edmund John Senkler, M.A., of Horningtoft, Elizabethtown, and formerly of Docking, in the County of Norfolk, England.

SEPT. 25, 1851.

Editor Wylie had attended a great railroad jubilee in Boston the week previous, and the greater portion of the space in this issue is taken up with an account of the proceedings. President Fullmore, of the United States, and Lord Elgin, Governor-General of Canada, were both present.

The provincial exhibition was held in Brockville this week, of which full particulars were recently given in the Recorder.

Married—At Canton, St. Lawrence county, N.Y., on the 16th inst., by the Rev. John Wilder, Mr. Samuel Flint, of Brockville, C. W., to Miss Laura Huntington, of the former place.

In this town, on the 17th inst., by the Rev. Wm. Smart, Mr. John Briggs, to Miss Charlotte Clayton.

On the 19th inst., at St. George's church, Montreal, by the Rev. Mr. Bond, Walter Findley, Esq., Commercial Bank, M.D., Brockville, to Miss Maria Melville, third and youngest daughter of William Melville, Esq., of Bgker street, Portman Square, London.