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will be happy at all times to greet his friends  
and the public generally. All those who may  
favor him with a call may be sure of meeting  
with every attention.

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at all times. A careful hostler always in at-  
tendance.

Vienna, June 33, 1853. 1-4f

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or Belting," who will be furnished with an as-  
sortment of the different sizes, and they will re-  
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business will find this a most desirable locality.  
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& Port Burwell plank road, and one of the  
most important shipping places on Lake Erie.  
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Agent for the proprietor,  
Vienna, C.W.  
Port Burwell, June 23, 1853. 1f

### PROPOSED BY-LAW.

To authorise the issuing of Debentures to raise  
by way of Loan, the sum of Two Hundred  
Pounds, Currency.

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise, by way of Loan, the sum  
of Two Hundred Pounds, Currency, for the purpose of procuring,  
and defraying the expenses of, a Fire Engine and apparatus for the Vil-  
lage of Vienna, by issuing Debentures for the same, payable in Eight  
years from the passing hereof, with interest payable yearly—that is  
to say: on the 11th day of November in each year, commencing  
with 1854, and ending with the year 1861. And it will require the  
sum of Two Hundred and Fifty-four Pounds, to be raised as a special  
rate for the purpose of paying such Loan and Interest;

AND WHEREAS the whole amount of the taxable real and  
personal property of the Village of Vienna, according to the Assess-  
ment Roll for the year 1852, was £37,719 10s. and it will require  
the several rates in the Pound mentioned in the Schedule appended  
hereunto, and forming part of this By-Law, upon the said rateable  
property, as a special rate, for the payment of the said Loan and  
Interest;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED, by the Municipal Council of the Village  
of Vienna, in Council assembled, under, and by virtue of the Upper  
Canada Municipal Corporations Act of 1849: That it shall be lawful  
for the Reeve of the Village of Vienna, and he is hereby authorized  
to raise, by way of Loan, from any person or persons, or body, cor-  
porate or politic, who may be willing to advance the same upon the  
credit of the Debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum, not exceeding  
Two Hundred Pounds Cy., and cause the same to be paid into the  
hands of the Treasurer of the Village of Vienna.

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Reeve of the aforesaid  
Village is hereby authorized to direct any number of Debentures to  
be made out not less than £100, and not to exceed in  
the whole two hundred pounds currency, payable in eight years, with  
coupons attached thereto for the interest accruing thereon, at the rate  
of six per cent per annum, the said interest to be paid yearly on  
the 11th day of November, at the Treasurer's office of the said Vil-  
lage; which Debentures shall be under the Common Seal of the  
said Village Council and signed by the Reeve and clerk of the  
same.

And be it further enacted, That the special rates enumerated in  
the schedule appended to this By-Law, shall be raised, levied and  
collected, over and above, and in addition to all other rates for the  
years therein mentioned, upon the rateable property in the said Vil-  
lage of Vienna, for the purpose of paying the Debentures issued un-  
der the provisions of this By-Law, with the interest to accrue thereon.  
And be it further enacted, That the said sum of two hundred  
pounds, when paid into the Treasurer, shall be appropriated for the  
purposes mentioned in the preamble of this By-Law, and no other,  
and that this By-Law shall take effect on the 10th day of Novem-  
ber, A. D. 1853.

### SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL RATES REFERRED TO IN THIS BY-LAW.

	£	s.	d.
17760-75439 of a penny in the pound of the rateable property of 1852 will provide for 1854	37	0	0
16840-75439 of a penny in the pound of the rateable property of 1852 will provide for 1855	35	10	0
16320-75439 of a penny in the pound of the rateable property of 1852 will provide for 1856	34	0	0
15600-75439 of a penny in the pound of the rateable property of 1852 will provide for 1857	32	10	0
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14160-75439 of a penny in the pound of the rateable property of 1852 will provide for 1859	29	10	0
13440-75439 of a penny in the pound of the rateable property of 1852 will provide for 1860	28	0	0
12720-75439 of a penny in the pound of the rateable property of 1852 will provide for 1861	26	10	0
	£254	0	0

### NOTICE.

THE above is a true copy of a proposed By-Law, to be taken in-  
to consideration by the Municipal Council of the Village of  
Vienna, at the Division Court Room in the said Village, on Thurs-  
day, the 11th day of November next, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A.  
M., at which time and place the members of the said Council are re-  
quired to attend for the purpose aforesaid.

H. A. GUSTIN, Village clerk.  
Vienna, August 4, 1853.

**"Rainbow Hotel!"**  
PORT ROYAL,  
BY JAMES COYLE.

HAVING taken the above Hotel, the sub-  
scriber begs to assure the public that no-  
thing shall be wanting on his part to render  
every comfort and accommodation to Travel-  
lers.

The House is extensive and well furnished,  
and the sheds and stables commodious, with  
good attendants.

THE BAR AND TABLE  
will be found of the best, so as to ensure the  
comfort of every customer.  
JAMES COYLE,  
Port Royal, July, 1853.

### DOWN EAST DUEL.

In a small county town in the Eastern  
part of the Union, there resided some  
years since a pair of late but sum-  
mers fellows, who were the champions of their respec-  
tive home factions in any and in every game  
that could be started from "pitching coppers,"  
up to celebrating the Fourth of July. If  
there was a game of ball, or a "squirrel hunt,"  
or a "wrestling match," or any other affair  
where strength, skill, or agility could be  
brought into requisition, they were sure to  
have a prominent part in it, and to be pitted  
against each other generally. Things had  
passed on this way for many years, and  
neither was acknowledged to be the "big dog  
of the town-yard." Innumerable had been the  
trials of skill between them in almost every  
imaginable manner—sometimes one was vic-  
torious, sometimes the other. However, the  
honors were just about divided, for it was  
generally considered a settled point that while  
SANDY MAT, as he was called, could pitch  
quoits a little the best, was rather the superior  
of his antagonist at "arm's length wrestling,"  
and could catch more and better trout than  
any one in the region; JOHN SHORT was un-  
questionably ahead when it came to ball-  
playing, gunning, and running a foot-race.

Thus stood matters when one annual "June  
raining" day arrived. The spirit of rivalry  
was running pretty high, and John Short  
commenced boasting of his success in a shoot-  
ing excursion the day previous. Sandy Mat  
was a little nettled by the indiscreet exulta-  
tion of his rival, and at last exclaimed:  
"You're 'tarnally jarring about your great  
shooting, John, but darn my skin if I don't  
think I could give you a pretty fair show  
myself."  
"No doubt—you'd make a great show,"  
replied John, with a good laugh.  
"But you might get a good dog, but hold  
fast to your gun," said Sandy, "perhaps you  
wouldn't mind betting your double barrel  
against mine, that you can take more game be-  
tween sunrise and sunset to-morrow than I  
can."

"Perhaps I wouldn't—just try it."  
"Wal, it's a bet, then?"  
"Just as you say."  
"I should like to put in a condition," said  
John Short—"that is, that we hunt together,  
and that we carry each other's game."  
"Hain't no objections on air to that,"  
said the other—"put it down in writing, so  
that there can be no mistake, or chance to  
back out."  
This was all agreed to, the requisite  
writings were made, and due preparations for  
the next day's work completed. At the  
first "break of the morn," the two hunters,  
fully equipped for their labors, made their ap-  
pearance at the appointed rendezvous, and  
after taking a social drink together, started  
off in fine spirits. They had travelled about  
three miles without firing a shot, and were a  
considerable distance from any habitation,  
when they came across a fine calf, some three  
or four months old. When within half-a-rod  
of this innocent wanderer, John Short raised  
his gun to his shoulder, and before his com-  
panion could suspect or imagine his intention,  
discharged its contents into the head of the  
poor beast, its maternal ancestor probably not  
being aware that it was out; it gave one bleat  
tumbled over, kicked away for an instant  
with its hind legs in a peculiar and extreme-  
ly significant manner, and meekly gave up  
the ghost.

"That's a d—d smart trick," exclaimed  
Sandy Mat, "what on air did you want to  
do that for—old Hutchinson will kick up all  
sorts of a fuss about it—he wouldn't have  
taken ten dollars cash for that calf."  
"Time enough to settle that when we get  
home," said John, very quietly loading the  
barrel which he had discharged. "Bag that  
game and let's go on."  
"Bag what game?"  
"That calf there."  
"You don't mean—"  
"I don't mean anything but the agreement  
Sandy; just look at the paper; you'll find  
that you are bound to carry home all I kill."  
"But it ain't fair."  
"That's to be agreed on by others—but,  
according to that paper, if you don't carry  
home all I kill, you lose the gun, you  
know."  
"Wal, this is a great business—however,  
you shall never have a chance to say that I  
give in—so here goes."  
So, swinging the carcass across his shoulder  
poor Sandy again started very demurely up  
on the excursion. After trudging along for  
half a mile or so, John took off towards the  
edge of the woods ostensibly for the purpose  
of looking for game, but really to take a  
hearty guffaw over the predicament of his  
worthy antagonist. It was scarcely five  
minutes after he had left his companion, still  
intending to keep him in sight, when he  
heard the discharge of barrels in quick suc-  
cession, and his name called in rather trium-  
phant tones.  
"John! Ho John!"

John quickly cleared the bit of knoll be-  
tween him and Sandy, and found the latter  
reloading his gun, and surveying, with sin-  
gular complacency, the body of an old grey  
horse, just in his last agonies.

"I've put an end to this old fellows exist-  
ence, John; much, I guess, to his satisfac-  
tion—just naturally took him on the wing;  
he must have been tired of life about a dozen  
years ago—pretty fair shooting, wasn't it?"  
Wal, he's done kicking," said Sandy, again  
quietly shouldering the calf; "pick up my  
game and let's go ahead."  
"You don't imagine that I'm going to un-  
dertake to carry that old horse do ye?"  
"Sartin—you'll find it all in the paper  
you've got—you carry my game, I carry  
yours."  
"Yes, but—"  
"There's no 'but' about this business, John  
Short; this calf was your game, and I've  
stuck to my part of the agreement—this  
horse is my game, and you have got to stick  
to your part of the agreement."  
"But I can't carry him."  
"But you must," answered Sandy.  
"Oh look here," said John soothingly  
"let's quit and call it even, and say nothing  
more about it."  
"If you don't shoulder that heap of bones  
in double quick time," said Sandy, "I'll  
serve you as I served him—I ye think I have  
to carry this carcass a mile for nothing!"  
"Oh, if you want to fight, let's have a fair  
fight, Sandy," said John doggedly.  
"Certainly, if you say so, let it be a fair  
fight. I never wanted any thing else with  
you—I'll fight a regular out and duel, if  
you—"  
"Enough said."  
"But there's no witnesses; spose I should  
happen to kill you, or you me—"  
"Better have some witnesses about it."

So the two belligerents, surrounded by  
their "game," sat down on the grass, and by  
the aid of a bit of red chalk, they drew up  
the following articles of regulation:  
"This agreement, made this 20th day of  
June, between me, John Short on the one  
side, and me, Matthew Wilson, on the other  
side, is to be witness: That we have agreed  
to fight a duel with shot guns, at thirty steps  
apart, to throw copper for the first shot, to  
fire both barrels close together, and if either  
one is hurt or killed, the one that is not hurt  
or killed is to be allowed to go free.  
Witness our hands and seals—  
JOHN SHORT,  
MATTHEW WILSON."

"Now, throw up the copper, John, the  
best two in three—throw up high."  
"Heads or tails," asked John, casting the  
copper whirling in the air.  
"Heads," exclaimed Sandy, as the coin  
descended.  
"Just look at that—that's tails."  
"Well throw again, John."  
"John throw again and won, and they  
each marched off fifteen paces and took their  
positions.  
"Now, when I say take aim, John, you  
can raise your gun, and when I say one, two,  
three, you can just blaze away."  
"Oh, hang it, Sandy, let's quit this; I'll  
pay for the calf and the horse, and give up  
the bet too."  
"No, sir. Don't be a coward; take aim  
—one, two, three, let'er rip!"  
Bringing his gun to his shoulder, Short  
discharged both barrels with quick aim, but  
as he brought the bit of his musket to the  
ground, he was astonished to see that his an-  
tagonist, evidently unharmed, was examining  
his percussion caps.  
"It's your turn to give the word now,  
John," said Sandy; perhaps I can make  
better shooting than yours."  
"Perhaps you can; but I am d—d if I  
stay to see it."  
Suiting the action to the word, he drop-  
ped his gun and took to his heels.

### MARRIED AGAINST HIS WILL.

Sir Walter Scott used to relate the fol-  
lowing curious anecdote;  
My cousin Watty was a midshipman, some  
forty years ago, in a ship at Portsmouth.  
He and two other companions had gone on  
shore, and had overstayed their leave, spent  
all their money, and run up an immense bill  
at a tavern on the Point. The ship made  
the signal for sailing; but their landlady an-  
swered:  
"No, gentlemen, you shall not escape un-  
till you pay your reckoning," and she accom-  
panied her words by appropriate actions, and  
placed them under the tender mercies of a  
sufficient number of bailiffs. They felt that  
they were in a scrape, and petitioned very  
hard to be released.  
"No, no," said Mrs. Quickley, "I must  
be satisfied in some way or other; you must  
be aware that you will be totally ruined if  
you don't get on board in time."

The sailors made long faces, and confessed  
that it was true.

"Well," said she, "I'll give you one  
chance. I am so circumstanced here that I  
cannot carry on business as a single woman,  
and I must contrive somehow to have a hus-  
band—or at all events I must be able to  
produce a marriage certificate; and, therefore,  
the only terms on which you shall all three  
have leave to go on board to-morrow is, that  
one of you consent to marry me. I don't  
care a snap which it is, but one of you'll  
have, or else you'll all three go to jail, and  
your ship sails without you!"  
The virago was not to be pacified, and the  
poor youths, left to themselves, agreed after  
a time to draw lots, and it happened to fall  
on my cousin. No time was lost, and off  
they marched to church. The bride on re-  
turning, gave them a good substantial din-  
ner, and several bottles of wine apiece, and  
having tumbled them into a wherry, sent  
them off.

The ship sailed, and the young men  
scrupulously adhered to the oath of secrecy  
that had been made previous to drawing lots.  
The bride merely wanted to be married,  
and was the first to propose an eternal sepa-  
ration.  
Some months after, at Jamaica, a file of  
papers reached the midshipman's berth, and  
Watty, who was observed to be looking over  
them, carelessly reading an account of a  
robbery and murder at Portsmouth, suddenly  
jumped up, forgetting in his ecstacy his  
oath of secrecy, and cried out:  
"Thank Heaven, my wife is hanged!"

THINGS WONDERFUL AND TERRIBLE.—With-  
out exaggerating the earth is estimated at  
700,000,000 the annual loss by death 18,  
000,000. Now, the weight of animal mat-  
ter of this immense body cast into the grave  
is 724, 000 tons, and by its de-  
composition produces 9,000,000,000,000  
cubic feet of gaseous matter. The vegetable  
productions of the earth clear away from the  
atmosphere the gases thus generated, decom-  
posing and assimilating them for their own  
increase. This cycle of change has been  
going on ever since man became an occupier  
of the earth. He feeds on the lower animals,  
and the seeds of plants, which in due time  
becomes part of himself. The lower animals  
feed on herbs and grasses, which in their  
turn, become the animal; then is ready once  
more to be assimilated by plants, the earth  
or bony substance alone remaining sufficient-  
ly deep in soil to be out of the absorbent  
reach of the roots of plants and trees. It is  
not at all difficult to prove that all the ele-  
ments of which the living bodies of the pres-  
ent generation are composed, have passed  
through millions of mutations, and formed  
part of all kinds of animals and vegetable  
bodies, and consequently it may be said that  
fractions of the elements of our ancestors  
form portions of ourselves.—Working Man's  
Friend.

"GO, MARRY."—The most beautiful flow-  
ers are those which are double, such as double  
pinks, double roses, double dahlias. What  
an argument is this against the chilling de-  
formity of single bedsteads! "Go marry,"  
is written on everything beautiful that the  
eye rests upon—beginning with birds of par-  
adise, and leaving off with apple blossoms.  
THE MARRIAGE VOW.—Perhaps there is  
scarcely an ordinary oath administered in  
any of the transactions of life so little regard-  
ed—even so little remembered by all classes,  
as that taken in the most solemn manner,  
and in the presence of the Almighty, by the  
husband and wife, "love, honor, and obey."  
How many wives "love, honor, and obey,"  
their lords? How many even think of doing  
so? And yet there is an oath recorded  
against them, every simple violation of which  
is a distinct perjury.  
A GOOD RULE.—A man who is very rich  
now was very poor when he was a boy.—  
When asked how he got his riches, he replied,  
—"My father taught me never to play till my  
work was finished, and never to spend my  
money until I had earned it. If I had but  
an hour's work in a day I must do that  
first thing, and in an hour. And after this  
I was allowed to play; and I then could play  
with much more pleasure than if I had the  
thought of an unfinished task before my  
mind. I early formed the habit of doing  
everything in time, and it soon became per-  
fectly easy to do so. It is to this I owe my  
property." Let every boy who reads this  
go and do likewise.

Dr. Foster, of Brages, who is well  
known as a Meteorologist, declares that by  
journals of the weather, kept by his grand-  
father father, and himself, ever since 1767, to  
the present time, whenever the new moon  
has fallen on a Saturday, the following twenty  
days have been wet and windy, in nineteen  
cases out of twenty.  
This observation, of recent date, applies  
twice this year, on the 7th of May and 3rd of  
September.

John Deane  
Vienna



Sept 22 1863

those who attended the meeting believe your report. "Propriety" asks now, was it after 3 or 4 speeches had been made on the topic at issue, that the chairman suggested that some one would move that no one should speak more than once on the subject, unless by permission of the meeting, or was it not when the meeting was first opened, "Veracity" in reply says it was after Alan Marr, John G. McKinnon, John Ault, and F. W. Atkins, esq., had all spoken twice. "Propriety," thy improprieties in catching at straws are great, and in searching after truth thou hast not been over careful at moral honesty. "Propriety," says, lawyer Nichols asked permission to speak before the motion was put. Now says "Propriety" what right had the chairman to be the first to grant him or any other permission? I will tell you. The chairman was requested by some gentleman present to give his opinion on the subject under consideration, which he deferred until all had spoken; then, by the permission of the meeting he would give his opinion, which he did. He had fairly taken his seat, before a cry from the assembly, rose, of question, motion, when the chairman arose to put the motion of H. A. Gustin, esq., when Mr. Nichol requested permission to speak, the chairman was the first to give his consent. Now an intelligent person will readily see why the chairman was the first to give his consent and take his seat, and not then put the motion. I understand the chairman was not so very solicitous to speak last as "Propriety" would try to make the people believe. I think the chairman is not so much as "Propriety" like an old scolding, quarrelsome woman, who thinks if she got the last word she had gained the victory. My good-natured friend has got himself by his forwardness into a fix, and it seems to me he is like a man in a boat trying to row the chairman or "Veracity" up salt river, and has got fairly into the rapids and alas, one of his oars having broken, he uses the other with all his might; but he only goes round and round and down he goes. But, "Propriety," does not know enough that he is not making head way. Mr. "Propriety," it seems to me, if you can get the last lick, the last letter, the last word published, and sound the last trumpet in your own praise, you will be acquitted. As far as I am concerned in this discussion I yield and throw up to you.

I am yours, &c. VERACITY  
Vienna, Aug. 22, 1853.

ARRIVAL OF THE FRANKLIN.  
New York, Sept. 14.

The steamer Franklin arrived at 6 o'clock this morning.  
LIVERPOOL MARKETS.  
FLOUR.—Market as excited as ever, but on Saturday the 20th ultimo, high prices had begun to check business. Flour nominally advanced 5d to 1s—Western Canal Flour 26s 6d—Philadelphia and Baltimore 30s 6d.  
GRAIN.—Wheat advanced 1d. Corn advanced 6d, yellow held 3s 6d.

The following is from Richardson & Brothers' Circular of August 24th.  
On the evening of our last market day—Friday, a good deal of rain fell, which circumstance, together with a continued demand from France, caused a very active demand for wheat and flour—an improvement of 1d to 2d on the former and 1s per barrel on the latter. Having in the meantime become more settled, the activity of Saturday was not general. Holders were firm in demanding extreme rates and when sales were effected, they were obtained.  
August 31st.—We had a full attendance of the trade this morning—market is speculative, feeling noticed above rather subsided to-day, and the trade generally operated with more caution. However, a fair demand was experienced in wheat at the advanced price above. Flour met with only a consumptive demand; large buyers being unwilling to follow up the full advance required.  
ENGLAND.—Queen Victoria and family had a brilliant reception at Dublin on the occasion of her visit to the Exhibition. Nearly 20 thousand persons were present on the occasion.  
The overland India and China Mails were received on the 28th.  
The Niagara arrived on the 28th and the Arctic on the 30th ult.  
The United States Brig Dolphin put into Southampton to re-fit on the 20th ult.  
Accounts from Constantinople of the 19th ult., says the Sultan had adopted the Vienna note without material alteration.  
A Courier had arrived at Vienna from Constantinople, who states that the Sultan will send an Ambassador to St. Petersburg simultaneously with the evacuation of the principalities.  
Accounts from Bucharest state that the Russians would evacuate the Principalities in September, on which the fleets of England and France will return to Malta and Toulon.

THE WELLD CANAL.—During the month of August, the business of the canal has been unusually large, numbering, in vessels passed up and down, 625 & schooners, propellers, and steamers, exclusive of small craft not going through but playing between certain locks. Last year for the same period the number was 485, which shows an increase on the months operations of 40 vessels, whilst the corresponding tonnage will probably exceed 10,000 tons in the same time. This is indubitable evidence of what next year's work will amount to, when the West is opened up by railway communication.—Continental.

To Correspondents.  
Aylmer letter received, too late.  
Markets.  
VIENNA, Sept. 22, 1853.  
No change in Lumber.  
Wheat, 5s; Oats, 1s 10d; Potatoes, 1s 7d; Flour, 12s 6d; 24 100 lbs.  
Toronto.—Wheat 5s. Yk. Barley 50c, Oats 44c, Butter 20c.  
DUNDEE.—Wheat 51 1/2 bushel.

New Advertisements.  
Summons—John Burwell.  
Teachers wanted—Vienna C. School.  
Milliners, &c.—Misses Curran.  
Barrister—George Baxter.  
Rainbow Hotel—Temperance Villa.  
Elgin House—St. Thomas.  
Mansion House—St. Thomas.  
Livery Stables—St. Thomas.  
North American Hotel—Aylmer.  
National Hotel—Aylmer.  
Seth Cook's Hotel—Richmond.

ADVERTISEMENT.  
CURIOSITY!  
PRO BONO PUBLICO.  
United Counties of Middlesex & Elgin.  
To Wit: To George Semidi, Constable of the Village of Vienna, in the said United Counties;

Whereas, information, [and complaint in writing], hath this day been exhibited at the said Village of Vienna, in the said United Counties, before me, John Elliott, Esquire, one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace in the said United Counties, by George Fyillmore, of the said Village of Vienna, seaman, who doth present in this behalf, as well for the Municipality of the said Village as for himself, who saith that George Fyillmore of the said Village of Vienna, Inn-keeper, on the twentieth day of Aug. A.D. 1853, at the village of Vienna, aforesaid did profanely swear in the public highway, or street, by calling him, the said Informant or George Fyillmore a God-damned liar contrary to the form of the By-Law of said Municipality of the said Village of Vienna in such case made and provided; whereby, and by force of said By-Law the said George Fyillmore hath forfeited for his said offence, the sum of Three shillings and sixpence, which he is therefore to require you forthwith to summon the said George Fyillmore to appear before me, at Isaac B. Maclellan here in the said Village of Vienna, on Wednesday the twenty-fourth of August instant, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of the same day to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to Law. And be you then there to certify what you have done in the premises herein set forth.

Given under my hand and seal at Vienna, aforesaid, the 23rd day of August, in the year of our Lord, 1853.  
JOHN ELLIOT, J. P.  
(Copy) (L.S.)  
JOHN BURWELL.  
Port Burwell, Sept. 20th, 1853.

I certify the above is a true copy of the original in my possession.  
JOHN BURWELL.  
Port Burwell, Sept. 20th, 1853.

\*Query—Was it one of the Pro Street damned Liars?

WANTED.  
A PRINCIPAL and Assistant, to take charge of the Vienna Common School, of about 150 scholars. The Principal will be required to have a first class certificate from the Normal School.  
Application, post-paid, may be made to H. A. GUSTIN, Sec. and Trustee, Vienna, Sep. 21, 1853. 5in11  
London Free Press and Hamilton Spectator to copy the above 3 weeks, and present bill to the Treasurer, H. A. Gustin.

A CARD.  
MR. McMAHON returns his sincere thanks to the inhabitants of Frederburg, for their kind treatment, liberal patronage, and prompt payment to him during his stay amongst them.  
Port Burwell, Sept. 19, 1853. 5in11

The Misses Curran.  
MILLINERS & DRESSMAKERS.  
BEG to intimate to the Ladies of Vienna, that they have commenced the above business on Main Street, where they will be always happy to receive and execute orders in the latest and most approved styles. Arrangements have been completed which will enable them to obtain at all times the very latest fashions from Paris, New York, and other places. Every description of Wax-work, Chromatic Drawing, and Picture Frames, neatly executed with despatch, and on reasonable terms.  
Vienna, Sept. 20th, 1853. 11

RAINBOW HOTEL.  
By JOHN KEENEY,  
Temperance Villa, C. W.

ELGIN HOUSE.  
By ROBERT NICHOL,  
St. Thomas, C. W.

MANSION HOUSE.  
By DAVID THOMPSON,  
St. Thomas, C. W.

LIVERY STABLES.  
By ROBERT NICHOL,  
St. Thomas, C. W.  
Horses and Carriages at all hours.

SETH COOK'S HOTEL,  
And general Stage Office, Richmond, C. W.

THE Proprietor of the above Hotel begs to intimate to his friends and the public generally, that he has resumed his old place in it as Landlord; and hopes by close attention to the wants of his customers, to merit a continuance of their former favours.  
Richmond, Sept. 21, 1853. 11

NATIONAL HOTEL.  
Aylmer, C. W.

The above Hotel having been lately purchased by the Subscriber, and fitted up in a superior manner, he is now prepared to accommodate the travelling public, as well as permanent boarders with every comfort. The best of liquors in his cellar, his larder well filled, and careful and attentive attendance, he hopes to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore received.  
Aylmer, Sept. 21, 1853. 11

GEORGE BAXTER,  
BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY AT LAW.  
Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer.  
VIENNA, C. W.  
Sept. 22, 1853. 11 1/2

DR. BELL.  
WILL be at the FRANCISCO HOTEL in Vienna, on Tuesday the 4th Oct. next and remain until Monday the 10th; Also at the NORFOLK HOTEL in Simcoe, on Tuesday the 11th of Oct. and remain until Friday the 14th inst. for the treatment of LYMPHATIC DISEASES.  
Vienna, Sept. 8, 1853. 10-1/2

NORTH AMERICAN HOTEL,  
And General Stage Office.  
By H. FRISCH,  
Aylmer, C. W.

TAILORING.  
EMPORIUM OF FASHION,  
BY WILLIAM ROBERTSON,  
Opposite W. B. Wong's Store, Front Street,  
VIENNA.

THE Proprietor of the above establishment is prepared to execute every description of work in his line, after the most approved styles, and on the most reasonable terms. Cheap for Cash, or Trade on delivery.  
ALL WORK WARRANTED.  
Vienna, Sept. 15, 1853. 11  
N. B. A superior DRESSING APPARATUS for sale by the subscriber.  
W. ROBERTSON.

PORT BURWELL LIVERY.  
By R. E. HAYWARD, PROPRIETOR.

HORSES & Carriages at all hours, on as reasonable terms, as can be afforded in Canada West.  
Post Burwell, Sept. 15, 1853. 10-6 m.

German and Electric  
PHYSICIAN.

Dr. W. J. Fairman,  
WILL, after September 20th, be in attendance every night, as follows: Bramford, Burley's Hotel Oct. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd; Waterloo, Iron's Hotel, 4th, 5th, and 6th; Simcoe, Powell's Hotel, 7th, 8th, and 9th; Fredericksburg, Babcock's Hotel, 10th, 11th and 12th; Vienna, Francisco House, 13th, 14th, and 15th; Tillsonburg, Barlow's Hotel, 16th, 17th, and 18th; Norwichville, Bedford's Hotel, 19th, 20th, and 21st; Burford, Kerby's Hotel, 22nd, 23rd, and 24th. Dr. F. will pay strict attention to all Diseases that may come under his care, and from the experience he has had, he feels confident that his method of treating Diseases of the Throat, Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Nerves, and all Female Complaints, cannot be surpassed by any other Physician in the country. Dr. F. will examine the Urine to tell the Disease—the first in the morning preferred—and as a record is kept of all Cases examined, the name and age of the Patient is required. Persons at a distance can save travelling expenses by sending several Cases with one person; all of whom will receive prompt attention. Persons afflicted with the RHEUMATISM, either Acute or Chronic, will receive speedy relief. Medicines prescribed for the Eye and Ear, as pointed out by the Eye and Ear Infirmary of New York.  
Vienna Sept. 15, 1853. 11

SALE OF STOCK.  
THE BULL "Brilliant" the property of the Bayham Agricultural Society, will be sold at Public Auction, on Saturday the 24th inst., at 2 o'clock P.M. at D. C. Collins' Hotel in Vienna. Farmers wishing to get a good animal for the improvement of their stock, will do well to attend.  
Terms—3 months credit (with interest) by given approved endorsement.  
J. G. MCKINNON,  
Sec. & Treas., B. B. E. A. S.  
Vienna, 12th Sep., 1853.

FRANCISCO HOTEL,  
By GEORGE A. SPURK,  
FRONT STREET,  
VIENNA, C. W. 9-1/2  
Wm. H. & J. EAKINS  
ARE now receiving from New York, Montreal and other markets, Large Stocks of  
EXTENSIVE STOCK!  
and would say that for variety and richness in the latest and most approved styles. Arrangements have been completed which will enable them to obtain at all times the very latest fashions from Paris, New York, and other places. Every description of Wax-work, Chromatic Drawing, and Picture Frames, neatly executed with despatch, and on reasonable terms.  
Vienna, Sept. 20th, 1853. 11

DRY GOODS!  
Groceries, Hardware!  
CROCKERY,  
PAINTS, OILS!  
PAPER HANGINGS, WINDOW SHADES, &c. &c.  
all of which will be sold at the Smallest advance over Cost.

NOTICE.—VIENNA JUSTICE  
ON the fourteenth day of August last, I received a summons from J. ALEXANDER, Esq., of this town, to answer in case of a charge made by D. LUTES, for assault by striking him in the face. On the day of trial, (Mr. Alexander sitting alone), Lutes brought two witnesses—one of whom swore he saw me have my hand held out towards Lutes, and also heard me say to Lutes: "I do not want any more of your impudence"—did not see me strike him, and did not think I did strike him; and afterwards heard Lutes say, "I'll make you pay for this," but did not say what "this" meant wherein he wanted pay for; and the other witness says Lutes and myself together did not hear the conversation—did not see any blow, and did not think I struck him at any rate, his face had no mark on it. This was all the evidence—magistrates go by evidence I have heard say—on this evidence his worship summed up, and found me £3 and costs.  
Vienna, Sept. 6, 1853. 9-3m

MONTGOMERY'S  
HOTEL,  
MARKET SQUARE, WOODSTOCK

THE Subscriber would intimate to the Travelling Public that he has lately fitted up the above Hotel in a comfortable and elegant style, and is at all times prepared to receive and accommodate his friends, and all those who may favour him with a call in the best manner, and he offers on his part will be wanting to render his patrons perfectly "at home" while in his house.  
His Table will ever be found furnished with the luxuries of the season, and his cellar supplied with Liquors of the choicest brands.  
Good Stabling will be found, and a careful and attentive hostler always in attendance.  
GEORGE MONTGOMERY,  
Woodstock, July 7, 1853. 2-1/2

J. JAMIESON,  
TAILOR.  
One door South of the Western Hotel,  
FRONT STREET, VIENNA, C. W.  
Garments made to order, on reasonable terms for Cash.

MA'NSION HOUSE.  
FIVE STAKES.

GEORGE CAMPBELL, PROPRIETOR.  
Takes this opportunity of returning thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal support he has hitherto received, and pledges himself to give the satisfaction he hopes he has hitherto given in the conduct of his establishment. He has fitted up his Hotel for the accommodation of the travelling community.  
Commodious stabling and attentive hostlers.  
Five Stakes, Aug. 19, 1853. 11-6

Drugs and Medicines!  
P. F. SMITH,  
KEEPS constantly on hand a full assortment of genuine  
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals,  
Essence, Oils, Perfumery, &c.  
and all the popular  
PATENT MEDICINES  
at his Store, nearly opposite the Post Office.  
FRONT STREET, VIENNA.  
June 23, 1853. 1-1/2

SWAN'S  
VIENNA AND PORT BURWELL  
Omnibus Line.  
THE PROPRIETOR of the above line begs to leave to thank his friends and the travelling public generally for their kind patronage, and would beg to state that he has upon the above line a new and splendid Omnibus which will carry 16 passengers, the cheapness and comfort of which are inferior to none in the Province.  
H. M. SWAN.  
N. B. Reasonable amount of Baggage carried free of charge. None but sober and careful drivers employed.  
FRONT STREET, VIENNA.  
June 23, 1853. 1-1/2

FOR SALE,  
TWO  
STEAM ENGINES!  
THE SUBSCRIBERS being about to enlarge their Establishment, offer for Sale TWO QUICK STROKE  
Saw Mill Engines,  
in complete Running Order, and two FLUE BOILERS, each 42 inches diameter, and 18 feet long.  
They have not been in use two years. One Engine is driving a Malay Saw and Edging Saw; and the other a Planing Machine and Saw; and are both of the most approved construction. They can be seen at work at any time before the 5th day of September next.  
A reasonable Credit will be given.  
The particulars can be had on application to the subscribers.  
DOUD & YANDUSEN,  
Steam Saw & Planing Mill,  
Vienna, C. W., Aug. 1st, 1853.  
The "Simcoe Standard," St. Thomas "Omnibus" and London "Prototype" to copy 5-6m.

ROYAL HOTEL,  
TILSONBURG.  
BY C. G. BALDWIN.  
THE Subscriber returns his thanks to the public for their liberal support, and begs to inform them that he is making enlarged additions for the convenience and comfort of all who may favour him with their patronage.  
His table will be well supplied, and his Liqueurs of the best quality.  
HORSES AND CARRIAGES  
always in readiness for any part of the country.  
C. G. BALDWIN  
June 23, 1853. 1-1/2

DRUG STORE.  
E. D. GATES,  
WOULD intimate to the inhabitants of Port Burwell, and the surrounding country, that he has just opened business in the above line, in the Shop formerly occupied by Mrs. Scott, where he is now prepared to sell Drugs, Patent Medicines, Chemicals, Perfumery, and all articles usually found in a Drug Store.  
N. B.—Physicians' prescriptions carefully dispensed.  
Port Burwell, Sept. 6, 1853. 9-11m

MRS. C. RYAN, in gratefully returning thanks to the inhabitants of Vienna, and vicinity, for the patronage so liberally bestowed on her heretofore, respectfully begs leave to inform her friends, and the public, that she continues giving instructions on the same terms as before, and solicits a continuance of their patronage.  
Vienna, June 23, 1853.

AGENTS FOR THE "PHENIX."  
VICTORIA—Simpson McCall, Esq.  
PORT BURWELL—John Burwell, W. M. Hutchinson.  
HOGHTON CENTRE—A. C. McKinnon.  
FREDERICKSBURG—Thomas Bayne.  
PORT DOVER—James Riddell.  
PORT ROYAL—Simon Mabey.  
SMOOR—Wm. Roberts, W. P. Osborne.  
MILBRIDE—John Scanlan.  
RICHAIRD—Sylvester Cooke.  
STAFFORVILLE—Moses Price.  
BELL'S CORNERS—G. Clarke.  
ST. THOMAS—H. Hamilton, Esq.  
UNION VILLAGE—George Campbell.

HENRY HAMILTON,  
BARRISTER,  
CONVEYANCER, &c.  
St. Thomas, C. W.

A FORTUNE TO BE MADE!  
THE SUBSCRIBER offers his valuable SAW MILL for sale, on easy terms. Any person with a small capital can realize a fortune in a few years. Two hundred and eighty acres of good land, with the best of pine, and good soil. Apply to the subscriber by letter, post-paid, Delhi, P. O., or personally, at the Globe Hotel in Fredericksburg.  
R. GREEN.  
Aug. 16, 1853.

W. H. ELLIOT,  
House and Sign  
Painter,  
Grainer, Glazier,  
Paper Hangings,  
VIENNA, C. W.

EVERY Description of Plain and Ornamental Painting neatly executed on the most reasonable terms.  
Vienna, June 30, 1853. 2-5m

WESTERN HOTEL,  
GENERAL STAGE OFFICE  
VIENNA, C. W.

THE Subscriber having leased the above extensive Hotel, and having expended a large amount in refitting the same, for the purpose of making it one of the first Class Hotels in Canada West, begs respectfully to intimate to the public generally, and to those who may patronise him, particularly, that every attention will be paid to their wants—his tables always well supplied with every delicacy in season—his Liqueurs of the first quality.  
Permanent boarders will be accommodated on liberal terms.  
An extensive Livery Stable in connection with the Hotel, and good and civil hostlers always on hand.  
ROBERT ARKELL  
Vienna, Aug. 11, 1853. 6-4

SALT FOR SALE.  
500 BBL. ONONDAGO SALT, for Sale, Cheap for Cash, by  
A. C. MCKINNON & Co.  
Houghton Centre, July 28, 1853.

MUSIC! MUSIC!  
Music Establishment!  
South side of Dundas Street, opposite to Messrs. Raymond and Rowland, Furnaces.

WHERE any one had SHEET MUSIC of every description. Instruction Books, for all kinds of Instrumental Music, &c., as cheap as can be had in Toronto, Boston or New York.  
All Kinds of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, from a PIANO FORTE down to a FIFE.  
STRINGS of all kinds and of superior quality in short, everything that can be found in a well and capably selected Music Store.  
The PIANOS are made by the following celebrated gentlemen, viz:  
CHICKERING, STODART & DUNHAM.  
Acknowledged to be the best on this part of the credit of the said consolidated municipal loan fund, and is hereby authorized, empowered and required to borrow the aforesaid sum of five thousand pounds, under the provisions municipal loan fund for Upper Canada, &c. applied in constructing and completing the aforesaid road, as a township, week, and all the apparatus, together with the tools that may be collected thereon, to be the sole property of the said municipality.  
And be it further enacted, that for the purposes set forth in this By-Law, there shall be raised, and authority is hereby given to the credit of the said consolidated municipal loan fund, the sum of five thousand pounds, by the issue of Debentures by the Receiver General of this Province, with interest payable half yearly, at the rate of six per cent. annum, which said sum shall be appropriated towards the payment of the said sum of five thousand pounds, hereby intended to be applied in constructing the said road, and for the payment of the interest on the said principal—there shall be levied, and collected upon, all the rateable property of the said township of Bayham, in respect of the owners or occupiers thereof, in respect of the same, in each and every year as before-mentioned, during the continuance of the payment of the said sums thereby made payable, or of any part thereof, over and above, and in addition to all other rates and taxes, whatsoever, a special rate of not more than four tenths (say nine-four tenths) of a penny within the pound, for each and every year, during the said term of twenty years, from which there shall be appropriated and applied if such sum shall be required therefrom for the purpose of this By-Law, in each and every year during the said term of twenty years, the sum of four hundred and seven pounds, and such other sum or sums as may be necessary to pay under the consolidated municipal loan fund, law or act, and of this By-Law; and that such principal and interest shall be raised, levied and collected, according to the amount of property, returned upon the assessment roll for the Township, for the financial year next preceding that for which the apportionment shall be made.  
The above is a true copy of a proposed By-law to be finally taken into consideration by the Council of the said township after the expiration of one month from the date hereof, being the date of the first publication of the said By-law in the Plain paper, published in the village of Vienna in the said township of Bayham, on Thursday, the 1st day of Sept. 1853, next ensuing the date hereof, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. at the township hall, in the village of Straffordville, in the said township, a meeting of the qualified municipal electors will be held for the purpose of considering the said By-law, and approving or disapproving of the same, the said meeting to be held in accordance with a resolution of the Township Council, passed on Saturday, the 20th Aug., 1853, naming the day, as by the consolidated municipal loan act, in that behalf made and provided.  
WILLIAM HATCH,  
Township Clerk.  
Bayham, Aug. 22, 1853.

LIQUORS,  
such as Brandy, Gin, Rum,  
Wines, and Whiskey,  
at Prices to defy competition. Please call and examine.  
BROWN & ELY,  
Yankee Store.  
Vienna, June 16, 1853. 9-1/2

SALE OF GOODS AT COST!  
THE Subscriber, being about to close her stock in trade, consisting of a general assortment of Groceries, such as are required for the country trade. A reasonable term of Credit will be given, by purchasers furnishing approved endorsed paper.  
ANN SCOTT.  
Port Burwell, June 23, 1853. 1-1/2

A. C. MCKINNON & Co.,  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL  
DEALERS IN  
DRY GOODS!  
GROCERIES,  
HARDWARE & CROCKERY,  
&c. &c. &c.  
HOUGHTON CENTRE,  
NORFOLK.  
P. S.—500 BBL. ONONDAGO SALT, for sale Cheap for Cash.  
A. C. MCKINNON.  
July, 1853. 2-1/2

FRESH TEAS!!!  
JUST RECEIVED, at the German Hotel, Fresh Teas, 4s, 4s 6d, 5s, and 5s 6d per lb. SUGARS, from 10 to 12, 13, and 14 lbs. for \$1.  
A. HUME.  
Vienna, June 22, 1853. 1.

SCISSORSINGS.

COURT SCENE.—"Sir," said a fierce lawyer, "do you on your solemn oath, swear that this is not your hand writing?"

THE FOLLOWING IS THE COMMENCEMENT OF A SPEECH OF A LAWYER IN NEW JERSEY:—"Your honours do not sit here like marble statues to be waited about like every windy breeze."

EXTRACT FROM THE ARGUMENT OF A YOUNG LAWYER BEFORE A MISSISSIPPI JURY:—"May it please the Court, I would rather live for thirteen hundred centuries on the small side of a thunderbolt—chew the ragged end of a flash of lightning, swallow the corners of a Virginia worm fence, and have my bowels torn out by a green brier, than to be thus bamboozled by these gentlemen."

THE LADIES ARE SAID TO HAVE BEEN THROWN INTO THE GREATEST CONSTERNATION AT THE RECENT APPOINTMENT OF A NUMBER OF LAWYERS IN ALL PARTS OF ENGLAND, TO REGISTER THE DEEDS OF MARRIED WOMEN.

A REASON FOR MARRYING.—"How could you do so imprudent a thing?" said a curate to a very good looking girl as she was completely in poverty as yourself, and both without the slightest prospect of provision?"

"I KNEW HE OWED THE PRINTER." In youth I saw him first, hale, hearty, and well dressed; with a look that told you plainly, his conscience was at rest.

"I KNEW HE OWED THE PRINTER." He never advertised, then, He never read the news, Until he did through ignorance Both time and money lose.

"I KNEW HE OWED THE PRINTER." He published everywhere; Who he was—what he had, Price, and place of store.

"I KNEW HE OWED THE PRINTER." He prospered in his trade, And goes on prospering still, Why? Because he advertised And pays his printer's bill.

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J. G. MCKINNON

WOULD RETURN his sincere thanks to his numerous friends, and the public generally, for their support; and would beg to state that he has now on hand a superior stock of SPRING AND SUMMER STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

PORT BURWELL AND VIENNA! STAGE LINE! W. J. HAYWARD & Co. BEG to intimate to the Travelling Public that they are now prepared to carry Passengers between the above named places, in one of the most commodious Carriages in Canada, being built expressly for this route.

LEONARD SCOTT & Co.'s LIST OF British Periodical Publications! Delivered in all the principal cities and towns FREE OF POSTAGE, and forwarded to Mail Subscribers in Canada Free of United States Postage.

ALTHOUGH these works are distinguished by the political shades above indicated, yet but a small portion of their contents is devoted to political subjects. It is their literary character which gives them their chief value; and in that they stand confessedly far above all other journals of their class.

THE PHENIX.—We have received the first number of this paper, published at Vienna. It presents a respectable appearance; and we are sorry to say advocates principles of intolerant Protestantism, for which we have not even respect.—Norfolk Messenger.

THE PHENIX.—Under this title we find that a sound Conservative Journal has been established in the flourishing village of VIENNA, C. W. The Phoenix is published weekly, and bids fair to command a wide circulation in Elgin, and the surrounding counties.

THE PHENIX.—We have received the first number of a new paper bearing the above title, and hailing from the village of Vienna. It is published by Mr. Abbott, (of St. Thomas notoriety) is Conservative in politics, a well printed paper, and is well adapted to the usual auxiliary of the cause which it advocates. We wish the Phoenix every success.—Weekly Dispatch.

THE PHENIX.—The first number of a paper so called, has been published at the village of Vienna, in Western Canada. It professes conservative and Protestant principles, and is conducted by Mr. Richard Abbott, a young man, a native of the County of Carleton, and formerly a resident of Bytown.

THE PHENIX.—We have received the second number of a bearing this name, published at Vienna C. W., by Mr. Richard Abbott, formerly of St. Thomas. It is a well got up sheet, and is published at Vienna, C. W., by Mr. R. Abbott; it is neatly printed, and is Conservative in politics.—Ottawa Fellow.

AT THE Montreal and New York Store, A CLEVER, who has had considerable experience as a Salesman. None need make application who cannot produce satisfactory testimonials as to character and ability to fill the situation. SUFFEL & PATTON. Vienna, June 23, 1853.

Opinions of the Press.

THE PHENIX, AND ELGIN COUNTY CONSERVATIVE.—We have received the first number of a neat little paper, hailing from Vienna, W. Can., rejoicing in the above expressive title, whose motto is—"The Protestant religion and the Liberties of England," Mr. Richard Abbott, Editor and Publisher. From our personal knowledge of Mr. Abbott's principles and the school in which he received his geographical and political lessons, we may confidently expect to find in the Phoenix an able and energetic ally in the cause of truth and loyalty.

THE PHENIX.—We have received the first number of the Phoenix, a new paper just commenced at Vienna, County of Elgin. It is Conservative in politics, neatly printed, and published at 1s 6d per annum in advance. We wish it every success.—Middlesex Prototype.

A new paper has just been started at Vienna, U. C., called The Phoenix and Elgin County Conservative. It is a neatly got up sheet, and the following extract from its first issue, indicates the principles adopted by our contemporary:—"A portion of our title fully and freely expresses our political principles—CONSERVATIVE; and although as far as possible eschewing polemics, we shall ever be found without truly and honestly supporting the Monarchy as the best and safest system of Government, to the preservation of which Conservatism is essential. Canada is no unimportant portion of the mighty Empire of Britain; and it is our proudest boast that we are an integral part of that Nation, in whose keeping lie the destinies of the world. It shall, therefore ever be our humble endeavour to strengthen the ties that bind us in fraternal union with that glorious Empire, whose emblems are the Rose, Thistle, and Shamrock. We are Protestant because when England ceases to be Protestant, her greatness ceases also. (May the hand of an overruling Providence forever forefend the calamity); and because notwithstanding the assertions of many who are sittingly exempted in the recent riots at Quebec and Montreal. We believe that a closer union of sentiment and feeling—a more intimate relation between the various Protestant churches—is essential to our common cause, and we find in the Orange Association—a happily now extended over every portion of our country—a powerful auxiliary to this end, hence shall that Society in us find a consistent friend.—United Empire.

THE PHENIX.—We have received the first number of this paper, published at Vienna. It presents a respectable appearance; and we are sorry to say advocates principles of intolerant Protestantism, for which we have not even respect.—Norfolk Messenger.

THE PHENIX.—Under this title we find that a sound Conservative Journal has been established in the flourishing village of VIENNA, C. W. The Phoenix is published weekly, and bids fair to command a wide circulation in Elgin, and the surrounding counties.

THE PHENIX.—We have received the first number of a new paper bearing the above title, and hailing from the village of Vienna. It is published by Mr. Abbott, (of St. Thomas notoriety) is Conservative in politics, a well printed paper, and is well adapted to the usual auxiliary of the cause which it advocates. We wish the Phoenix every success.—Weekly Dispatch.

THE PHENIX.—The first number of a paper so called, has been published at the village of Vienna, in Western Canada. It professes conservative and Protestant principles, and is conducted by Mr. Richard Abbott, a young man, a native of the County of Carleton, and formerly a resident of Bytown.

THE PHENIX.—We have received the second number of a bearing this name, published at Vienna C. W., by Mr. Richard Abbott, formerly of St. Thomas. It is a well got up sheet, and is published at Vienna, C. W., by Mr. R. Abbott; it is neatly printed, and is Conservative in politics.—Ottawa Fellow.

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Scrupulously discarding everything having a tendency to pragmatical or acrimonious contentions, the Editor of The Phoenix relies on the intelligent portion of the inhabitants of this and neighbouring Counties, for that support and patronage, requisite for the carrying out of his present undertaking.

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