

The East Kent Plaindealer

THURSDAY, AUG. 28, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTIONS... Local notices in the Plaindealer...

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Millinery—Mrs. E. C. Banker. Church for Sale. For sale—Farm. Impounded property for sale...

THE TERTIO Club of Chatham visited Ridgeway on Sunday last. Their many friends were pleased to see them. Call again.

A CALL at Mr. H. P. Wilson's Harness Shop will convince you that his stock is very fine and complete. He exhibits two very handsome sets of single harness and 1 double do. silver mounted. Coler making is made especially, and his stock is certainly large and good.

DOUBLE ACCIDENT. On Friday evening last, as the Steamer was out practicing, a little son of Mr. Thomas Brown dentist, was run over by the horse cart, and severely injured. About the same time, a son of Mr. Passmore had his eye nearly knocked out by the stream. Boys should be careful on such occasions.

AMENDS HONORABLE.—The account of the Base Ball match last week was written in great haste in order to be in time, and through inadvertence the names of Wm. Salmond, and Geo. Pearey, who did excellent battling, were omitted; indeed, in the opinion of many, they were the best of the day, though not fortunate in making large scores.

WE are in receipt of the "Pen Art World," a lively little sheet published at Annapolis, Ont., by D. J. B. Sawyer, the penman in the interests of Penmanship, and are very much pleased with it. An enlargement to 8 pages is contemplated. Tri-monthly, 25 cts. a year.

PREACHES & CREAM.—The social given by the young ladies of the C. M. Church, at Mr. Jno. Milton's on Monday evening last, though not so largely attended, as it would have been, but for the coldness of the air, was an enjoyable affair. The peaches and cream were delicious and the music of the R. B. Band very good indeed. The gem of the evening was "The Mocking Bird" which was very nicely done and beautifully in imitation of that bird. Swinging and other amusements added pleasure to the occasion.

GONE BEFORE.—Another of our esteemed pioneers has passed away, in the person of Mr. Richard Boothroyd, who died at 8 o'clock on Friday morning last. Deceased was a native of Smeaton, Yorkshire, England and came to this country in 1830, residing with Col. Talbot two years. In 1832 he removed to the township of Howard and lived on the 6th. concession until 1837. He then purchased the farm on the Ridge Road, about a mile east of this village, upon which he has ever since resided. His wife died in 1858. His surviving family numbers three sons and three daughters. The remains were followed to their last resting place, at the English Church, Talbot Street, on Sunday, by a very large concourse of friends, there being 1600 in the procession. He had attained the ripe age of 91 years.

"How came these holes in your o'locks?" said the widow Smith to the irrepressible small boy. "Oh, moother, I hid behind the sofa when little Jack Hornet was sayin' to our Jule, that he'd take her, even if you had to be throwed in; and he did not know I was there, and so I held in and laughed in my sleeve till I burst 'em."

THE PRINCESS LOTUS Club have engaged a fine, large room in the Porter Block, pleasant for meeting and suitable for rehearsing &c. Their regular meetings, on Tuesday evenings, are enlivened by music, readings, recitations &c. The room will be neatly fitted up and a piano added.

ANOTHER.—Mr. Aaron Jackman last week hired a horse and buggy at Lakeside, with the ostensible purpose of looking after some Court business in Blenheim; but it occurred to him to remove to other parts, the location, of which he has not made known, probably the land of Uncle Sam. The "rig" was recovered on Sunday at Charing Cross.

C. S. R.—The "through" freight and passenger traffic on this road is at present very heavy. The "local" freight at this station is also good.

THE "Patent Medicine" nuisance again visited the village the other evening. It is astonishing to see how many can be gulled into paying 25 cents for what they could purchase at any drug store for five cents.

WALLACE has organized a Cricket Club, to be known as the Lorne C. C.

THEO. SHELLEY, the would-be C. S. R. train wrecker, has been committed for trial.

HANLAN was welcomed to St. Thomas by an immense crowd at the Concert Monday night.

Mr. Floeter intends enlarging and improving his office at the Station shortly. He has the reputation of being the best office on the line.

A PEACH FESTIVAL on a large scale will be given by the Mechanics' Institute, on Monday evening next, Sept. 1st, at the Agricultural grounds. The grounds will be handsomely illuminated, and the band will be in attendance. Should the weather prove unfavorable, the festival will be held in the Agricultural Hall, and a musical and literary entertainment added.

The bodies of Jimmy Orr and Annie Fleishing the two passengers missing from the Steinhoff have been found, the former beneath a coal heap which had fallen on him while attempting to hide from the heat of the burning steamer, the latter in the river near the hull of the ill-fated ship.

On Monday a bally horse was led through Main St. by a man who seemed, from his actions and treatment of the animal, more so than the horse.

On Monday afternoon on the above event and produced the following: A bally horse never balked; Half as bally as that horse balked; But the man that led the bally horse balked far more bally than the bally horse balked.

"A HONEY-TONGUED THIEF."—This is what the Chicago Times calls John McCrank, who is wanted in Ridgeway, Ont., for forgery, and who is believed to be in Chicago. "The arrest of this man has become almost a question of international importance and the Provincial authorities are unremitting in their inquiries and direction relative to his apprehension. It seems that he was agent for some very large estates belonging to Macdonald, ex Premier of the Dominion, and deliberately despoiled his employer through a series of years. Being an expert accountant and skilled book-keeper he managed by a subtle and ingenious system to steal over \$10,000 in the course of half a decade. This large amount of money he did not invest but saved up in his own house, waiting for the day when the crash would come. Security made him too bold, and about a fortnight ago he prosecuted his speculation with less than ordinary caution. The "error" in his books was discovered and his attention called thereto. He promised to explain it, but instead skipped out on the night, and made his way across the border and to this city. His whereabouts are so nearly known that it is quite probable that he will be arrested this morning. It is believed that he has most of the money stolen with him in Canadian bills and gold.

[Some one has been imposing on the credulity of the Times. We advise the editor to procure a copy of "First Lessons in Geography," and a few of last year's papers regarding the 17th of September, and post himself up a little.]

EXCELLENT TIME.—On Friday night last, the Ronald steamer on exhibition here was run from the Denton house, to the tank at the Creek, a distance of nearly a quarter of a mile, steam raised and water thrown in 6 minutes and 40 seconds.

Ma. Cunningham is building an addition and otherwise repairing his large residence on Victoria Avenue.

THE "Pioneers Picnic" at Clearville attracted quite a number from the village to-day.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT was issued on Tuesday against the Mechanics Bank of Montreal.

CERTAIN proceedings will be shortly instituted against The Directors and Manager of the Consolidated Bank for preparing and submitting to the shareholders an untrue statement of the affairs of the Bank.

CAUGHT.—A match is to be played between Amherstburg and Ridgeway on the Agricultural Grounds to-morrow. A good game is anticipated.

Observe Mrs. Banker's new advertisement this week.

"Ten nights in a Bar-room" is in course of preparation by the P. L. Club for the 4th. of Oct.

THE CIVIC HOLIDAY left the village pretty well deserted yesterday. Large numbers "took in" the excursion to Detroit, very many visited and picnicked at Rond Eau, while others spent the day at the residences of friends in the country. A few amateur sportsmen "went hunting," and found considerable amusement, but not much game. The weather was delightful for every species of recreation.

THE EXCURSION to Detroit and Belle Isle yesterday, by the Baptist Church was a splendid success. When the train left Ridgeway it was thought that more cars would have to be procured as the train was then crowded, apparently, to its utmost capacity. But the run was made without adding others, and in some way or other the numbers from the villages west continued to gain admittance or "ching on." Over 600 were on board. The weather was beautiful, and the attractions of the trip abundant and varied, and every one enjoyed himself or herself " hugely." The train arrived here on the way back at 11 o'clock.

A GRAND EXCURSION to Cleveland will be given by the Roman Catholic Church of this place, on Thursday next Sept. 4th, on the steamer "Erie Belle," which will leave Morpeth at 8 a. m. arriving at Cleveland at 1:30 p. m. Arrangements have been made with the C. S. Railway for reduced fares to Ridgeway and Charing Cross. Tickets for the round trip, \$1.25. The cruise across the lake should be very pleasant and enjoyable, and Cleveland is one of the handsomest cities of the west, and very many a sight to behold.

A Specific Remedy for all Summer Complaints such as Diarrhea, Dysentery, Canine Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Stomachic Grieving Pains, and all derangements of the bowels, caused by using improper food, such as raw vegetables, unripe or sour fruit, bad milk, impure water, or changes of water, during the seasons, exposed. No matter from what cause or in what form you are subject to any of the above complaints, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry will relieve you and if speedy cure will be effected without injury to the system. It is manufactured from the Wild Strawberry, Flashed free from opium and other injurious drugs. For sale by all druggists. Sold in 1/2 and 3/4 bottles for \$1.00. Prepared by M. H. B. Denton & Co., Toronto.

PERSONALS. Mr. H. W. Westland has returned from his trip to Cincinnati.

Mr. R. Covetable and family are visiting friends in Port Burwell, Stratford and Ingersoll.

Mr. P. J. McLean is very ill with bilious fever, but is improving slowly.

Mr. Robt. Milton, near Morpeth, is dangerously ill.

Mr. Gain, formerly of Ingersoll, now of Charing Cross, called yesterday. We were pleased to make the acquaintance of Mr. J. B. Lambly, the successor of Mr. Brandon as Ass't pastor of the C. M. circuit, yesterday.

Mr. Sam'l Brown leaves for Leadville Col. to look after his mining interests there. He has a partnership in a large Silver mine.

Mr. E. G. Kitchen's mother arrived in town yesterday on a visit.

A STURDY FACT.—Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is, without a doubt, the safest and most reliable remedy in existence, for diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera morbus, scurvy, sea sickness, and all summer complaints. It acts like a charm. Its effects are marvellous—relief instantaneous, cure speedy. Physicians and all who use it recommend it. It should be kept in every house at this season, for use in cases of emergency. For sale by all dealers.—MILNER BROTHERS & PARSONS, PROPRIETORS, TORONTO.

THAMESVILLE. From our own Correspondent. Several of the cheese factories in the vicinity shipped their cheese here on the 19th inst.

The agent for the "Royal Path of Life," delivered 15 copies of his valuable book here last week. Mr. G. Haugh has supplied himself with a double force pump. The Civic Holiday was recognized on the 22nd according to appointment and nearly all the citizens visited Port Stanley.

The Rev. E. Turner, of Highgate, preached here, and baptized Mr. Jas. Welch in the River Thames on Sunday the 24th inst.

Thamesville Jewelry Store has just received a fresh supply of jewelry. Call and see a well assorted stock. You can also get your watches and clocks repaired very cheap.

CHATNAM'S LEADING STRINGS SOLD. Yesterday the By-law for separating the Town of Chatham from the county of Kent for municipal purposes, was submitted to popular vote. The submission of the By-law brought out little or no opposition to its going into effect, and it was taken for granted by the people at the polls, without any effort being made to ventilate the subject.

The majority for the By-law was 809, and the total number of votes polled 317.— Tribune.

- ROND EAU. From our own Correspondent. Arrivals at Rond Eau, since the 10th of August. 10th. The schr. "V. M. Blake," cleared for Detroit with wood. "Answer, the schr. "Calceonia," of Owen Sound, with cedar posts for Sopers. 11th. The scow "Monia," of Cleveland, wood at Sopers. "The propeller "Chicago Belle," of Buffalo, wood at Sopers. 12th. The "Chicago Belle," cleared for Owen Sound. 13th. The "Ferret" of Detroit, after wood at Raglan. 14th. The scow "German," of Detroit, cleared with wood. 15th. The schr. "Northumberland" of Coburg, shelter, arrived with rail road ties for Buffalo. 16th. The propeller "Lake Michigan," of Hamilton, shelter. "The scow "Monia," cleared for Detroit with wood. 17th. The scow "Ferret," of Detroit, cleared with wood. The schr. "Northumberland," cleared for Buffalo. "The scow "Grace Amelia," of Port Burwell, for wood at Sopers. "Wind north, light, lake calm."

DIED. At his late residence, Ridge Road, Howard, on Friday morning, the 22nd inst., Robert Bowdler, aged 91 years, a native of Smeaton Yorkshire, England.

RIDGETOWN MARKETS. Ridgetown, June 19 1879. Flour, per cwt. \$2 35 (3 25) Cornmeal, per cwt. 1 00 (1 00) Corn, shelled. 40 45 Barley, per cwt. 0 85 0 90 White Wheat, per bush. 1 1 00 Red Wheat, per bush. 1 00 No. 1 Spring Wheat, per bu 60 77 Oats. 30 35 Hay, per ton. 8 00 Clover Seed, per bu. 3 25 3 40 Timothy Seed per bu. 1 60 1 75 Millet. 75 1 00 Apples, per bush. 30 35 Dried Apples, per bu. 5 04 Wood. 2 00 Hides, green. 2 50 3 05

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LADIES OF Ridgeway and Vicinity, Having removed to SHAW'S NEW BLOCK, and everything being fitted up in First-Class Style, we are now prepared to show a fine line of

MILLINERY, FANCY GOODS, &c., &c. And will sell at as Low Figures as can be afforded.

"Live and Let Live," is our motto.

Strait Work a Specialty. MRS. E. C. BANKER. Aug. 28th, '79.

Church for Sale. TENDERS will be received up to Thursday, 18th Sept. for the disposal of the Old Presbyterian Church in Ridgeway. For particulars Apply to the Committee (Druxal Church, D. G. Wainman, R. J. Woodcock, Aug. 28th, 1879.

For Sale. THE southwest quarter of Lot 8, in 7th concession, Howard, will be sold cheap, about one quarter down; the balance on time. For further particulars, Apply to JOHN WATSON, Kent Co. Bank, Jan. Aug. 28th, 1879.

Notice. Postponement of Sale. THE following property impounded, will be sold on Tuesday, 2nd day of Sept., at 1 o'clock p. m., without reserve, at Lot No. 7, North-half, 5th concession, Howard. One light roan Durham bull, supposed to be 2 years old. Wm. Clark, Poundkeeper. Aug. 28th, 1879.

WANTED, any amount of "Exchange" and "Consolidated" Bank bills, at market value. J. WATSON & CO., August 21st, 1879.

For Sale. THAT valuable property formerly known as the "Boston House," situate on Main Street, consisting of a Good Frame Store, 22x42, and Lot, with frontage of 22x132. Good situation. Must be sold. For further particulars, apply to CHAS. GRANT, JR., Ridgeway, Aug. 21, '79.

WHEN YOU WANT A GOOD SMOKE GO TO C. Dauphin's,

AND GET "The Gold Flake" Bright Virginia Cut Plug. All other brands and qualities of Tobacco and Cigars, also on hand. Also all kinds of FRUITS in season CONFECTIONERY, ICE CREAM, &c.

THE GREAT CAUSE OF HUMAN MISERY! We have recently published a new edition of Dr. Gulverwell's Celebrated Essay on the "Radical Permanent Cure" (without medicine) of Nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, etc., resulting from excesses. Price, in a sealed envelope, only 6 cents, or two postage stamps. The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from thirty years' practice, that alarming consequences may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicine or the application of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain, and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically. This lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land. Address: THE GULVERWELL MEDICAL CO., 41 Ann St. New York. Jan. 15, '78.-52-1. Post Office Box 4586.

Look! Look! WHY use the old weight and pulley?—when you can get Munn's Sash Register for one-half the cost, and more durable and superior in every respect. Among its advantages may be mentioned: that a Box Frame is not necessary; that a cash can be balanced in a solid frame; that the Register can be attached in not in sight; that a cash can be balanced by a Register in fifteen minutes; that it costs one-half less than the old weight and pulley; that they can be fixed in buildings when occupied, as well as when building. The undersigned has bought the exclusive right for this excellent patent, for the County of Kent. Applications for purchase and use, must be made to T. CLARK, Plasterer, St. Thomas, or J. M. CRONK'S Boot & Shoe Store, Ridgeway, Ont. May 22nd, 1879.

Notice. To all who are suffering from the ferrets and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH HENNES, St. Charles, D. C. City, Jan. 30, '79. 52-1.

DOMIN'N HARDWARE STORE.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO PURCHASERS. Goods bought for Cash at the Lowest Wholesale figures.

And Sold at Rock Bottom Prices

Building HARDWARE

In LARGE QUANTITIES and of the BEST QUALITY. Carpenters and Farmers will find everything to their entire satisfaction.

Nails by the Car Load, and Iron by the Ton, SPADES, SHOVELS,

CUTLERY, BELTING, LAMPS, &c., &c.

IN GREAT VARIETY, AND CHEAPER THAN EVER.

STOVES, STOVES, STOVES, FOR THE MILLION, ALL PATTERNS AND SIZES, no one need fear quality or price.

Fin-Ware in Abundance. Roofing a Specialty. Please Give us a Call.

McDonald & Somerville. (ooo)

HAVING lately taken an interest in LAMONT'S Carriage Works, our Stock in this Line will be found complete. PATENT WHEELS, SPRINGS, AXLES, CLIPS, TIPS, LEATHER, RUBBER, &c. &c.

Buggies, Carriages, Wagons and Cutters for Every one. A Competent Horse-Shoer always on hand. PLEASE LEAVE YOUR ORDER.

SEE OUR YORK SHILLING DRESS GOODS. The Best of anything in the trade.

See our Black Cashmeres. AT 40c. 50c. 60c. 70c. 80c. 90c. and \$1.00. Most Splendid Value.

See our Black Lustres. Nothing in the trade to Touch them.

See our Twenty-five Cent Table Linen. Up to anything you can buy at Forty Cents.

And Above All DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR

\$18.00 WORSTED SUITS, \$66

Better Style, and Better Make, than anything in the Trade.

HAGAMAN & JULL.

Ridgeway, August 14th, 1879.

Voters' List for 1879,

Municipality of the Township of HOWARD, Co. Kent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the Third and Fourth Sections of the "Voters List Act," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered, of the List, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing on the last revised Assessment Roll of the said municipality, to be entitled to vote in the said municipality, at Elections for members of the Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal Elections; and that said List was first posted up at my office at Ridgeway, on the 7th day of Aug., 1879, and remains there for inspection.

Elections are called upon to examine said List, and if any omissions, or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the same corrected, according to law. CHAS. GRANT, (Dated at Ridgeway, in the County of Kent, the 7th day of Aug., 1879.) Municipality of Hamilton.

At No. 30 James St., in the Ambitious City of Hamilton, the attention of the traveler will be attracted by the splendid large Drug Store of Messrs. Archdale Wilson & Co., the manufacturers and sole proprietors of Wilson's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, the most popular cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Croup, Whooping Cough, Loss of Voice, &c.; being a most astonishing remedy at this season, when all persons with respiratory organs are comparatively weak, and are coming in for half gross and gross colds, from druggists who have sold out all last year's stocks; and the proprietors have found it necessary to purchase new and improved apparatus to enable them to turn out the Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry in sufficient quantity to meet the demand. August, 28th. 1 m.

FOR SALE. A NEW Two Storey Frame House on Victoria Avenue, next door to Mr. Wm. Tomlin's. For particulars, apply to A. LONG. As his Store, Porter Block, N. B. All parties having accounts will please settle them at once. A. L. J. Aug. 7th, 1879.

Lost. A NOTE drawn by Thos. Martin in favor of Peter Slewburg, for \$50, due on 4th Aug. This to caution any one finding it from negotiating same, as payment has been made. PETER SLEWBURG. Aug. 14, 1879. 3-l.

Farm for Sale. CHOICE 50 acres, South part Lot No. 85, of Talbot Street. Forty acres under good cultivation, and the rest in timber and pasture. Plenty of good water. A good frame barn, and an old frame house. A small orchard, large trees, apples, pears, and cherries. Situate in the Township of Howard, 14 miles East of Morpeth, on a good gravel road; first-class locality. NELSON SHAW. Ridgeway, Aug. 14th, 1879. 1-m.

Notice of Dissolution. TAKE notice that the partnership heretofore existing between John Conn and Wm. F. Conn, as Grocers and Dealers at Ridgeway, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business of said firm will hereafter be continued by Wm. F. Conn; and the said John Conn is requested. Dated at Ridgeway, the 15th day of August, A. D. 1879. Wm. F. Conn. JOHN CONN. T. C. SOMERVILLE. WM. CONN. Aug. 14th. 3-l.

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A MONTH guaranteed \$12 a day as home made by the industry of one person. Capital not required. We will start you. Men, women, boys and girls make money faster at work for us than at anything else. The work is light and pleasant. And such as anyone can go right at. Those who are wise who see this notice will send us their address at once and we for themselves. Costly outfit and terms free. Now is the time. Those already at work are laying up large sums of money. Address Tarr & Co., Augusta, Maine.

Village Property for Sale. TWO nice residences on Albert St., next to and commodious, each containing six rooms; five minutes walk from business portion of town; will be sold cheap. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. SOMERVILLE, at Dominion Hardware Store, April 3, '79. 4-l.

A WEEK in your own town, and no capital risked. You can give the business a trial without expense. The best opportunity ever offered for those willing to work. You should try nothing else until you see for yourself what you can do at the business we offer. No room to explain here. You can devote all your time or only your spare time to the business, and make great pay for every hour that you work. Women make as much or more. Send for special price terms and particulars which we mail free. \$5 outfit free. Don't complain of hard times and while you wait such a chance. Address H. HALLIST & Co Portland, Maine.

Notice. Charles, the Deutschnman, lives yet, and offers the highest market prices for HIDES, FURS, & SKINS. In the village of Ridgeway. Come up farmers with your hides, you will always find him either at Talbot's Bank, or at the corner of Porter Block. There you will get your cash. CHARLES THE DEUTSCHMAN TANNER. April 15, 1879.

Shoes, Fly
-He looked upon your head,
A sandy spray of rain,
As with a rap,
As with a rap,

CROSS PURPOSES.

I was wrought up to a desperate deed. In broken where I had equipped myself in full armor-determined that the sacrifice I meditated should be accomplished in the becoming manner.

I left the room, I would put an end to it, this wretched wandering about ever since I could remember. Mamma had been a home, which she was so well calculated to do.

I think a certain number of people who are inseparably connected with moonlight rows on the lake, and bits of poetry and pressed flowers had much to do with this. His sisters were "such nice girls," and they and their mother had had much to do with this.

But mamma and I were quite the belles of the neighborhood-in a different way, of course, for my mother had had much to do with this. His sisters were "such nice girls," and they and their mother had had much to do with this.

Mr. Clinton's handsome home-just the kind I always longed for-brown stone, with a grand entrance, and a row of windows, to which delicate vines hung in graceful sprays, and which looked on an exquisite taste.

People often have a perverse fashion of going where they are not found; and when I returned from my visit to Frank Clinton, established as that of my mother's cottage, as such a pleasant, friendly-looking place, it was impossible to treat him as a stranger.

When mamma said, "This is my daughter, Mr. Clinton, whom you have so often heard me speak of," she looked at me with a smile, and I saw that she was not a stranger to me.

"Dear Laura is a little wild, but she is really a most good and lovable child." "I think I understand Miss Laura thoroughly," said a deep-toned voice in reply.

My Hearties
Oh, he goes away, singing,
Singing over the sea,
Oh, he comes again, bringing
Joy and himself to me,

Notes on Orchard and Garden Work.
Harvesting the maturing crops and weeding are the chief occupations of the month. The killing of weeds is of as much importance now as earlier in the season and it is often neglected.

Early pears, peaches, etc., will be ready for market, and we wish that every one who sends fruit to market should be careful to select the best.

A NOVA SCOTIA TRAGEDY.
An Laboring Man Murders his Wife with a Hatchet.
HALIFAX, Nova Scotia.-Some particulars of the tragedy at Margarettville, Annapolis County, yesterday morning, have been received here.

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The By-Law.

The result of the voting on the By-law for the issue of debentures to purchase a steam Fire Engine, submitted last Saturday, was a surprise to all. The opponents of the scheme were astonished, while its supporters had begun to doubt of success.

We presume that steps will be taken to have the steam delivered here at once, and the sooner the better. A building will be necessary, which can either be built cheaply for the present, or one rented until a good engine house has been erected.

GOSSIP.

Upon this subject, the wit of the satirist, the wisdom of the philosopher, the denunciation of the pulpit, and even the punishment of the courts, have been expended and employed, it would seem, in vain.

ness. Teach them to scorn and despise such conduct as debasing their manhood and womanhood.

Communications.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the views of our Correspondents. Communications, to insure insertion, must comply with the regular rules, viz: Write plainly in ink, (not pencil) on one side of the sheet, and without interlining. All Communications, to insure insertion, must be in by Tuesday.

To the Editor of the Plaindealer.

Sir,—Reports have reached us from our agents and others, that certain men here and there through the country, who, we have reason to believe, have no means of filling their contracts, are taking orders for the "Early Canada Peach."

Yours truly, A. MOYER & Co. Jordan Station, Aug. 22nd, 1879.

SUMMER COMPLAINTS, OR CHOLERA INFANTUM, which is carrying off the infants and children by the thousands at this season of the year, can always surely be checked and cured by Dr. Fowler's Extract of wild Strawberry.

By-law, No. 1879.

A BY-LAW to provide for draining parts of the Township of Howard, known by the name of the McCargon Drain, and for borrowing on the credit of the Municipality the sum of \$3450.00, for completing the same.

PROVISIONALLY adopted the 16th day of August, A. D. 1879.

WHEREAS a majority in favour of the owners, as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll of lands lying and adjoining what is known as the McCargon Creek, running through the property hereinafter set forth, to be benefited by the constructing of the said Drain, have petitioned the Council of the said Township of Howard, praying that the Creek on stream known as McCargon Creek, leading through certain lands in the Township of Howard, should be drained by virtue of the powers conferred in that portion of the Municipal Act and the Amendments thereto, relative to drainage in Townships.

AND WHEREAS certain lots of land in said Township would be immediately benefited, viz:—Lots 1, 2, 3 & 4, in the 1st Con.; W. B. N. of Lots 3, 4, 5 & 6, in the 2nd Con.; W. B. N. of Lot 7, in the 2nd Con.; W. B. N. of Lot 7, in the 2nd Con.; E. B. N. of Lot 8, in the 2nd Con.; E. B. N. of Lot 9, in the 2nd Con.; E. B. N. of Lots 9 & 10, in the 3rd Con.; S. 1/2 of Lots 10, 11 & 12, in the 3rd Con.; S. 1/2 of Lots 12, 13 & 14, in the 4th Con.; and S. 1/2 of Lot No. 14, in the 5th Con.

AND WHEREAS thereupon the said Council procured an examination to be made by Thomas Seane, P. L. S., being a person competent to certify to the proposed localities proposed to be drained by the constructing of said Drain, and has also procured plans and estimates of the work to be done by the said Thomas Seane, P. L. S., and an endorsement to be made by him of the real property to be benefited by the constructing of said Drain, stating, as nearly as he can, the portions of the same which in his opinion will be derived in consequence of such drainage by every Road and Lot or portion of Lot; and the said Assessment so made and the report of the said Thomas Seane, P. L. S., in respect thereof, and of the said Thomas Seane, P. L. S., being as follows:—

AND WHEREAS the said Council are of opinion that the drainage of the locality described is desirable.

Be it therefore enacted by the said Municipal Council of the said Township of Howard, pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Ontario, passed in the 36th year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter 48, and the amendments thereto.

1st. That the said report, plans and estimates be adopted, and the said Drain and the works connected therewith, be made and constructed in accordance therewith.

2nd. That the Reeve of the said Township may borrow on the credit of the Corporation of the said Township of Howard, the sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars and Sixty Cents (\$3450.00), being the funds necessary for the work, and may issue Debentures of the Corporation to that amount, in sums of not less than One Hundred Dollars each, and payable within Five years from the date thereof, with interest at the rate of not exceeding 8 per cent. per annum, that is to say, in Five annual payments, such Debentures to be payable at the Midland Bank, at Ridgeway, and to have attached to them Coupons for the payment of interest. Said Debentures to be dated the 1st day of August, 1879.

SCHEDULE OF LANDS ASSESSED FOR THE McCARGON DRAIN.

Table with columns: CON., LOT OR PART LOT, ACRES, VAL. OF IMPROV., and PROV. It lists various lots and their assessed values, totaling \$3968.60.

TOTAL, \$3968.60

4th. And that the sum of Five Hundred and Eighteen Dollars (\$518) assessed on said lands, shall be paid by the Treasurer out of the general funds of the Township.

5th. That JOHN BALDWIN, Esq., is hereby appointed Commissioner to let the contract for the said Drain and works connected therewith, by public sale to the lowest bidder, (not exceeding the estimate); but every such contract, with two good and satisfactory contractors, with two good and satisfactory sureties shall be required forthwith to enter into bonds for the due performance and completion of his contract according to said plans and specifications, and the time mentioned in such bond; and it shall be the duty of said Commissioner to cause said Drain and works to be made and constructed in accordance with such plans and specifications; and to grant orders on the Treasurer to each Contractor, less 20 per cent. of the amount bid, to be made and paid as fully completed and duly accepted; and for the due performance of these and all other duties of Commissioner, the said Commissioner shall be entitled to receive a fee of Two per cent.

6th. That this By-law shall be published in the East Kent "Plaindealer" for four weeks previous to the date of passing the said By-law, and may be cited and referred to as "The McCargon Drain By-law."

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Court of Revision will be held at the Town Hall, Ridgeway, on Saturday, the Twentieth day of September, A. D. 1879, at the hour of Ten o'clock A. M., for the hearing and trial of appeals made against the above Assessment or Report thereof, in the manner provided in "The Assessment Act of 1869," and amendments thereto; a notice of such appeal to be served on the Clerk of this Municipality at least eight days before the meeting of said Court.

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New Scotch Reversible Check

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New Heather Mixture.

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L. W. FISH, Ridgeway June 19, 1879.

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July 31st, 1879. D. C. McMARTIN.

JOHNSTON'S HARNESS SHOP.

(Late Johnston & Coltart) The late partnership having been dissolved, I have pleasure in informing my old customers that I shall be pleased to serve them, as usual, with everything in the HARNESS DEPARTMENT.

The terms of dissolution renders it necessary that all accounts of the late firm be settled. Therefore, all having claims against the late Johnston & Coltart, are requested to present the same to me for settlement, and all persons indebted to them, will see the necessity of settling the same with me at once.

June 12th, 1879. D. A. JOHNSTON.

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FOR present heavy stock of Spring and Summer Goods

Must be Sold, To make room for Fall and Winter Goods.

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THOS. M. SYER, May 16th, 1879.