

BASE BALL MATCH.—On Friday afternoon the opening match of the season was played in this town, between the "Live Oak" (Flamboro) and "Maple Leaf" (Guelph) base ball clubs. The ground was in good condition, and the weather splendid. The game had caused unusual interest among the citizens, and as early as one o'clock crowds of people were wending their way towards the scene of contest. The result of the game was—Guelph 58; Flamboro 40. At night a ball was held in the Town Hall, which passed off pleasantly. At 12 o'clock the company sat down to supper, after which they returned to the Hall and kept up the merriment till far in the "wee sma' hours." Altogether it was an auspicious opening to the season's sport, and will be long remembered by all who took part in it.