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Auction of land at Dronfield (including Erst Close 5 acres 2 roods 10 perches, with a valuable bed of coal) and at Cowley. Apply to Samuel Ward of Summerley, near Dronfield.

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Richard Rider and William Parkinson from Whittington fell down a coal shaft and were killed. Accidents nearby involving firedamp killed one and injured three.