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The War in Egypt.

A despatch from England, dated February 10th, says that General Gordon was fatally stabbed in the back on the day that the Mahdi's force entered Khartoum, and that a fearful massacre of the garrison followed, the scenes of slaughter surpassing the Bulgarian atrocities and rivalling the worst horrors of the Sepoy mutiny. The panic-stricken Egyptians—men, women and children—were captured and put to death with the most fiendish tortures, and after the slaughter Arabs were seen rushing about the streets with the heads of their victims impaled upon spears. The account of Gordon's death is still discredited by many, but there is reason to believe that it is true. Fighting still goes on, and Gen. Earle and Lieut.-Col. Eyre have been killed, together with two or three officers of inferior rank and from forty to fifty men. There is talk of increasing the army in Egypt to 20,000, (which ought to have been done long ago) as the English people insist that the Mahdi shall be put down at any cost. The action of France, in supplying the rebels with arms and ammunition, is exciting much bitter comment in England.

Fenelon Falls Races.

The eighth annual meeting of the Fenelon Falls Trotting Association was advertised to take place on Tuesday and Weddesday of this week, but had to be postponed until Thursday and Friday on account of the weather, which was not only terribly cold but so stormy that it was impossible to keep the track clear of snow, although the managers did their best. Even as late as Thursday noon it was uncertain whether there would be any racing that day; but by dint of employing a strong force of men with shovels and attaching no less than nine teams of horses to the snow-plough, the track was got into fair order by about three o'clock, and before dark the first day's programme was got through with, all but the last heat in the green race, which had to be trotted next morning. Friday, though still cold, was fine and clear, and as an early start was made and only three heats were trotted in each race, the sport was over before four o'clock. The attendance of spectators on the first day was very small, as but few knew that the trotting was to take place; but next day enough villagers and farmers to make a good crowd were present. Tho' the long delay was no doubt a drawback and three or four horses were taken home, there were more and better ones on the ice than ever before met on Cameron lake, and, nothwithstanding the heaviness of the track, there was some remarkably good trotting. The following are the results:

FIRST DAY.

GREEN RACE.

Stevens's Keen Rothschild	-	1	3	1 1
Geo. Curtis's Highland Boy	-	2	1	2 2
T. Adams's Lucy S.	-	3	2	3 3
F. McRae's Hypocrite	-	4	4	4 4

Time, 3:20, 3:25, 3:15, 3:13.

COUNTY TROT.

R. D. Hill's Idaho	-	1	1 1
J. Simpson's Lapidist Chief	-	2	2 2
Chas. Bartlett's Maud Bartlett	-	3	3 3

Time, 3,15, 3:15, 3:20.

SECOND DAY.

COLT RACE.

Jas. Beatty's Lady Tariff	-	1	1 1
D. Carmichael's Queen	-	2	2 2
M. Ogden's Dexter	-	3	3 3
Capt. Bottum's Charlie Forest	-	4	4 4
D. McRae's Flower of the North	-	5	5 5
Robert Edwards's Minnie A.	-	6	6 6

OPEN TROT.

R. Reade's Harry B.	-	1	1 1
R. D. Hill's Idaho	-	2	3 3
D. K. Campbell's Black Diamond	-	3	4 2
F. W. McRae's Mayflower	-	4	5
Hugh Hunter's Billy Parker	-	5	2

Time, 3:00, 3:00, 2:55.

Village Council.

Fenelon Falls, Feb. 7th, 1885

The council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present, and the reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Communications from Messrs. F. D. Moore and H. B. Dean were laid before the council.

Moved by Mr. Sandford, seconded by Mr. Nevison, That By-law No. —, entitled a by-law to appoint an assessor for the current year, be now introduced and read a first time.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Sandford, seconded by Mr. Nevison, That John Austin be assessor for 1885.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Thomson, seconded by Mr. Swanton, That J. J. Power be appointed assessor for the year 1885.—Carried.

By-law read in committee of the whole as amended. By-law read a third time and passed.

Moved by Mr. Swanton, seconded by Mr. Thomson, That the fire engines be removed from H. Deyman's to the engine house forthwith.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Swanton, seconded by Mr. Thomson, That F. D. Moore be instructed to retain G. T. Blackstock, Esq., of Toronto, to assist him in the suit of R. C. Smith *re* streets in this corporation.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Thomson, seconded by Mr. Nevison, That the following accounts be paid and the reeve give his orders for the same: Mrs. Fox, cleaning hall, $1 25; George Cunningham, registering births, deaths and marriages, $8 60; do., election expenses, $22; E. D. Hand, T. V. C. printing, $7; H. Deyman, coffin for late Miss Sinclair, $7; do., storing fire engines for 1883 and 1884, $8.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Swanton, seconded by Mr Nevison, That the council do now adjourn, to meet at the call of the reeve. —Carried.

DENTAL NOTICE.—Mr. J. Neelands, dentist, of Lindsay, or his assistant, will be at the McArthur House, Fenelon Falls, on Monday and Tuesday next, the 16th and 17th inst.

EXCHANGED.—The Rev. Mr. Logan and the Rev. Mr. Cooper, of Cambray, have exchanged pulpits for Sunday next, and the latter will, therefore, preach in St. James's Church, Fenelon Falls, both morning and evening.

ACCIDENT.—On Saturday of last week Mr. Thomas Lane, of Fenelon Falls, met with a very serious accident while chopping for Mr. James Butler, of Somerville. It appears that a tree that had been felled lodged in another, and, while attempts were being made to liberate it, the butt slipped from the stump and caught Mr. Lane's foot, which was so terribly crushed that it will probably have to be amputated.

THE T. V. C.—We are glad to see that the Peterborough county council, at its late meeting, adopted a resolution asking for the united influence of several municipalities and other interested parties, in urging on the Dominion Government a more vigorous prosecution of the construction of the Trent Valley Canal, and that circulars to that effect have already been issued. That's right —keep the ball rolling.

ATTACKED BY A RAM.—Yesterday (Friday) as the wife of Mr. Thomas Moynes, of Fenelon, was stooping in the barn-yard, she was attacked by a vicious ram, which struck her on the head and knocked her down, and then assailed her so furiously that her shoulders and breast were much bruised and one arm was broken. Though badly hurt she is likely to recover, unless the blow on her head should prove more serious than Dr. Wilson, who is attending her, at present thinks it is.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Robert Chambers, who was on the staff of the *Gazette* soon after it was established, called to see us on Wednesday last and left his card, having lately commenced business in Lindsay as a dealer in and manufacturer of granite and marble headstones, at which he has had ten years' experience. As Mr. Chambers is a steady, reliable young man, and we have seen several very creditable specimens of his work, we can recommend him to such of our readers as may need anything in his line.

ACCIDENT.—The many friends of Mr. James J. Power, of this village, will be sorry to learn that last Thursday morning he slipped and fell with such violence that one of the small bones of his right leg was broken and the ankle dislocated. The accident is the more to be regretted as Mr. Power had barely recovered from the lameness caused, several months ago, by injuries inflicted on his left foot by one of the saws in the red mill. He is under the care of Dr. Lowe, but the most skilful treatment will not prevent him from being laid up for some weeks.

AN OBJECTION.—As will be seen by the council proceedings in this issue, instructions have been given for the removal of the small fire-engine, hitherto in Mr. H. Deyman's charge, to the building on the market square in which the large engine is kept. An objection to this is raised by some of the property owners who live near Mr. Deyman, on the ground that is not advisable to have both engines so far from the business centre of the village; and as there is something in this, and the small engine has always been kept in good order at a nominal expense, perhaps the council will re-consider their determination.

THE CATHOLIC CONCERT.—The concert under the auspices of the R. C. choir came off, as advertised, last Thursday in Ingram's hall; but the attendance was not as large as it ought to have been, perhaps on account of the very unfavorable weather. Those present were greatly pleased, as the music, both vocal and instrumental, was exceedingly good, nearly all the singers repeatedly receiving the honour of an *encore*. The Indian club swinging by Mr. T. McNaughton was much admired, and the entertainment, as a whole, was one of the most pleasing ever given in Fenelon Falls. A more extended notice of it will appear next week.

FINED.—This winter not a few farmers and others have dispensed with bells on their horses, which is against the law; but as they generally drive slowly no action was taken. When, however, a number of trotting horses came to the Falls, and were driven up and down the main street at nearly full speed it became dangerous, and on Wednesday the drivers of horses unprovided with bells were informed that they must procure them. Some did so, but others didn't; and one of the latter was summoned before James Dickson, J. P., who on Thursday morning fined him a dollar and costs. At the same court W. H. Simpson was fined $2 and costs for striking George Maybee, and Robert White, of Peterborough, was fined $2 and costs for using profane and obscene language.

RUNAWAYS.—There have been no less than four runaways in Fenelon Falls since our last issue. The first and longest was on Sunday afternoon, when a horse from one of the Lindsay livery stables suddenly set off at full gallop near the school house and came down the main street "at the rate of a hunt." The driver, doubting his ability to get safely over the canal, turned the animal down Francis street east, and it tore along for nearly a mile until it overtook a sleigh-load of people, when a collision occurred. Nobody was hurt; but the occupant of the cutter was thrown out, and the horse continued his career until he got to the plains, where a fallen tree stopped him. Early on Tuesday morning Dr. E. S. Wilson's black mare, while being driven by a boy, took a short but spirited run, in the course of which she demolished the cutter; and about 10 o'clock Dexter, a Port Hope trotter, bolted at Simpson's corner, and, after nearly going through Mr. Cooper's shop window, ran between that building and Ingram's hall; and, some time during the forenoon, a horse attached to a cutter ran away for some reason, but did no domage worth mentioning.

BADLY SCORCHED.—Zebedee Smith, aged about 15, one of the multitudinous sons of the widow Smith, of this village, appears to have an insufficiently developed organ of cautiousness. Summer before last, while allowing some other boys to draw him up with a rope and pulley behind Jordan's block, he fell and broke one of his legs, and for several months had to go upon crutches. But by degrees he got all right again and ready for another mishap, which befell him last Tuesday. On the evening of that day it occurred to him that tobacco and gunpowder would make a good smoking mixture, so he tried the experiment. It was eminently satisfactory; but one of the ingredients burned so much faster than the other that it was necessary to add more. So he raised the bottle which did duty as a powder flask, and carefully poured some of its contents into the bowl of his pipe, while he sucked away at the stem. There was a flash and a loud report, the house was filled with smoke and Zeb's mind was filled with astonishment. Fortunately he was not injured by the broken glass, but his hands and face were badly scorched and blackened, his eyelashes and eyebrows burned off, and his hair a good deal singed. Had there been much powder in the bottle he might have been killed; but as there was less than an ounce he was not badly hurt, though he will probably look for some time as if he had been tattooed.

☞ In the *Gazette* of Saturday, the 31st ult., quite a feat in crosscut sawing on the farm of Mr. J. E. Ellis, of Fenelon, was recorded. The saw used is the celebrated "Ahead of Any," and is manufactured specially for Bertram & Co., of Toronto, by Henry Disston & Sons, of Philadelphia, Pa., and stands unrivalled in make and quality by any saw in the market. There has been a large number sold in different districts since last fall, and they are all that they claim to be. Sold by G. E. Anderson, Fenelon Falls.

Haulan Wins Again.

SYDNEY, New South Wales, Feb. 7.—The race between Hanlan, the renowned Canadian, and Clifford, who has been winning great aquatic laurels on this side of the sphere, took place to-day. Both men were in good condition. Hanlan had trained on common sense principles this time and was ready for hard work. The day was fine and thousands witnessed the race. A good start was obtained and the result was never for a moment in doubt. Hanlan came in six lengths ahead, rowing comfortably. The distance was three and three-quarter miles less 110 yards, and the stake $2,500 a side. There was no championship at stake. Hanlan won much as he pleased. Both men were in excellent condition. An enormous crowd witnessed the contest.

A Terrible Night.

Three hundred inhabitants of Jones' island, a desolate strip of land in Lake Michigan, at the mouth of the Milwaukee river, narrowly escaped destruction on the night of Monday last, the 9th inst. The island is surrounded by huge piles of ice and snow. A fearful gale raged that night, and the waves began to wash over the icy barrier. The people were aroused by the flood, and many narrowly escaped death trying to cross the ice to the mainland. The ice was found broken and they returned, wading through slush, ice and water knee deep, and took refuge in the second stories of the larger houses, and wherever they could perch out of reach of the water. The sufferings of the people through the night were terrible, the mercury being 18 below zero. To-day the water gradually receded.

O'Donovan Rossa.

O'Donovan Rossa's career is too well-known to require any explanation. The notorious blatherskite and apostle of dynamite and assassination was born in county Cork, Ireland, in 1832. His father died in March, 1847; and the eviction of the family in June of that year by an alien landlord made him an uncompromising hater of England. For several years he was a shopkeeper, until 1858, when he was arrested for his connection with the Phoenix society, the parent of the Fenian organization. In 1865 he was again imprisoned, and was not released until 1870. He then went to New York, where he kept a hotel until he established the *United Irishman* some years ago. The contents of this journal are eminently ferocious in their nature. Consequently the British government confiscates the United Irishman whenever it finds the opportunity. A feature of its columns is the subscription list recording gifts by Irish-Americans for the purpose of working injury to England by the use of dynamite or other effective secret measures.

A California owl in Sierra valley laid in for his winter supply 80 big mice, several large rats and chipmunks and some sparrows. He lodges in a barn and looks out for a cheerful living.

The Bribery Money.

TO BE CONFISCATED TO THE USE OF THE PROVINCE.

At Monday afternoon's session of the local legislature, Hon. C. F. Fraser introduced a bill calculated to set at rest a much vexed question. It will be remembered that the money given McKim and others for the purpose of bribing them to vote against the government, was by them placed in the hands of the speaker. Shortly afterwards certain creditors of McKim, to wit, Messrs. Stewart & McPherson, of Hamilton, garnisheed this money, and are, it is understood, taking legal action to recover it. Mr. Fraser introduced a bill yesterday, which was read a first time, the purpose of which is to declare the monies known as the bribery monies forfeit to the province, and to protect Mr. Speaker from liability in the matter. This action will head off McKim's creditors nicely. The opposition received the announcement of the bill in dead silence.—*Toronto News.*

A Blazing Torrent.

DISASTROUS RESULTS OF A RAILWAY COLLISION.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. Y., Feb. 6.—A collision occurred between a freight and an oil train, on the Iron Bridge of the Penn. R. R. spanning Raritan river, at 3 o'clock this morning, resulting in the loss of two lives, and the destruction of two locomotives and a great many cars, the partial wreck of one span of the bridge and the burning of two factories, six dwellings, and one hotel. The damage amounts to nearly a million. The collision, as far as ascertained, was due to the carelessness of the conductor of the forward train. This train consisted of freight and oil cars, the latter being in the rear, and was eastward bound. For some reason the train stopped on the bridge with the tail end standing on the shore spans. No flagmen were sent back to warn the approaching trains of danger. The result was that the locomotive of the fast eastbound freight train plunged into the rear of the oil train. The shock was terrific and caused the explosion of the oil car. Streams of burning oil speedily overspread the bridge and ran down the street, igniting everything combustible in their course. Two brakemen of the oil train fell through the bridge to the street with the car in which they were and were burned up. The engineer and fireman of the rear freight train jumped from the cab at George street crossing, seeing a collision was inevitable, and saved themselves. The shock of the explosion aroused the people of the city from their slumbers, and, attracted by the light from the burning cars, hundreds ran to the bridge and attempted to stay the progress of the flames.

A Very Old Woman.

Mya-wau-bol-o-que, commonly known as Granny Peters, died at Rama on Tuesday, at 3 o'clock in the morning. Her name means "The light before sunrise," and refers to her birth. She enjoyed good health up to within a few days of her death, which resulted from old age, and conversed with friends the evening before. She was born, as near as can be told, about the year 1765, on the reservation, on the shore of Lake Simcoe, and was consequently about 120 years old. She recollected vividly incidents of the war of 1812, in which her husband fought among the Indian allies of the British. Her only daughter, Annie, was born about 1800, and married Simon Peters; and John Peters, who now lives at Longford, is the issue of the marriage. Granny Peters was converted by the first missionary who came among them, a Methodist named Peter Jones, about seventy years ago, when she joined the Methodist church, and has since led a Christian life, leaving her friends secure in the hope that she has left earth for a better place. She had a high opinion of white people and wished to live on good terms with them. The funeral took place from Rama church to Chief Island, where the remains were interred yesterday.—*Orillia News-Letter.*

Chinese Driven Out.

During a riot last Saturday night between Chinese at Eureka, California, a stray bullet killed David Kendall, a member of the city council, and another severely wounded a boy. The news created such intense excitement that a mass meeting was called, over a thousand citizens responding. Resolutions of indignation were adopted, and a committee was appointed to notify the Chinese that they must all leave the city. The citizens visited each Chinese house and compelled them to pack up their effects, and then marched them to a warehouse, where they imprisoned them awaiting the departure of a steamer for San Francisco. At a second mass meeting, attended by two thousand, a standing committee was appointed and empowered to prevent any Chinese locating at Eureka in future.

A Soldier Bayonetted.

A private soldier on guard duty at Woolwich arsenal on the night of the 7th inst. saw a man advancing toward his post, and commanded him to halt and give the countersign. The stranger neither halted nor replied, but attempted to walk past the guard line. The sentinel thereupon plunged the bayonet into the man's body, killing him instantly. An account of the occurrence reached London next day, and was exaggerated into a sensational report that dynamiters had attempted to make an attack. An investigation showed that the man killed was a soldier and a comrade of the sentinel, whom he tried to annoy by a silly practical joke.

The word "Nihilist" is fifteen hundred years old.

Bismarck is again ill, and has been ordered to leave Berlin for rest.

England's supply of coal will be exhausted in 2145 at the present rate of consumption.

Yokohama advices state that the gunpowder works near Canton, which exploded on December 22nd, killed two hundred and fifty employes.

A white robin was killed in South Carolina the other day. It had the usual red breast, but the rest of the feathers were white.

The indictment against Bunting, Meek, Wilkinson, and the others in the bribery plot case has been sustained, and the accused will be put on trial.

A marriage has been arranged between the Princess Clementine, daughter of King Leopold, and Prince Albert Victor, eldest son of the Prince of Wales.

Duncan C. Ross and Tom Cannon have signed articles to compete for the all-round athletic championship of the world, in New Orleans, on Sunday, February 15th.

A tremendous snowstorm prevailed in the North-Western States last Monday. In some localities it was accompanied by heavy rain and thunder and lightning. Railway traffic is almost completely stopped.

A statement was read in the various Catholic churches in Manchester, England, last Sunday, denouncing dynamiters as violaters of the laws of God and the church, and as neither true patriots nor true Catholics.

Mr. Kenneth Cameron, son of Mr. Hector Cameron, has just obtained a commission in the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders, on the completion of his studies at the Royal Military College, Kingston, England.

The Prince of Wales has shown his characteristically keen sense of the necessity for even royalty to cultivate the democracy in this age by ordering his son's first appearance at a boy's refuge in the most squalid part of London. The young Prince was as shy and nervous as any of his juvenile audience.

The steamship *Wilmington*, which sailed from San Francisco for Victoria, B. C., on January 26th, with passengers and freight, has not been heard from. She ought to have made the voyage in four days. The steamer *Empire*, which arrived from San Francisco to-night, saw nothing of her, and it is feared she has gone to the bottom.

The statement was cabled home this week from Alexandria that the Canadian voyageurs are to return from the Nile at the beginning of next month. The *Times* correspondent announced that 300 of them would then start on the homeward journey. The *Daily News* representative, on the other hand, states that the whole force will return.

Col. Van Straubenzie favours equipping a Canadian regiment for service in the Soudan. He advocates choosing only the most efficient men picked from various volunteer regiments who have served at least one full term. These, gathered from all parts of the Dominion, would, he thinks, make a fine regiment, and could be quickly got together. He also thinks that the movement would be very popular both in Canada and England.

Advices from the North of England and Scotland seem to warrant the belief that the trade in Canadian store cattle will witness a considerable development in the ensuing season. A writer in a recent number of the *Live Stock Journal* gives some interesting particulars as to the success which has attended the purchase of these beasts by Scotch farmers, stating that in every instance their keep has been amply repaid when sold in the fat market four or five months after arrival.

O'Donovan Rossa about three years ago, says the New York *Tribune*, was a candidate for the position of Customs Inspector. He was examined under the Civil Service rules, and his percentage was far below the mean required. He may be consoled, however, with the encouragement given to him by one of the examiners that if he would devote ten hours a day for the next ten years in hard study of the subjects especially inquired into there would be a bare possibility of his attaining the standard of 65 per cent.

Ex-Judge Fullerton, of New York, who will defend Mrs. Dudley, Rossa's would-be assassin, says he has no doubt the woman is insane, and he will not attempt to prove that there was no intent to kill. Fullerton attributes her mania to having followed up the dynamite warfare, which worked upon her unbalanced mind until she believed it was her duty as an Englishwoman to strike a blow in her country's defence. Fullerton says the only defence practicable is insanity. He thinks that with a little care and expense she will be acquitted.

Frank Abner, fifteen years old, of Cairo, Illinois, has been jailed charged with murdering his grandmother, Mrs. Ross, near Rock Creek. On Monday he went to the woods to play with an older boy, to whom he expressed apprehensions that his grandmother would whip him for neglecting his work. "If she says anything to you, knock her on the head," said his companion. Mrs. Ross administered a reprimand, but did not whip the truant, who went to bed surly and with muttered threats. At midnight he arose and buried an axe in his grandmother's brain, killing her instantly.

—"Why! What's the matter?"

Lady—(With face enveloped in a roll of hot cloths)—"Oh! I'm crazy with that Neuralgia that continually troubles me."

—"Well, how foolish! Why don't you go to Wm. E. Ellis's Drug Store, Fenelon Falls, and get a bottle of Fluid Lightning? It cured me in less than than one minute. I always keep a bottle in the house. It only costs 25 cents."

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If you should be so unfortunate as to Burn, Scald or Wound yourself in any way, the proper thing to keep clean and heal it is McGregor & Parke's Carbolic Cerate. Insist on having, and be sure you get, McGregor & Parke's Carbolic Cerate. Price, 25 cents. Wm. E. Ellis, Druggist, Fenelon Falls, has the genuine.

MARRIED.

MCTAGGART—MURRAY.—At the Manse, Fenelon Falls, by the Rev. Wm. Lochead, on Monday, February 2nd, Mr. Peter McTaggart, of Victoria Road, to Janet, daughter of Mr. Donald Murray, of Somerville.

DIED.

MOFFAT.—At Fenelon Falls, on Sunday, February 8th, Mary, wife of Mr. Wm. Moffat, aged 25 years.

MACDONALD.—At Beveridge Bay, on Sunday, February 8th, from injuries caused by the dynamite explosion on the 27th of January, George P., fourth son of A. P. Macdonald, Esq., of Toronto, aged 28 years.

MINTHORNE.—At Stratford, on Tuesday, February 10th, after a painful illness of three years, Lois Amelia, wife of Mr. M. W. Minthorne, formerly of Fenelon Falls, aged 33 years and 11 months.

POST.—In the township of Fenelon, on Friday, February 13th, Mr. Joseph Post, in the 36th year of his age.

FENELON FALLS MARKETS.

Reported by McDougall & Brandon.

Fenelon Falls, Friday, Feb'y 13th, 1885.

Wheat, fall, per bushel	$0 75	0 75
Wheat, spring, "	0 70	0 75
Barley, per bushel	50	60
Oats, " "	27	30
Pease, " "	50	55
Rye, " "	45	50
Potatoes, "	20	25
Butter, per lb.,	16	18
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs.,	$5 00	$5 75
Beef, per 100 lbs,	$4 50	$5 00
Eggs, per dozen,	18	20
Sheepskins,	30	60
Beef Hides,	$5 00	$6 00
Hardwood, dry, sawed,	$2 50	$3 00
Hardwood, green, sawed,	$2 00	$2 50
Hay, per ton,	$9 00 to	$11 00

New Advertisements.

TENDERS.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned at this Department (marked "Tender for Timber") will be received until noon on

Saturday, 21st of February, 1885,

for the supply of the following quantities of

WHITE PINE TIMBER,

to be delivered where directed

ON THE LOCK GROUNDS, LINDSAY,

not later than the 1st of October next.

1,500 lineal feet of 12 x 12 square, as follows:—

20 pieces in 40 feet lengths.
20 " " 35 " "

544 lineal feet of 12 x 14 square, in 34 feet lengths.

9,302 lineal feet of 12 x 12 square, as follows:—

10 pieces in 40 feet lengths.
12 " " 36 " "
170 " " 30 " "
10 " " 26 " "
10 " " 25 " "
20 " " 23 " "
120 " " 20 " "

3,600 lineal feet of 10 x 12 square, in 12 feet lengths.

1,000 lineal feet of 6 x 9 square in 20 feet lengths.

22,484 feet B. M. of planking, as follows:
584 pieces 3 x 10 in 12 feet lengths.
397 " 1¼ x 10 " 12 " "

The timber furnished must be of good quality, free from unsound knots and defects, and subject to culling.

All timber six inches in thickness or under to be sawn, and the tenders to mention whether the remainder will be hewn or sawn, and give a separate price per lineal foot for timber and per thousand feet B. M. for planking, delivered as stated.

If the timber is hewn it must be made as sufficient size to admit of the sticks being counter-hewn to the full sizes specified.

Each tender must have the *bona fide* signatures of two persons as sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

ROBT. McCALLUM,
Engineer Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Toronto, 6th February, 1885. 51-2.

SPECTACLES.

A full stock of Laurance's famous Spectacles at Ellis's Drug Store. Every pair guaranteed. Call and see them. 46-1y.

Heifer Strayed.

Strayed from the subscriber, about the beginning of November last, a dark red Heifer rising two years old; shows Devon breed; has the shell of one horn broken off.

WM. LOGAN.

Fenelon Falls, Jan'y 13th, 1885. 47.

THE LEADING CASH STORE!

W. W. BLOTT

begs to call the attention of the public to the following

NEW LIST OF CASH PRICES,

the lowest ever yet offered in Fenelon Falls or its vicinity by any dealer in groceries.

SUGARS.

20 lbs. Refined Sugar for - -	$1 00
13½ " Granulated Sugar for -	1 00
17 " Bright Sugar for - -	1 00

SYRUPS.

3 gallons Golden for - - -	$1 00

TEAS.

Special line in Japan, just arrived, finest value in Canada, equal to any 50 cent tea in the market, 30 cents per lb.

NEW FRUIT.

Finest Currants, 16 lbs. for - -	$1 00
" Valentia Raisins, 11 lbs, for	1 00
" London Layers, per lb. - -	15
" Figs in mats, 18 lbs. for -	1 00
" Eleme Figs in boxes, per box	15

Also a large assortment of Oranges and Lemons, Grapes, Nuts, &c.

OYSTERS

in tins and bulk, at closer quotations than you can obtain in the Toronto market.

CANNED GOODS.

British American Salmon, 1884 catch - - -	1 lb. tins,	15c.
New Lobsters - - - -	" "	15c.
" Mackerel - - - -	" "	12c.
" Tomatoes - - - -	3 " "	12c.
" Corn - - - - -	2 " "	12½c.
" Pears - - - - -	2 " "	12½c.
" Apples - - - - -	3 " "	10c.
" Beans - - - - -	2 " "	12½c.

TOBACCOES.

Finest Prince of Wales Chewing	42c. lb.
" Bright Smoking 6's - - -	50c. lb.
" Cut Chewing - - - - -	50c. lb.

The above figures must convince you that the only way to buy your goods cheap is to pay cash.

W. W. BLOTT.

☞ Oyster Rooms up-stairs.

Fenelon Falls, Nov'r 26th, 1884.