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NEW CHOPPING MILL.—Farmers and others are pleased to learn that Mr. Wm. McGinnis has purchased a new chopping mill for reducing all kinds of grain. It will prove a great convenience to the farmers of this section. Mr. McGinnis is known to be a man who will work will be done cheap and well, confidence may be put in the statement. Chopping days, we understand, will be Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

FENNEL FALLS.