

# Dundas & Flavelle Brothers, Dealers in Dry Goods, Clothing, Millinery,

## S. S. RITCHIE

has engaged in other business, and is

### Giving up the Dry Goods Trade

in Lindsay. He is offering the whole of his fine stock of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS at

### Wholesale Prices for Cash.

The Stock is well assorted in Fall and Winter Goods, and consists of  
*Grey and White Cottons, Cottonades, Shirtings, Tickings, Denims, Ducks, Towels and Towelling, Bleached and Colored Table Linens, Hollands, Prints, Dress Linings, Fancy, Grey and Navy Blue Flannels, Full Cloths, Yarns, Kid and Cashmere Gloves, Hosiery, Corsets, Black and Colored Dress Goods in Meltons, Cashmeres, Henriettas, Serges, Silks, Plushes Velveteens, Mantle Cloths, Ready-made Clothing, Overalls, Bed Comforters, Woolen Blankets, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings and Small Wares,*

and other lines too numerous to mention, all of which must be sold and the Store vacated

### BEFORE FEBRUARY NEXT.

Now is the time to get your Fall and Winter Goods at, and many lines below, *Wholesale Prices for Cash only.*

S. S. RITCHIE,  
 Kent St., Lindsay.

(Great Bargain House.)

## SOMETHING NEW.

### GENTLEMEN, ATTENTION!

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF

### NEW SPRING TAILORING GOODS,

composed of French and English Suitings and Trouserings, Scotch, Irish and Canadian Tweeds, which were bought early and at a low price from a large assortment of goods. Come early and choose your Spring Clothing while the stock is new, and get a Nobby Suit, well made and trimmed.

### A NEAT FIT GUARANTEED.

Prices Away Down for Cash.

## CATHRO & Co

Opposite McLennan's Hardware Store, Lindsay.

## W. McKEOWN

Is Selling His Entire Stock of

## FURNITURE

at and

### Below Wholesale Cost

of manufacture, in order to make room for new designs and patterns. Call early and secure bargains, as I am selling cheaper than any dealer in the County.

### DOORS, SASH, MOULDINGS ETC.

KEPT IN STOCK AND MADE TO ORDER. ALL WORK WARRANTED. UNDERTAKING ATTENDED TO IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

## W. McKeown,

FRANCIS STREET WEST, FENELON FALLS.

I have now on hand full supplies of

## SPRING GOODS.

### SHOVELS, SPADES, PICKS,

AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

### AGRICULTURAL \* TOOLS!

Johnston's Celebrated MIXED PAINTS and White Lead.

All Brands of Machine Oils.

A New Lot of Daisy Barrel Churns, the Best Churn in the Market.

### Too Much Stock and Too Little Money!

### WILL SELL AWAY DOWN FOR SPOT CASH.

Rags Taken in Exchange for Tinware Only.

## JOSEPH HEARD.

## THOMAS ROBSON,

IRON FOUNDER & MACHINIST,

MANUFACTURER OF

### AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

### Engine and Mill Work

AND REPAIRS OF ALL KINDS

PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

### Bridge Bolts Made to Order.

*Horse Powers, Straw Cutters, 2 and 3-furrow Gang Ploughs and a good variety of General Purpose Ploughs. A good assortment of Spring-tooth Harrows, Steel Harrows, Iron Harrows and Wood Harrows*

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT LOW PRICES TO MEET THE TIMES.

THOMAS ROBSON.

Fenelon Falls, Ont.

### The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, October 10th, 1890.

### The South Ward Boys.

It is something over a year since the mischievous little rascals south of the river saw the error of their ways and left off doing evil, not because they lost their love of it, but because the fright given to the few who were taken before Col. Deacon had a salutary effect, not only upon them, but upon their wide circle of friends and acquaintances. It will be remembered that on that occasion a group of juvenile depredators were charged with breaking into the railway station and abstracting a few hundred cigars, to be used for the purpose of making men of themselves while they were infants in the eyes of the law, and not much more in reality. The terror produced by the interview with Col. Deacon has evidently faded from their minds, and, judging by their actions, they stand in need of something worse than a scaring; for they have again selected the Grand Trunk railway as their field of operations. This time they probably considered it unsafe to repeat their last offence, but instead hit upon a new pastime, which was no other than abstracting the packing and black oil from the axle box of a loaded car in Smith's lumber yard. This done, the thought apparently struck them that the car would not run well without packing of some kind; so, to make it go nice and smoothly, they filled the boxes with sand and gravel. The matter was placed in the hands of G. T. R. detective Spence, who came to the Falls on Wednesday, ferreted out and severely reprimanded the culprits, and informed their parents that, should the like ever occur again, the law will be allowed to deal with the offenders. Had this particular car been put in transit without packing, it is hard to conjecture what the result would have been; but luckily its condition was discovered in time to prevent an accident.

### A Valuable Invention,

Although an immense amount of time and money is annually expended in devising, producing and patenting articles that ultimately prove worthless, some few inventors derive large fortunes from the fruits of their ingenuity, and sometimes apparently trifling articles prove exceedingly valuable. Among the lucky ones is our old acquaintance Mr. Hugh Silver, of Lindsay, who holds the patent for a new kind of veneering which, though very attractive in appearance, can be produced at a very trifling cost. A large manufactory of the article is nearly ready to commence operations at Mimico, and the *Toronto News* which recently contained a cut of the building, says:—

Last year Mr. Hugh Silver, of Lindsay, patented an invention for manufacturing interior decorations of wood in elaborate designs for the inside finish of residences. It has the exact appearance of the most expensive finishings in mahogany or any other wood, and is produced at a fraction of the expense. Already it is causing a revolution in the art of making artistic designs for the embellishment of walls, ceilings and floors of palatial homes. But it can be produced so much cheaper than the article formerly used that the houses of the cheaper class can also be beautified. Already the company have many orders to manufacture from Toronto builders. Many other lines of manufacture in the same article will be produced, but the leading industry is the interior decoration of houses. The invention has been indorsed by architects and builders everywhere, and patents have been applied for in all countries of the world. The secret lies in taking a cheap wood,

say basswood, and by a process of staining, pressing and another preparation the thin sheets of wood are made into artistic patterns in imitation of any expensive wood, from which it cannot be distinguished when used in residences. The amount of stock subscribed is \$16,000. The directors of the company are Messrs. Joseph Barrett, S. S. Ritchie, H. G. Silver, George Pears, jr., and Wm. Parsons. How many employees the factory will engage cannot yet be exactly stated, but the number will be between one hundred and two hundred.

### School Board Meeting.

Fenelon Falls, Sep. 30th.

The board met. Present, all the members except Mr. Austin.

Moved by Mr. Ellis, seconded by Mr. Nevison, That the following accounts be paid, and the chairman give his orders for the same:

Mr. McDougall, salary	- \$137 50
Miss Anderson do.	- 75 00
Miss McNiven do.	- 68 75
Miss Hand, do.	- 53 12½
Miss Sullivan, do.	- 75 00
Miss Haskill, do.	- 53 12½
Thos. Northey, do.	- 20 00
Wm. McKendry, do.	- 11 25
do. do. piling wood,	- 2 25
Thos. Northey, cleaning w. c.	- 5 00

—Carried.  
 Moved by Mr. Nevison, seconded by Mr. Ellis, That Mr. D. McDougall be retained for the year 1891 at a salary of \$600.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Nie, seconded by Mr. Robson, That the chairman and secretary wait on the different teachers of the village schools regarding re-engagement for the year 1891.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Robson, seconded by Mr. Nie, That Mr. Reazin's semi-annual report be adopted as received, and that this board is very much pleased with the report.—Carried.

### MR. REAZIN'S REPORT.

Fenelon Falls, Sept. 29th, 1890.

To the Board of Education,  
 Fenelon Falls.

Gentlemen,—

I have the honor to state that during yesterday and to-day I have made my semi-annual inspection of the different departments of the Fenelon public schools, and beg to make the following report:—

#### NORTH WARD.

Grade 1.—On roll, 35; present, 30. Order and management, decidedly good.

Grade 2.—On roll, 41; present, 30. Order and management, good.

Grade 3.—On roll, 62; present, 35. Order and management, good.

Grade 4.—On roll, 84; present, 67. Order and management not good, but considerably improved since my last half-yearly inspection. Apart from the government, there is no fault to find with the teaching in Grade 4.

#### SOUTH WARD.

Grade 1.—On roll, 72; present, 40. Order and management, good.

Grade 2.—On roll, 81; present, 40. Order and management, good.

I regret to say that the certificate of the teacher of Grade 2, south ward, expires at the close of this year, and she is not eligible for re-engagement.

The standard and efficiency of the schools as a whole have made a decided advance during the incumbency of the present head master, as proof of which I take great pleasure in calling your attention to the success of Fenelon Falls pupils at entrance and third class teachers' examinations.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Your obed't servant,

HENRY REAZIN,

Inspector.

### Personals.

M. Henry Martin returned to Parry harbour last Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Sandford returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Robson, of Lindsay, is on a visit to her uncle, Mr. Thomas Robson.

Mrs. William Sewell, who left the Falls on the 23rd of June to visit her relatives in Ireland, got home last week.

Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Robertson and family, of Peterborough, were at the falls from Saturday last until Monday.

Mrs. Annie Clark, of Rochester, N. Y., is at the Falls on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Stephen Nevison, and will stay for some months.

Mr. Robert Jones, who has served his time as an apprentice to the tinsmith business with Mr. Heard, is about to leave for Oshawa.

Mr. W. W. Blott has been suffering for several days from an attack of inflammation of the lungs, but, under the care of Dr. Graham, is now recovering.

Mr. & Mrs. John Barrett, of Toronto, are at the Falls. Mr. Barrett was laid up for several weeks with typhoid fever, and came here for a change of air, which appears to be doing him a great deal of good.

Mr. Wm. Adams, of Bowmanville, is at Mr. Heard's learning the hardware business, in which he intends to start for himself as soon as he knows enough about it and can find a good opening.

Mr. James Dickson left last Wednesday for his annual Government survey, somewhere between here and Manitoba. Mr. James Cullon, of this village, and Mr. William Smith, of Rosedale, accompanied him.

### Mechanics' Institute Meeting.

Board met at regular meeting, Mr. T. Robson in the chair. Directors present, Messrs. Nie, Clark, Arnold, Hugh McDougall and D. McDougall.

Moved by Mr. H. McDougall, seconded by Mr. D. McDougall, That the minutes of last meeting as read be adopted.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. H. McDougall, seconded by Mr. Arnold, That the following accounts be paid: J. J. Brandon, \$6.60; S. Nevison, \$3.63; Jos. Heard, \$5.14.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. D. McDougall, seconded by Mr. Arnold, That Messrs T. Robson and H. McDougall be a deputation, to wait on Mr. J. A. Ellis with regard to rent and the repairing of the Institute and report at next meeting.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Arnold, seconded by Mr. Nie, That the secretary be instructed to write Mr. Williamson, Port Hope, with regard to his settlement of an account with the *Monetary Times* office.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. D. McDougall, seconded by Mr. Nie, That Mr. H. McDougall be instructed to communicate with Mr. J. W. Bengough, of Toronto, with a view of his giving an entertainment in aid of our institute at some future date.—Carried.

The board then adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman.

POSTPONED.—The concert in aid of the Methodist Church organ fund, which was to have been held on Tuesday evening last, was postponed on account of the weather, but the date has not yet been fixed.

SOUTH VICTORIA.—Mr. Wm. Lowndsbrough, of Mariposa, is to be the Reform candidate in the approaching bye election for the Commons in South Victoria. The Conservatives have not yet chosen their man.

ORANGE ENTERTAINMENT.—We are requested to give notice that the Orange-men of Fenelon Falls intend to give an entertainment on the 5th of November, instead of their annual tea meeting. No pains will be spared to make the programme attractive. Posters will appear later.

LIVE STOCK.—Our villager, Mr. Henry Austin, is doing his best to clear this part of the province of live stock, which he is forwarding to Toronto at the rate of three carloads per week. Messrs. Wm. Webster, Joseph Moynes and Wm. Waffle, his buyers, are incessantly scouring the country, and since Monday last 64 head of cattle and 50 sheep and lambs have left the station here.

A PURCHASE.—Dr. H. H. Graham has purchased Mrs. Calder's property, consisting of a frame house and quarter acre of land on Francis street, for \$600; about what it is worth in the present depressed state of the village. The doctor intends to move the house farther back, convert it into an office and kitchen, and build a larger dwelling in front. It is a capital location for a medical man, being within a very few rods of the main street.

METHODIST ANNIVERSARY.—The Fenelon Falls Methodist Church anniversary is to be held this year in October instead of Christmas, and sermons will be preached on Sunday next, the 12th, by the Rev. C. L. Thompson, of Warkworth. On Tuesday, the 14th, there will be a tea-meeting in the basement of the church, and addresses will be delivered by Revs. C. L. Thompson, Moses Metherell and others. Admission: adults, 25; children under 12 years of age, 15 cents. Choice selections of music will be rendered by the choir.

A SPORTING PARTY.—On Wednesday afternoon eight of our villagers—viz, Messrs. E. R. Edwards, Geo. Whittle, Thomas Robson, W. E. Ellis, Edward Fitzgerald, F. R. Bailey, George Cunningham, and Mac McCallum—left by train for Haliburton, with about a dozen hounds and all the necessary appurtenances, appliances and provisions for a fishing and hunting expedition on a grand and effective scale. The scene of their exploits will be on and around the Madawaska river, where it flows through the township of Ayr, and they expect to be away from home at least three weeks. Messrs. Henry Austin, John Chambers, Jr., Joseph Moynes and Wm. Waffle will follow them tomorrow. We wish them plenty of sport, and, in return, shall expect our customary annual chunk of venison, when they come back laden with the spoils of the chase.