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Fenelon Falls, April 2nd, 1891.

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THOMAS ROBSON.

Fenelon Falls, Ont.

The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, October 2nd, 1891.

No Compromise.

The Week, commenting upon the majority report of the committee on the Cochrane affair, says: "When a majority of twenty five in the Canadian House of Commons, all of whom are supposed to have heard or read the evidence, can solemnly declare by their votes that the sums of money received by those who received the appointments in question were voluntary contributions, and that there was no evidence of knowledge and complicity on the part of the representative of the riding, it is evident that there is no longer anything to hope for from the high moral sense of the House as at present constituted." So far so good; but *The Week*, after remarking that Mr. Cochrane's guilt was not proved by evidence that would have warranted a verdict of guilty in a court of justice, expresses its regret that the Opposition did not modify its report accordingly, in which case, it thinks, no majority, however subservient, would have voted it down. In other words, what *The Week* means is, that the Opposition's report should have been so milk-and-water that Tories could agree to it, and Mr. Cochrane would have escaped with the unanimous but comparatively mild censure of the Committee. But the Opposition did their plain and obvious duty, which was to "boldly nominate a spade, a spade," and the entire odium of saving Mr. Cochrane from the fitting punishment of his misdeeds had to be incurred by his political friends. A "coalition" report would no doubt have been highly pleasing to them; but if they expected that the Opposition would agree to any compromise of principle they were greatly mistaken.

Fenelon Agricultural Show.

The annual fall show of the Fenelon Branch Agricultural Society was held in the park south of the River on Monday and Tuesday last; but we could not get the prize list in time for this week's *Gazette*. The show was something better than that of last year, though not much to boast of; and the weather being very fine, though the second day was unpleasantly windy, there was a very fair attendance of spectators. There was a very good exhibit of horses, many of them fine ones; but cattle were not so numerous as they should have been, nor were they as "slick" looking as animals brought on to a show ground are expected to be. There were just twelve lots of sheep and only five pigs and the coops of poultry were not quite as numerous as last year. Where the entries are so few as they are at most of the local exhibitions it is useless to particularize, as almost every animal or article worth mentioning gets a ticket, and the owner's name appears in the prize list. As usual, Mr. Robson, of the Cameron Lake foundry, was on the ground with a fine show of implements, and the Sylvester foundry, of Lindsay, was also well represented. The show of grain, fruit and vegetables was greatly superior to that of last year, but there were very few entries of bread, cheese or butter. The ladies' department was fully up to the average, though we have seen far less vacant space on the walls of the same hall; but that was when the village merchants used to help the show by sending some of the most attractive wares from their respective stores. The charms of music were not wanting, as Mr. A. R. Bradshaw was present with two very fine organs, (one by Bell of Guelph, and the

other from the Berlin factory,) at which Mr. Leonard Smith presided, though visitors who wished to do so were allowed to try the instruments. In the afternoon of the second day there was the inevitable trotting match, and a short time before it commenced, an accident, though fortunately not a serious one, occurred. Just as Mr. E. R. Edwards was in the act of turning his buggy on the track, the trotting horse Valentine came along at a rattling pace, and the left shaft of the sulky went between two of the spokes of a hind wheel of the buggy, which was thrown on to its side, Mr. Edwards jumping out and alighting on his feet. Neither he nor Mr. Hickey, the owner of Valentine, was hurt, nor did either of the horses receive a scratch; but the buggy team sprang forward so suddenly that they broke a tug and a whiffletree, and the sulky was rather badly damaged.

North Verulam.

Correspondence of the Gazette.

The chipmunk exterminators of Bury's Green held their annual shooting on the 17th inst., and as it was a very fine day there was a good turn out of the boys. At about 5 o'clock in the morning the first shot was fired, and from that time until 6 in the evening guns were heard about every minute, and a great number of game of all kinds were brought in. A grand supper was provided by Mr. R. Gamble, and after supper two captains were appointed and chose sides, and the game was counted. There were seven hundred and twenty-nine chipmunks killed during the day. The sportsmen making the most points received prizes. Among the winners were Messrs. John Armstrong, James Armstrong, C. Hopkins, W. Gamble, E. Hopkins and T. Akister. After the prizes had been given a very pleasant evening was spent in the parlor. There were songs, readings and recitations, and instrumental music was supplied by Mr. R. Gamble on an accordion. The programme was brought to a close by all the boys going outside and firing off their guns, after which each young man took home his best girl.

Mr. John Newhouse, who left here last spring for Kent County, near Lake Erie, is back visiting friends, and he speaks well of that country.

Mr. Thomas Walker is very sick at present with pleurisy in his side. We hope for his speedy recovery.

Personals.

Mr. G. F. Cairnie, one of the G. T. R.'s civil engineers, was at the Falls yesterday morning, on his way from Haliburton (where he has been stationed for some time past) to Peterborough. While here he took measurements for a new railway bridge above the Falls, but could give us no information as to when it is likely to be built.

Miss Fitzgerald and her brother, Mr. Edward Fitzgerald, left yesterday morning to visit their sister, Mrs. E. B. Borland, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Mrs. John Austin, accompanied by the youngest three of her children, left this morning to visit her sister at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

PROLOGUED.—Parliament was prorogued on Wednesday last, and on account of the length of the session, which has been one of the longest on record, the members are all to be paid an extra \$500.

TEACHER'S MEETING.—The twenty-eighth semi-annual meeting of the West Victoria Teachers' Association will be held in the Oakwood public school on Thursday and Friday next, the 8th and 9th inst., and the village schools will of course be closed on those days.

A SUBSTITUTE GOT.—Mr. Thomas Johnston, of this village, has been chosen as a substitute for Mr. Peter Moffat re the anti Barron protest. Bro. Hughes tells us that there were twenty candidates for the position, but does not inform us who the other nineteen were, or why Mr. Johnston had the preference.

SPOOLING FOR A FIGHT.—Major Sam Hughes (of the *Wardner*) says that nothing would please him better than leading a Canadian contingent in the event of England being involved in the predicted European war. Sam's a hero, as everybody knows; and it may yet be his good luck to expire heroically from the effects of a bullet through some part of his anatomy, or a sudden attack of bayonet in the bowels. So mote it be.

BADLY SHAKEN.—At a late hour on Monday night as Mr. John Schell, Sr., of Somerville, was driving to Fenelon Falls with a horse and buggy to get some repairs to a part of his threshing machine, his horse took fright at something about a mile distant from the village, and kicked itself away from the rig, or the rig from it. Mr. Schell, who is getting old, threw himself out, and, although no bones were broken, received such a shaking up that he had Dr. Wilson to minister to his needs.

EGGS.—During a period of but little more than six weeks the "Red Store" has shipped on hundred cases of eggs to Thompson & Co., of Prescott. As each case contains forty-nine dozen, the total number of eggs was 58,800, which is pretty good for one store. How many have been sent away by the other stores we do not know; but in all probability at least half a million eggs, worth \$5,000 are handled every season by our village merchants.

HURT AT THE SHOW.—On Tuesday last, the second day of the agricultural show, while Mr. Wm. Isaac, of Fenelon, was sitting on the counter of a booth put up for the sale of refreshments, the roof, upon which a number of boys had climbed, suddenly fell upon him and bruised him sufficiently to render the attentions of Dr. Wilson necessary. There were several men on the counter, but all escaped except Mr. Isaac, and his injuries, we are glad to learn, are not at all serious.

ACCIDENT.—On Thursday of last week, Samuel John Moore, aged 6 years, son of Mr. John Moore, of Fenelon, met with a painful accident while his parents were at the Central Exhibition at Lindsay. His brother was ploughing, and in the evening the little fellow went to the field for the purpose of getting a ride home. He bravely climbed on to one of the horses, but, not being an efficient jockey, he fell off and broke his left arm just above the elbow. Dr. Graham was immediately summoned, and, after administering chloroform, set the arm, which is now doing as well as can be expected.

PARTRIDGES.—On Wednesday evening a partridge flew through one of the panes of glass over the door of McDougall & Brandon's store, and fell at the feet of Mr. Fred. Cullon. Before he could stoop to pick it up, it recovered sufficiently to fly out at the open door; but was so stunned or dazed that it dropped at the other side of the street, and was caught by Mr. John T. Thompson, who immediately wrung its neck. The next morning another partridge made its appearance in the business part of the village. When first seen it was coming from behind Mr. Jordan's corner store, and, after crossing Colborne street, it alighted at the rear of Ingram's hall, where it walked around for a few minutes, but was gone before anybody could get a gun.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—Yesterday afternoon, while Messrs. Thomas Henley, Andrew Torrance and Thomas McDairmid were pulling down the large ice-house on Mr. John A. Ellis's mill site, one of the bents fell, and Mr. Torrance, who could not get out of the way in time, was caught beneath it. The wall being grouted with saw-dust, and consequently very heavy, it is a wonder he was not killed outright, and the men who immediately set to work to remove the mass beneath which he was completely hidden, almost expected to find him dead. He is badly bruised on the back and breast, there is a nasty cut on his face, and Dr. Wilson, who is attending him, is not yet quite certain that one of his ribs is not broken; but, unless he has received internal injuries, he will probably be out again in a few days.

The twins of Lacona, rivals of the famous Siamese pair, have just arrived in New York. They are known as the Tocci brothers and were born in Lacona, Italy, July 4, 1875. They have one pair of legs, four arms and two heads. One head is of fair complexion, resembling the mother, and speaks Italian and French. The other head is of dark complexion, like the father, and speaks German and English. The Tocci brothers usually eat with both mouths.

Two men in a boat were fishing at Daytona, Fla., last week. One of the men hooked a big tarpon, and, having a very small line, was compelled to humor him in his meanderings, which lasted for seven hours. After the tarpon had towed the boat containing the two men up and down from ten in the morning until five in the afternoon, they succeeded in shooting him and then pulled him ashore. When weighed, he tipped the scales at seventy-five pounds.

The town of St. Croix, in the Jura, having 6,000 inhabitants, was very desirous of having a railway. Several plans were formulated, but before anything definite could be settled a philanthropist named William Barbey offered to build the line at his own expense, upon the condition that traffic should be entirely suspended on Sundays. The proposal was accepted, and Mr. Barbey and a few friends are furnishing the capital required, this being estimated at £92,000.

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