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THOMAS ROBSON.

Fenelon Falls, Ont.

The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, October 22nd, 1891.

Dairying in Denmark.

A letter in the *Dairy Graphic*, from the pen of Mr. Wm. Woodall, an English M. P., describing dairy farming in Denmark, has attracted a great deal of attention, and it is a pity it cannot be read by every Canadian farmer. Thirty years ago Danish butter was of very ordinary quality; but, thanks to improved methods of dairying, it has improved so extraordinarily that in 1889 Denmark sent to England alone butter to the enormous value of \$18,700,000. Strange to say, while the number of cows only increased by about 700, the export of butter grew from 130,000 cwt. to 357,000 cwt., and scientific methods of feeding and treating the cows has reduced the cost of producing 100 lbs of milk to but little more than half what it formerly was. What has been done by the Danish farmers can be done by the farmers of Ontario if they will only take the necessary trouble, as the climate, soil and cattle are no better there than here. But farming here is, for the most part, conducted on a miserable slipshod principal, to which may be attributed the debt and difficulty under which so many of our farmers labor. The owners of cows in Denmark have learned that, if the highest possible profit is to be made out of them they must have the choicest food and the greatest care, and the sooner Canadian farmers learn the same thing the better for them and their cows.

The G. O. M. on Free Trade.

At a recent meeting at Newcastle Mr. Gladstone spoke as follows regarding free trade, and even the *London Times*, though strongly opposed to him, unhesitatingly endorses his remarks:—"The triumph of free trade I dwell upon not so much because it has added, as it has done, enormously to the wealth and number of our capitalists, but because it has gone down to the middle classes and to the masses of the people; and although we have still much to do for them in amending, as I hope, the conditions of their life, a great amendment has been achieved, mainly through the operation of legislative change from protection to freedom. This great amendment has been achieved, and upon the whole, as we know from the labors of the best and most impartial of statisticians, 50 per cent. has been added to the earnings of our workmen in general—sometimes more sometimes less—but under such conditions upon the whole that that is no overstatement of the case. The custody of such results is a sacred duty. It is a duty that will require all your firmness, because after all there are temptations, to which we cannot expect all men always to be insensible, to seek their own particular interest by what they do not see to be, but what really is, sacrifice of the public good. My confident expectation is that, as England was faithful to the charge of political freedom, and set a good example to the world long before they were prepared to receive it, in those great circumstances which determined the course of our history 30, 40 or 50 years ago, and upon which were expended the labors of men as honest, as distinguished, as ever undertook the duties of public life in this or any other country, so again you will be faithful to your vocation, and that it shall be recorded by those who may come after us, by the pen of the impartial historian, that, for the purpose of establishing the rights of industry, of giving every man fair play

and enabling him to turn to the best account according to his best judgement the gifts, mental or corporeal, with which God has endowed him, England here also was the standard bearer of the nations, and taught them the safe, the just and the honorable way to durable public prosperity."

An Old Verulam Boy Honored.

We clip the following from the *Brockville Recorder* of the 23rd ult.:

"There are many in Brockville who have heard with regret that Mr. Robert Junkin, general agent of the Sun Life Assurance Co., is about to remove from Brockville to Ottawa. Last evening Mr. Junkin was invited to the residence of Mr. Wm. Coates, where were gathered a number of co-workers in the Wall street Methodist Sabbath school, who presented him with a handsome Bible and the following address, which was signed by the pastor and a large number of the members of the church:

"To Robert Junkin, Esq.: "DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—We cannot allow you to sever your connection with the Sabbath school without giving expression to our appreciation of the excellent and faithful services which you have rendered in this department of church work. We trust that you will accept this Bible as a small memento of our appreciation of you, and a souvenir of the days spent amongst us. We pray that in your new field of toil the presence and blessing of God may attend you and your family, and that you may long live to labor in the cause of the World's Redeemer, and that the promises of His Holy Book may be your comfort and stay amid the changing scenes of life."

The same paper in its next day's issue says:

"The esteem in which Mr. R. Junkin, general agent of the Sun Life, who has been transferred to Ottawa, is held by the business people of Brockville, was shown yesterday, when, before his departure for Ottawa, a number of them, headed by Mr. Geo. J. Mallory, waited upon him and presented him with a handsome gold watch and chain and seal. One pleasing feature in connection with the presentation was the absence of the stereotyped address which usually accompanies presentations. There are none in Brockville who have come in contact with Mr. Junkin, either in a business capacity or otherwise, who are not sorry that his business affairs necessitated his removal from our midst, and in a few well-chosen words Mr. Mallory, in making the presentation, emphasized this fact.

"Mr. Junkin replied, expressing the regret he felt at leaving Brockville, and assuring his friends here that he would always remember them with feelings of the kindest regards. "During the years of Mr. Junkin's residence in Brockville he has proved himself not only a good citizen but a business man of sterling method, and we are sure he will prove quite as successful and be equally as popular in his new home at the capital as he was here."

The *Ottawa Evening Journal* quotes the latter of the above two notices, and says:

"Ottawa people extend their congratulations to Mr. Junkin in thus winning the respect and good will of his fellow citizens of Brockville, as is evidenced by their magnificent gift to him, and welcome him to Ottawa, where he and his company, the "Sun" Life, should have a bright future."

The subject of the above remarks is well and favorably known in this neighborhood, he being the son of Mr. John Junkin, Sr., of Verulam; and that one of its "boys" is worthy of such unstinted praise speaks well for the township, and must be a source of satisfaction to his numerous relatives. We extend our congratulations to Mr. Junkin, and hope that his residence at Ottawa may be long and happy and his business prosperous; trusting at the same that his good Reform principles may not be contaminated by the corrupt political atmosphere of the capital.

The Late George Bick.

We are indebted to the *Independent* for the following obituary of the late George Bick, whose death at Bobcaygeon was recorded in our last issue:

"Mr. Bick was born in Gloucester, England, and came to this country when 16 years of age, coming to Verulam in 1836 with the Dunsford family. In 1843 he married, and has had a family of six sons and two daughters. Two of his sons and one daughter died, and some four years ago Mrs. Bick departed this life. For fifty-five years he has been identified with the public affairs of Verulam. He was the second Assessor of the township, and was Clerk of the Council for 25 years. In 1858 he was appointed a Justice of the Peace, and several times occupied the position of Reeve of Verulam and the village of Bobcaygeon. He also for some 25 years held the position of Government wood-ranger, and was an authority in estimating the value of timber lands. In 1886 he contested the East Victoria seat in the Local Legislature, in the Liberal interest, but was defeated by the present member, Mr. John Fell. Had he lived until the 20th of this month he would have completed his 71st year. He possessed the happy tact of remaining on friendly terms with all men, and, as one of the few remaining links with the early days of the district, his removal will be a loss to a great number of friends. Being a member of the Masonic fraternity, he was borne to the grave by the members of that order, the usual Masonic ceremonies following the Methodist service, by the Rev. T. Snowdon and J. Meghway. The Orangemen also marched in procession, and the funeral was very largely attended not only by neighbors but by many officials and friends from a distance."

The Remainder of the Prize List.

Mr. Naylor, secretary of the Fenelon Branch Agricultural Society, has supplied us with the portion of the prize list that was missing last week; with the explanation that, after a fair copy of the list had been written out for publication, one of the sheets was mislaid, and did not turn up in time to appear with the rest. But "all's well that ends well," and the missing portion will be found below:

Poultry.—Guinea fowls, 1 Walter H. Stevenson. Black Spanish, 1 George Manning. Silver Hamburgs, 1 Geo. Manning. White Leghorns, 1 G. M. Pearce, 2 Geo. Manning. Brown Leghorns, 1 G. M. Pearce. Game chickens, 1 John Quiball. Bantams, 1 & 2 Geo. Manning. Grey geese, 1 Naylor & Son, 2 W. H. Stevenson. White ducks, 1 Geo. Manning. Turkeys, 1 W. H. Stevenson.

Agricultural Manufactures.—New plough, 1 T. Robson, 2 Sylvester. Two furrow plough, 1 T. Robson, 2 Sylvester. Wooden harrow, 1 Thos. Robson. Roller, 1 T. Robson. Scuffer, 1 Sylvester, 2 T. Robson. Cultivator, 1 T. Robson. Root cutter, (recommended,) 1 T. Robson, 2 Sylvester. Horse shoes, 1 T. Robson. New pair boots, handmade, 1 G. M. Pearce. Set new harness, 1 W. A. Fanning.

Powles' Corners.

Correspondence of the Gazette.

Mr. Robert Argue, of Manvers, is paying a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Powles. The old gentleman is about 92 years of age, and a short time ago was taken very sick while visiting at Waubashene, but at present is quite smart. It is not at all likely, however, that he will be able to make another annual visit.

The potato crop in this section is about on a par with last year's. Mr. John Parrish had the best crop of Murphies in this locality.

More honors for Champion Fred and his proprietor, Mr. E. Baacock. C. F. carried off the first prize at the Central fair held in Lindsay, and some of his colts figured conspicuously at the Fenelon Falls show, taking first prizes with a strong competition.

The Sabbath school anniversary will be held here on Sunday and Monday, the 25th and 26th inst. Tea will be served in Willock's hall from 4 until 7:30 p. m. Proceeds in aid of the Sabbath school.

Mechanics' Institute.

Fenelon Falls, Oct. 20th, 1891.

The Board met this evening. Present, the President, in the chair, and Directors D. McDougall, Nie, McKenzie and W. L. Robson. The minutes of last meeting having been read and approved, it was

Moved by Mr. McDougall, seconded by Mr. Nie, That the purchasing of the *Dominion Illustrated* and the *Encyclopaedia Britannica* be laid by until next meeting of the Board.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Nie, seconded by Mr. D. McDougall, That the following accounts be paid:—E. D. Hand, \$2 50; Wm. McKeown, \$9 00; McDougall & Brandon, \$3 75.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. W. L. Robson, seconded by Mr. McKenzie, That the Institute get their periodicals from the Toronto News Co. for ensuing year, instead of Mr. Williamson of Port Hope, who has recently been supplying the Institute with those works, as the Institute can do better with the News Co. of Toronto.—Carried.

Personals.

Rev. James Fraser left last Saturday to attend the Baptist convention at Toronto.

Mr. & Miss Richardson, of Manilla, were visiting at Mr. A. Clark, Jr.'s from Friday last until Tuesday.

Rev. Wm. Logan spent part of last week at the Falls, and left to visit his son, Dr. J. R. Logan, at Grand Forks, Dakota.

Mr. Nelson Vannier, who left on the 1st of April for Vancouver, is home. He has travelled along the coast from Alaska to Oregon, but has seen no place he likes better than Ontario.

Mr. Robert Dewart, eldest son of Mr. Wm. Dewart, has been visiting his relatives in this village and its vicinity. He says the family are all in good health and that his father is doing well in the real estate business at Rochester.

Six young ladies, viz., Annie Robson, Annie Rutherford, Ella McDairmid, Minnie Ingram, Beth Ellis and Minnie Clark, members of the Y. P. S. C. E., left on Wednesday to attend the grand convention of that Society held this week at Peterborough.

Mrs. A. Wilson and Mrs. W. T. Junkin left for Lindsay last Monday in consequence of receiving word that Mrs. E. S. Wilson was dangerously ill. The patient was so much better by the afternoon