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Hardware, Tinware & Stoves.

Lowest Prices in the County for

Shovels, Hay and Manure Forks,

Nails, Building Paper, Paints, Oils &c.

COMMON SENSE BINDER TWINE,

Agent for P. Hamilton's Farm Implements and McColl Bros.' Lardine Machine Oil.

THE PATRONS WILL BE STARTLED

at the small profits at which I will sell for spot cash.

JOS. HEARD.

Fenelon Falls, May 4th, 192.

LADIES!

HAVE YOU

Purchased your hat or bonnet for winter wear?

IF NOT,

Don't do so until you have inspected my complete assortment of the latest fashions. The prices will be found very low for the best goods. I have a large stock of ribbons, feathers, velvets, birds and wings. I also can give you the leading styles in dress and mantle making.

COME

And see for yourself.

Mrs. R. McDOUGALL,

Two doors North of the Post-office.

Fenelon Falls, October 27th, 1892.

HERE YOU ARE!

I have on hand a number of Men's, Boys' and Youths'

OVER-COATS,

which I will sell

AT COST PRICES FOR CASH,

as I do not want to carry them over. Now is your time to get a good Over-coat cheap. These goods are

All New and of the Latest Styles,

and made by one of the best houses in the Dominion.

-ALSO,-

A Large Stock of Boots and Shoes

at prices to suit the times.

Groceries, Crockery and Glass-ware.

A full line of the best goods to be had always on hand.

J. M'FARLAND,

Twomey's Block.

Fenelon Falls, January 27th, 1892.

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

A Great Change

has come over the

FARM MACHINES

-AND-

IMPLEMENTS

this year. Call and examine the

New Binders and New Mowers

set up for your inspection at

Robson's Show Room.

Nothing but the best Machines kept.

PRICES LOWER THAN EVER.

Come and examine the

New Fanning Mill

and get the prices before leaving the Falls.

The best brands of

BINDER TWINE

kept in stock at the lowest prices.

Brantford Repairs Always on Hand.

Thanking my numerous customers for their liberal patronage in the past, I beg to assure them that no effort will be spared to deserve a continuance of it in the future.

THOMAS ROBSON.

Fenelon Falls, April 27th, 1892.

The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, November 11th, 1892.

The Presidential Election.

Mr. Cleveland, the democratic candidate, was elected President of the United States on Tuesday last. The chief "factor" in the defeat of Harrison was the McKinley tariff, which is as unpopular in the States as it is in Canada, and which will probably be greatly modified before long.

The Assizes.

The Victoria Fall Assizes opened at Lindsay on Monday last, Mr. Justice Falconbridge presiding and Mr. M. G. Cameron having charge of the Crown business. Of the voters' lists perjury cases three went before the grand jury, and were so promptly disposed of, by "no bills" being found, that the others were withdrawn, and may or may not be tried elsewhere at some future date. The trial of James Gallagher for larceny was laid over, and the trial of Wm. Jackett for assault on Wm. Davis resulted in his acquittal.

Our Poor Farmers.

The news received last week that the British Board of Agriculture had ordered 1,200 Canadian cattle to be slaughtered as soon as they arrived, owing to the discovery of pleuro-pneumonia amongst them, proved too true; and was quickly followed by the still more disheartening news that all Canadian cattle were to be "quarantined," which means that only fat cattle, fit for the butcher, can be landed. It is vehemently protested by Canadian shippers that the slaughtered animals were not suffering from genuine pleuro-pneumonia, but from a harmless ailment incidental to a sea voyage, and some have gone so far as to hint that the quarantine order has been procured by the machinations of interested parties in the old country. However this may be, the order has been passed and is to come into effect on the 21st inst., (unless an extension of time be granted) after which no Canadian "stockers"—as lean or half fat cattle are called—will be allowed to land in England. Whatever may be said about the quarantine being a blessing in disguise, as it will prevent the shipment of any but fat cattle, it will unquestionably prove a heavy blow to back country farmers, who can raise cattle until they are two or three years old, but have no facilities for fattening them; and how these unfortunates are to get along, with the last prop knocked from under them, is more than we can tell.

In sad truth, the Canadian farmer whose land is mortgaged or who is paying rent, or who is in debt to any considerable extent, has but a gloomy prospect before him. Since the passage of the McKinley act, the cattle trade with England has been of vital importance, and anyone who has seen the constant droves of "stockers" passing through this village on their way to the railway station, will admit that the stoppage of the exportation of these animals will be almost fatally disastrous to the farmers who raise them. They were badly enough off with the N. P. and the McKinley tariff, and with this new misfortune are to be pitted indeed. There is an old saying that "when things get to the worst they will need," and if this be true, there should be a streak of luck in the near future for Canadian farmers.

Death of N. G. Bigelow.

Nelson Gordon Bigelow, Q. C., M. P. P., died in Toronto on Friday last after a brief illness which at first did not appear likely to prove serious, and his demise was so unexpected by the general public that nearly as much surprise as regret was expressed by all who heard the unwelcome news. Mr. Bigelow was born on April 20th, 1840, in the township of Tecumseh, county of Simcoe, but several of his early years were spent in Lindsay, where he attended the public schools, and where his brothers, Silas and Obadiah, still reside. After graduating with honors at the Victoria University, he became articled as a law student in the office of the late Judge Mackenzie, and was admitted to the bar of Ontario in 1867. In the quarter of a century that has since elapsed Mr. Bigelow made himself known as one of the leading barristers of Toronto, and impressed all with whom he came into contact with an abiding sense of his own personal qualities. In 1888 he was—although opposed to the administration—created Queen's council by patent from the Governor-General. Though an ardent Reformer, Mr. Bigelow was too busy to devote much time to politics; but on the death of Mr. Clarke, one of the members for Toronto in the Local Legislature, he (Mr. Bigelow) was chosen as the Liberal standard-bearer, and carried the election by a majority of 816. The deceased, who in private life was remarkable for his geniality, warm heartedness and generosity, leaves a wife and two children, a son and a daughter, to lament his comparatively early death. The *Globe* in its obituary says:—

"There are circumstances that render the event especially mournful. The demise of any man in the full tide of life, just reaping the harvest of professional reputation that years of toil had sown, is sad enough; but when, as in Mr. Bigelow's case, the recent achievement of public honors has been added to all the rest, there is a specially sorrowful significance in the presence of the grim visitor. The echoes of the struggle in which the deceased took a leading part have scarcely died away before the untimely hand is laid upon him. The honor which he fought for so gallantly and so gallantly won was not to come to fruition, for he never sat in the chair to which the voice of his fellow-citizens assigned him. It would be trite to dwell on the mockery of death, which witnesses our aspirations and struggles unremoved, and when our desires are within grasp it is found that the busy mind and hurrying feet have but led to grave.

"Mr. Bigelow was a man whom to know was to respect. In the contest which resulted in his election to the Legislature his personal popularity was a strong factor. He had lived long in the city, had achieved an enviable position at the bar, and would undoubtedly have taken a prominent place in the debates of the Assembly. It was not to be, and at his untimely fate the citizens, irrespective of party, will pay the meed of a real and widespread sorrow."

Village Council Proceedings.

Fenelon Falls, November 7th, 1892. The council met at regular meeting; members present, the reeve and councillors Robson, Austin and McKeown. The minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Moved by Wm. McKeown, seconded by Thos. Robson, That the following accounts be paid, and that the reeve give his orders for the same:—E. D. Hand, printing tax bills for collector, \$3; John Thompson, fixing stonework of lock-up, \$3; R. Rutherford, repairing lock-up, \$5; Wm. McIntosh, repairing sidewalk, \$1 25; C. Haskill, work on streets, \$3 12; D. Varcoe, repairing sidewalks, \$9 37; S. Nevison, salary from Oct. 3rd to Nov. 7th, \$17 50; E. Lansfield, for carting to date, \$4 50.—Carried.

Mr. Robson gives notice that at the next meeting of council he will introduce a by-law to lease the skating rink company a portion of the market square to erect their building.

The council then adjourned.

Personals.

Mr. Edward Fitzgerald left this morning for Buffalo.

Miss Anderson, late first assistant in the north ward school, is at the Falls, the guest of Mrs. John Brandon.

Miss Annie Wood of Toronto, daughter of Mr. Benjamin Wood, (formerly head master of Fenelon Falls school) is visiting at Mrs. McDairmid's.

Mr. A. Clark, Sr., left on Monday for a business trip to Kinmount, Minden and Haliburton, and got home this morning.

Mrs. John Jordan, Miss Sarah McArthur, Mr. Wm. McArthur and their nephew Clare, (whose father, Mr. Joseph

McArthur, is lying dangerously ill at Toronto) all left for that city on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Herbert Savage of Saginaw, Michigan, formerly a resident of this village, was here last Tuesday, and went north to look at some timber limits that the lumbering firm of which he is a member contemplates purchasing.

Mr. John Louden, for several years moulder in the Cameron Lake foundry, resigned his position a short time ago to go to Peterborough, and last week removed his family from the Falls. Mr. Louden is highly esteemed by all who knew him, and his departure from the village is much regretted by his numerous friends.

WOOD FOR IMPLEMENTS.—Mr. Robson of the Cameron Lake foundry is prepared to take wood during the coming winter in exchange for ploughs, fanning mills, root cutters, cultivators &c.

TAXES.—Mr. John Power, Jr. is around after the village taxes, and tells us that the council says he is to have the money all collected and be ready to return the roll by the 15th day of December.

A Business Education Pays.

Any young woman or man can secure a free business education at one of the best colleges in Canada. It will only cost you one cent for particulars. Address The News, Kingston, Ont.

DENTAL.—Be sure and call on J. Neelands, the dentist, at the McArthur House, Fenelon Falls, on Tuesday, Nov. 15th. He will have a complete gas apparatus for extracting teeth without pain. Call forenoon if possible.

NEW CROSSING.—Mr. Heard has just had a crossing laid, at his own expense, from his store to his stove and implement warehouse on the opposite side of Colborne street. It will be a great convenience to him and his customers, and, to some extent, to the public generally.

Lindsay's Leading Shoe Store.

Fall is coming! Let it come! We are loaded with Boots and Rubbers for fall and winter. Men's Long Boots start at \$1 25 up. Men's solid kid Long Boots from \$1 75 up. Women's Dongola Kid Boots from \$1 35 up. Women's Rubbers 25 cents up. We keep the finest stock of Ladies' Boots and evening dress Shoes and Slippers, all colors, in town. We cover the whole ground from cheapest to finest. We want your trade.

JOHNSTON & SISSON,

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The Great Shoe Men of Lindsay

BAPTIST CHURCH.—The Rev. A. J. Lebeon, of the Grand Ligne Institution, Quebec, will preach (D. V.) in the Baptist Church here on Sunday next, the 13th inst., at 10.30 a. m. He will also preach at Baddow Baptist Church, Somerville, at 2.30 p. m. Reference will be made to the progress of Protestantism in Quebec. All interested are cordially invited.

MEND IT.—There is the beginning of what will soon be a bad hole in the Francis street crossing on the west side of Colborne street, and it should be repaired at once. The council appears to constantly need reminding that the municipality will be responsible for any accident that may occur to man or beast through defects in roads, bridges, sidewalks or crossings.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Last Wednesday morning Mr. Joseph Hawkins, a well known farmer who owns 200 acres of valuable land a few miles from Lindsay, died suddenly in the woods north of Minden while on a runaway watching for deer. The body was taken home on yesterday's train by one of his sons. Death was no doubt caused by some kind of heart disease.

ANOTHER THOROUGH-BRED.—On Thursday of last week Mr. Archibald McArthur of Fenelon received by rail a thorough-bred Cotswold ram, six months old, bred by Mr. John Wright of Whitechurch, Ont. Mr. McArthur has a very high opinion of the Cotswolds; but, as they are not numerous in this section of country, he has to go to a distance for new blood to infuse into his flock. The young animal just purchased is a fine specimen of his breed, and we hope his new owner will have good luck with him.

RESIGNED.—Mr. D. McDougall, for four years head master of our public schools, and lately re-engaged on his own terms for 1893, has tendered his resignation, which has been accepted by the board. Though Mr. McDougall, being a mere mortal, has not succeeded in pleasing everybody, he has given us general satisfaction as any teacher we have ever had; and his desire, from private reasons, to sever his connection with the schools, is regretted by a vast majority of the children as well as of their parents or guardians. The arduous task of engaging his successor now devolves upon the trustees, and it is to be hoped that the village will not be, as it was some years ago, afflicted with a "long list of incapables" before a competent teacher is secured.