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Splendid Hats from 25c. and upward. Ready trimmed Felt and Velvet Hats from 75c. and upward.

JUST NOW IS THE TIME TO

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in Hats, Bonnets, Ribbons, Sprays, Tips, Wings, Fancy Velvets (newest shades), Ladies and Children's Mittens, Fancy Dress Trimmings and Braids.

We are prepared to give Satisfaction in Dress & Mantle Making.

MRS. R. McDOUGALL.

I AM AHEAD

ON THE NEWEST IMPROVED

FARM IMPLEMENTS.

Percival & Son's new Steel Harrow. The bulls, clips, teeth and whiffle-trees are all steel, and not a bolt in the whole harrow—the only steel whiffle-tree made.

Peter Hamilton's new Spring-tooth Cultivator, with his new improved Seeder, is ahead of anything in the market. Seeing is believing. Come and have a look.

The Cheapest Store in the County for

ALL KINDS OF BUILDING HARDWARE.

Always on hand, a large and varied stock of

Mixed Paints, Paint Oils & White Lead all of the best quality.

Stoves, Tinware, &c., Cheap as the Cheapest.

If I can't please you in the above lines, it won't be of much use for anybody else to try.

Joseph Heard.

Fenelon Falls, March 15th, 1893.

Furniture,

Doors, Sash,

—AND—

UNDERTAKING,

—AT—

W. M'Keown's,

FRANCIS ST. WEST,

FENELON FALLS.

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, 1893.

Agricultural Implements.

To the Farmers of Fenelon, Verulam & Somerville.

I am still agent in this locality for **The Massey-Harris Co.,**

and farmers will do well to call and see my line of goods before purchasing elsewhere. These goods need no comment on my part, as they have been in use for over 25 years and are this year fully abreast of the times in improvements.

Call and See Them and be convinced for yourselves. My stock consists of

The Massey Harris New wide Open Binder, 5 and 6 feet cut.
The Toronto Mower.
The Brantford Front and Rear Cut Mower.

The Wisner Combined Drill.
The Wisner Single Drill.
The Massey-Harris Cultivator in four sections, the best on wheels, with or without seed box and grass seed sower.

The Sharp's Rake.
Spring Tooth Harrows.
Ploughs etc. of my own make.

Thanking my numerous customers for past favors, I beg to assure them that I shall do my utmost to merit a continuance of their patronage.

THOS. ROBSON.

Fenelon Falls, March 8th, 1893.

The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, October 20th, 1893.

Burglary at the Post Office.

Last Sunday morning about 7.30 Mr. Neil McGilvray, while going down street, noticed that the front door of the post-office was ajar; and when he opened it a little farther and peeped in he saw a brace and bit lying behind it on the floor. With his head full of burglars, he hurried to the residence of Mr. F. J. Kerr, our genial postmaster, who felt considerably less genial than usual when, upon going to the office, he found that a "sure enough" burglary had been committed during the night, which, it will be remembered, was as dark, wet and windy as if the thieves had ordered it for the occasion. They had forced open the door with a chisel or some other tool, blown open the safe with powder poured through a small hole at the top just behind the door, and taken \$285 post-office money, \$121.90 in stamps, \$70 and a silver watch belonging to Mr. Kerr, and four registered letters awaiting delivery, the contents of all of which probably amounted to only a few dollars. The first assault had been made upon the safe door, in which there was a hole near the handle, where the drill struck a chilled steel plate, and there were two marks of the drill close to the combination lock. The door was blown off with such violence that the stove, with which it collided, was badly broken; but a canary-bird hanging in a cage from the ceiling, and within three feet of the front of the safe, was unharmed by the explosion, although the glass in the windows and over the letter boxes was broken in several places. Two chisels, a brace and a three-quarter inch bit taken from Mr. S. Brokenshire's pump factory and a brace from Mr. H. Puley's blacksmith shop were found in the post-office. The burglary was probably committed a little after 3 a. m. on Sunday, as at that time Mr. J. S. Campbell, who lives upstairs on the other side of the street, but a few rods farther north, heard a loud noise, followed by what sounded like the breaking of glass, which he thought was the result of damage of some kind that had been done by the storm. The rooms over the post-office and as far north as Twomey's hotel are unoccupied at night, and on the south there are only three detached one-story buildings between it and the canal. Before visiting the post-office the burglars must have spent some hours in the lower room of the south ward school-house, the door of which they forced, as all the wood put in the box for Monday was burned, and three seats drawn up to the stove indicated that there were that many men in the party. To provide means of retreat they broke into the railway tool-house north of the station and borrowed a lorry, which was found on Sunday beside the track at the Lindsay junction, and just the other side of Cameron the pursuing party picked up the "vault" of the safe, which the thieves had taken with them and thrown away after breaking it open and appropriating its contents. There is no clew to the burglars, who as likely as not live in Lindsay, and some rough looking characters got off the train at Cameron on Saturday afternoon. An old Midland railway key was found near the tool-shed, on the lock of which it had probably been

tried; and from this circumstance it is inferred that one at least of the gang is or has been a railway hand. Mr. Spry, the Post Office Inspector, was here on Tuesday, but, of course, could do nothing more than jot down the full particulars of the robbery.

The Curling Rink.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Fenelon Falls Curling Rink Association was held on Tuesday evening in Jordan's hall, and about twenty were present. Mr. Thos. Robson, president, in the chair. The treasurer's report not having been fully audited, was not given in detail, but will be at the next meeting on Monday, the 23rd inst. The following directors were then appointed by ballot: Thos. Robson, J. H. Brandon, F. McDougall, J. Arnold, H. Austin, T. Austin, W. T. Junkin, A. Clark, Jr., and S. Nevison. The directors then appointed the officials as follows: Thos. Robson, president; J. H. Brandon, vice-president; J. Arnold, treasurer, and A. Clark, Jr., secretary. We are glad to learn that the finances of the association are in a satisfactory condition, and it is hoped that by the close of the coming season it will be but little in debt. The rink, which cost over \$1,100, is the largest in the county outside of Lindsay, and the management last season was warmly applauded by all visitors from a distance.

The Railway Bridge.

Mr. Hannaford, chief engineer of the Grand Trunk Railway, was here last Thursday (the 12th) and expressed much satisfaction at the progress made and the excellent workmanship on the new bridge. The south abutment and five piers are finished, both the other piers are under way, and preparations are being made to commence the north abutment. Mr. Rose, foreman of the masons, expects to be through with his part of the work in about a month, and a strong force of men will then appear on the scene and the remaining girders will be put in place and the ties and rails laid down, which will not take long. Three of the girders already extend from the south shore to the middle of the river, one has been lying for some time on this (the north) side, another is at the station, and the only parts of the superstructure still to arrive are the sections which, joined together, will form the "swing." The stonework looks strong enough to stand a thousand years, and the "pivot-pier," which is a perfect circle sixteen feet in diameter, and smooth enough on top to be used as a table, is certainly a triumph of the mason's art.

A Big Limit.

Mr. Nelson Vannier, for many years a resident of this village, in which he still owns property, returned on Tuesday last with the intention of remaining until Saturday. Thirty-seven years ago on the 1st ult. Mr. Vannier entered the employment of the Boyd firm of Bobcaygeon, and has never since done a day's work for anyone else. Last fall the firm bought from the Quebec Government nine hundred (900) square miles of spruce timber limits on the shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, this side of Labrador and near the Island of Anticosti; and on the 1st of April Mr. Vannier left to explore the limits and see what kind of a bonanza his employers had struck. A white man who went with him from here remained a few weeks and was then succeeded by a half-breed, who was with Mr. Vannier until he returned to civilization after an absence of six months, during which period he travelled through and across 600 square miles of the limits, leaving the other 300 square miles for a future visit, and, so far, has found the timber abundant and of good quality. The tract of land—which, if square, would measure thirty miles each way—is watered by three or four rivers, which empty into the gulf and are fed by numberless creeks, while here and there a little lake is to be found. All these waters are swarming with fish of all sizes, from speckled trout up to two or three pounds weight in the creeks to monstrous salmon sometimes as heavy as thirty pounds at the foot of the rapids. Mr. Vannier and his companion lived in a tent and travelled chiefly in a canoe, going about once a month to a Hudson Bay Co's trading post for provisions. They saw neither deer nor bears, but caribou, beavers, otters, minks and fishers were very numerous. To a man—especially a young man—confined to any ordinary business routine the life of a wood ranger appears enviable in the extreme, and in fine weather and under favorable circumstances must be very pleasant; but it makes a big difference—just the difference between work and play—whether anything is done from choice or necessity, and a few months' or even weeks'

sojourn in the wilderness, makes the sojourner quite willing to return, for a time, at any rate, to "the busy haunts of men." But, if wood ranging is a pleasant thing, wood owning must be more so still, particularly when the ownership extends to hundreds of square miles. If we are not mistaken, the Boyd firm cleared over half a million dollars on some timber limits a few years ago, and, if they got the timber down by the Gulf at anything like a moderate price, it is almost certain that they have "struck it" a second time.

Personals.

Mrs. M. Crittall of Toronto, daughter of Mr. Thomas Davis, is at the Falls with her two children visiting her friends and relatives.
Mr. George A. Metherall of Lindsay, fire and life insurance agent, was at the Falls on Wednesday and Thursday.
Mr. Robert Brandon of Collingwood, cousin of Messrs. Johnston, J. H. and M. W. Brandon, has been at the Falls since Friday last and will remain until Monday.
Messrs. J. G. Williams and John D. Smith of Port Hope came to the Falls on Wednesday, drove to Grand Island yesterday, returned in the afternoon and left for home this morning.
Messrs. John Meeks, Thomas Shane, William Dayman and his son James returned last Wednesday from Harwood, where they have been employed since the beginning of June.

ORANGE SERMON.—We are requested to announce that the Orangemen and True Blues of this village will attend divine service in the Presbyterian church on the morning of Sunday, Nov. 5th. Visiting-brethren will be welcome.

TO THE LADIES.—See Mrs. R. McDougall's new advertisement in this week's Gazette. She invites one and all to see her stock of millinery, hats, bonnets, dress trimmings, etc., and says that now is the time to go and get bargains.

Farmers, when coming to town do not forget to bring your watches and clocks for repairs to G. A. Hamilton, watchmaker and jeweller. All work guaranteed. Shop next door to the post-office.

DAMAGED HER RUDDER.—On Tuesday morning the little steamer *Mary Louise*, owned by Mr. Joseph Parkins of Lindsay, was in the upper lock at the Falls, which was temporarily converted into a dry dock, while an accidental damage to her rudder was repaired in Mr. Henry Puley's blacksmith shop.

A MOVING SQUAT.—The small house located until a few days ago on Mr. Thos. Roberts' lot at the corner of Colborne and Princess streets, is now in the middle of the main street, Mr. Roberts having determined to add it for a back kitchen to the house he now occupies. The progress made so far in moving it has been slow; but, now that it has commenced to go down hill, it ought soon to reach its destination.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—South American Rheumatic Cure, for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radically cures in one to three days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause, and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by W. R. Madill, druggist.

CONFIRMATION.—On Monday evening last Bishop Sweatnam of Toronto administered the rite of confirmation to over 25 candidates in St. James's church in this village. The sacred edifice had been tastefully decorated for the occasion, and was crowded with persons anxious to witness the solemn and interesting ceremony. His Lordship delivered an impressive address, and the service was conducted by Rev. E. Soward of Kinmount and Rev. Wm. Farncomb, pastor of the church.

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS.—Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise and delight to physicians on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by W. R. Madill, druggist.

THE BAPTIST PARSONAGE.—The new brick kitchen at the rear of the Baptist parsonage is nearly finished as far as the brickwork and carpenter work are concerned, but it still has to be plastered and painted, and will not be ready for occupation until about this time next month. The parsonage now contains a parlor, dining-room, pantry, kitchen, downstairs and upstairs halls, and four bedrooms, one of them the same size as the kitchen, 16 x 24 feet. Under the kitchen is a cellar, warranted to keep vegetables from freezing in winter and milk from souring in summer; there is a well of splendid water a few feet from the kitchen door, and a commodious woodshed is about to be erected. There is a large stable on the lot, which contains a quarter of an acre, and the soil is just the right kind for gardening purposes.