

### Trials of a Twin.

In form and feature, face and limb,  
I grew so like my brother,  
That folks got taking me for him,  
And each for one another.  
It puzzled all our kith and kin,  
It reached a fearful pitch;  
For one of us was born a twin,  
And not a soul knew which.

One day, to make the matter worse,  
Before our names were fixed,  
As we were being washed by nurse,  
We got completely mixed;  
And thus you see by fate's decree,  
Or rather nurse's whim,  
My brother John got christened me,  
And I got christened him.

This fatal likeness even dogged  
My footsteps when at school,  
And I was always getting flogged  
When John turned out the fool;  
I put this question fruitlessly,  
To every one I knew,  
"What would you do, if you were me,  
To prove that you were you?"

Our close resemblance turned the tide  
Of our domestic life,  
For, somehow, my intended bride  
Became my brother's wife.  
And so from day to day the same  
Absurd mistakes went on,  
And when I died the neighbors came  
And buried brother John.

### Trouble For Paw.

READS MAW A JOKE WHICH SHE FAILS  
TO COMPREHEND.

Paw was reading in an almanich  
that I Bro't home from the drug Store  
last nite, and pritty soon he commenct  
to laff.

"What's rong?" maw ast.  
"This is one of the Best jokes I ever  
seen," paw says. "Lissum and I'll read  
it To you. "Why is The mistake of a  
Docketer not as Bad as that of a Den-  
tust?" Do you no?" paw ast.

"No," maw told him.  
"Becoz," paw red, "one fills six feet  
and the uther fills an aiker."

"How do they do that?" says maw.  
"Becoz they make a mistake," paw  
anserd.

"Which makes it?" maw ast.  
"Both of them," paw says. "Didu't  
I just read it? That's why the mis-  
take the docketer makes ain't as Bad as  
the dentust's."

"Why not?" maw ast.  
"The docketer only Fills six Feet,"  
paw anserd, "and the Dentust fills an  
aiker."

"I don't understand about the Feet,"  
maw Told him. "Why does he Fill  
six feet, and what Does he fill them  
with?"

Paw began to look kind of glassy out  
of his eyes, and he Red the joke again  
to Himself so he would be sure he  
Didn't make Euny mistake. Then he  
says:

"Why, you see if a Docketer would  
make a mistake it mite be fatle, and So  
he would fill Siz feat of orth with a man.  
Becoz the man would be About six  
Feat long, you no."

"I don't see mutch to Laff at about  
Sutch a thing," maw told him, "May  
be it miten't be a man at all, or else he  
mite Be short."

"Oh, well," paw says, "it Just says  
he would be a Six footer, so to make it  
come in funny with the aiker."

"What does it mean by that?" maw  
ast.

"That's the joke," paw says.  
"Which is?" maw Told him.

"Why, the aiker, you no," Paw an-  
serd.

"Where are they euny joke about  
That?" maw ast.

"The dentust Fills it, you no," paw  
sed, but he Didn't seem to be very sure  
about it by That time.

"Yes," maw Says, "but you sed he  
made a mistake."

"Don't you No what an aiker is?"  
paw ast. "A tooth that you fill is an  
aiker, you no, and they have aikers of  
ground."

"But where Does the mistake come  
in?" maw told him.

"Why, he Fills the rong one," Paw  
anserd, wiping his brow and kind of  
looking around like if he was trying to  
see if the escape was all cut off.

"Well, then, how Does he Fill the  
aiker," maw ast, "if the Tooth he Fills  
is a Good one and duzzent need To be  
filled? It wouldn't be an aiker if it was  
all rite, would it?"

Paw got up and threw the allman-  
ick in the waste basket after he Tore it  
in Two and sed:

"There's no Use trying to Bring enny  
sunshine into this Family, and I want  
to drop the subjeckt rite now. The  
man who rote that joak was a fool, and  
the Fellow that printed it in the all-  
manick was a worse one, but I ain't  
going to rong Either one of them By  
unjust sa-pishens. Mebby they didn't  
ever try To tell it to a woman."—*Geor-  
gie in Chicago Times-Herald.*

"If you are a good boy, Johnny, you  
will surely go to heaven."  
"That's what you told me last year.  
I'd rather you'd promise me a goat this  
year."  
"How often do you kill a man?"  
asked a p's-enger of a New London  
motorman the other day.  
"Only o. ce," was the laconic reply.

### FENELON FALLS MARKETS.

Reported by the North Star Roller Mill Co.  
Fenelon Falls, Friday, May 25th 1900.

Wheat, Scotch or Fife	66 to 68
Wheat, fall, per bushel	65 67
Wheat, spring	66 68
Barley, per bushel	35 38
Buckwheat	40 45
Oats, "	24 25
Pease, "	53 55
Rye, "	47 48
Potatoes, "	25 30
Butter, per lb	14 15
Eggs, per dozen	9 10
Hay, per ton	6.00 7.00
Hides	5.00 6.50
Hogs (live)	5.0 6.00
Hogs (Dressed)	6.00 6.50
Beef	5.50 6.00
Sheepskins	50 90
Wool	10 15
Flour, Silver Leaf	1.90 2.10
Flour, Victoria	1.80 2.00
Flour, Family, Clipper	1.60 1.80
Bran, per 100 lbs	75 80
Shorts, " "	85 95
Mixed Chop "	1.00 1.15

### East Victoria Farmers' Institute. Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the East Victoria  
Farmers' Institute will be held in  
Dickson's Hall,  
**FENELON FALLS,**

—on—  
**SATURDAY, JUNE 2nd,**  
commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp.

Order of Business: Receiving and discussing  
President's Report,  
Report of the Executive,  
Secretary's Report,  
Auditors' Report.  
Arranging for Institute meetings for  
1900 and 1901.

Election of Directors.  
At 2.30 p. m. Miss Laura Rose, Lady In-  
structor in dairying at the Agricultural  
College, Guelph, will address the meeting,  
after which a Women's Institute will be  
formed.

Meeting open to all. Let everybody, and  
especially the ladies, be present.  
W. H. CULLIS, WM. THURSTON,  
President. Secretary.

### COURT OF REVISION.

Notice is hereby given that a Court for  
the revision of the assessment roll of the

Village of Fenelon Falls  
will be held in Jordan's hall on

**TUESDAY, the 29th day of MAY, 1900,**  
at 10 o'clock a. m. All parties interested  
will please take notice and govern them-  
selves accordingly. The roll is now open  
for inspection at my office.

W. T. JUNKIN,  
Village Clerk  
Fenelon Falls, May 15th, 1900.

### Dr. T.P. McCULLOUGH, Specialist,

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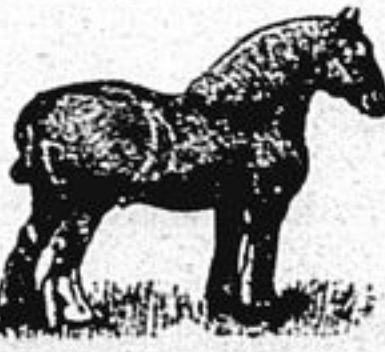
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first and third Tuesday in each month.

CHAS. WISE, Com.  
C. W. BURGOYNE, R. K.

**CANADIAN ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS**  
Trent Valley Lodge No. 71. Meet in  
the Orange hall on Francis street west on  
the first and third Mondays in each month

R. M. MASON, N. G.  
J. F. VARGOE, Sec.

**O. L. No. 996. MEET IN THE ORANGE**  
Hall on Francis-St. West on the second  
Tuesday in every month.

J. J. NEVISON, W. M.  
J. M. MARSHALL, Rec-Sec.

**INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.**  
Court Phoenix No. 182. Meet on the  
last Monday of each month, in the True  
Blue hall in McArthur's Block.

R. DOCHARTY, Chief Ranger.  
SAMUEL ELLERY, R. S.

**CANADIAN HOME CIRCLES. FENE-**  
LON Falls Circle No. 127, meets in the  
True Blue hall in McArthur's Block the  
first Wednesday in every month.

P. C. BURGESS, Leader.  
R. B. SYLVESTER, Secretary.

**A. F. AND A. M., G. R. C. THE SPRY**  
Lodge No. 406. Meets on the first  
Wednesday of each month, on or before the  
full of the moon, in the lodge room in  
Cunningham's Block.

H. H. GRAHAM, W. M.  
REV. W. FARNCOMB, Secretary

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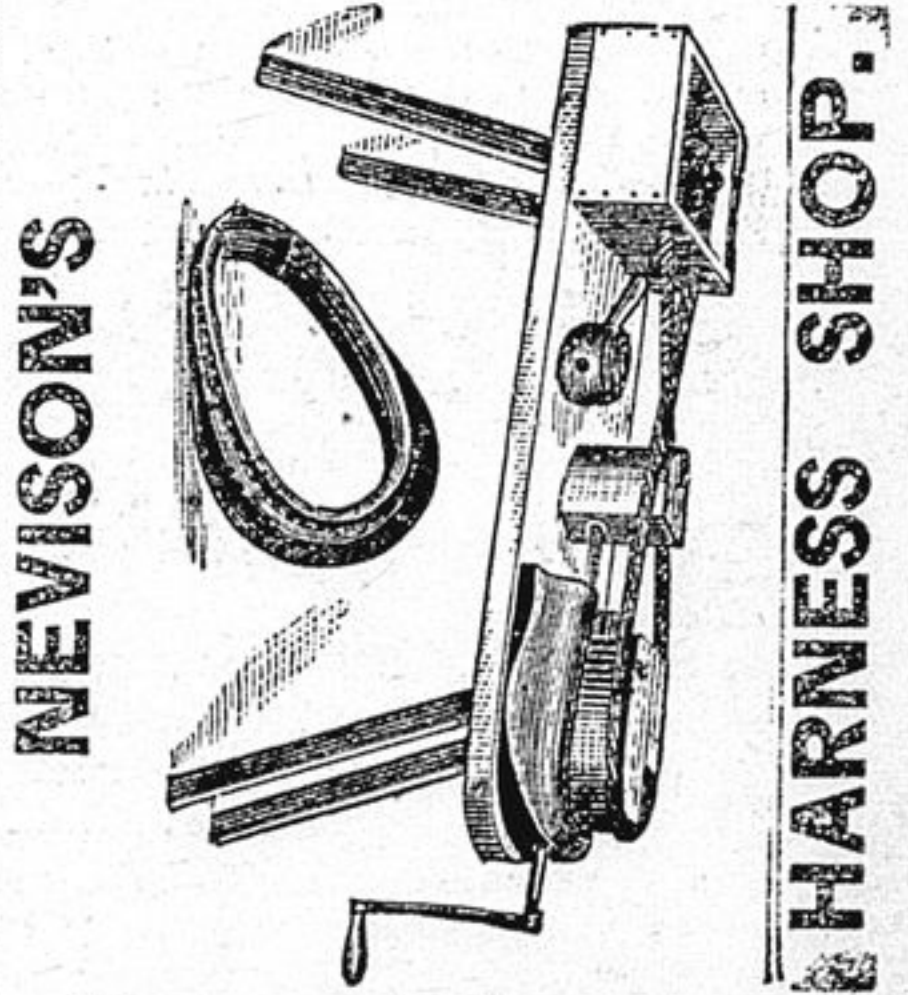
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The next sittings of the above Court will  
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**ON MONDAY, JUNE 18th, 1900,**  
commencing at 1 o'clock in the afternoon

Thursday, June 7th, will be the last day  
of service on defendants residing in this  
county. Defendants living in other coun-  
ties must be served on or before June 2nd  
S. NEVISON, E. D. HAND,  
Baillif. Clerk

Fenelon Falls, April 24th, 1900,