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## The Old Reliable Drug Store.

NEW STOCK OF  
HOLIDAY GOODS,  
FANCY GOODS,  
ALBUMS, GAMES,  
XMAS CARDS,  
TOYS, Etc., Etc.

**D. GOULD.**

Lytle's old stand.

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**McLAUGHLIN & McDIARMID,**  
BARRISTERS, Solicitors, Etc., Lindsay,  
and Fenelon Falls. Lindsay Office:  
Kent-St., opposite Market. Fenelon Falls  
Office: Over Burgoyne & Co's store. The  
Fenelon Falls office will be open every  
Wednesday afternoon from arrival of train  
from Lindsay. Money to loan on real  
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BARRISTER, &c. SOLICITOR FOR  
the Ontario Bank. Money to loan at  
lowest rates on terms to suit the borrower.  
Offices: No. 6, William Street South, Lind-  
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#### DR. H. H. GRAHAM.

—M. D., O. M., M. R. C. S. Eng., M. C. P. & S.,  
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PHYSICIAN, SURGEON & ACCOUCH-  
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Falls.

#### DR. A. WILSON,

—M. B., M. C. P. & S., Ontario,—  
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON & ACCOUCH-  
eur. Office, Colborne Street, Fenelon  
Falls.

#### DR. D. GOULD,

Graduate Toronto University, Member  
College Physicians and Surgeons, Ont.  
Office at Drug Store. Residence, Francis  
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#### E. P. SMITH,

VETERINARY SURGEON and Dentist,  
Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College  
Live Stock Inspector for North Victoria by  
appointment of Dominion Government.  
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#### DR. NEELANDS, DENTIST, LINDSAY,

Extracts teeth without pain by gas (vital-  
ized air) administered by him for 27 years.  
He studied the gas under Dr. Colton, of  
New York, the originator of gas for extract-  
ing teeth. Dr. Colton writes Dr. Neelands  
that he has given the gas to 186,417 per-  
sons without an accident from the gas.  
Other pain obtunders used. A good set of  
teeth inserted for \$10. Dr. Neelands  
visits Fenelon Falls (McArthur House) the  
third Tuesday of every month. Call early  
and secure an appointment.

#### W. H. GROSS, DENTIST.

The beautiful Crown and Bridge work  
practised with success. Gas and all other  
anesthetics for extracting teeth without  
pain. A set of Artificial Teeth, better than  
the average, for \$8 00. Rooms directly  
opposite Wood's stove depot, Lindsay.

#### NEW MEN IN THE OLD STAND.

The undersigned, having bought Mr.  
William Golden's Livery business on Fran-  
cis street east, have put in

#### New Horses and New Rigs,

and will do all in their power to retain  
Mr. Golden's patrons and gain many others.  
CHARGES VERY REASONABLE.

Calls attended to day or night.

MUNCEY & THOMPSON.

Fenelon Falls, Jan. 15th, 1900.

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#### BATTEN DOORS.

#### WIRE DOORS

**J. T. THOMPSON, Jr.,**  
CARPENTER.

Jobbing attended to. Wall Brackets and  
Easy Chairs made to order.

Workshop on Lindsay Street, Near the  
T. R. Station, Fenelon Falls.



Three pounds of  
**OUR CHOICEST**  
**SELECTED RAISINS,**  
and  
**YOUR**  
**25 CENTS.**



**J. L. ARNOLD.**

## Who's Your Tailor?

If you ask any particularly well-dressed  
man in Fenelon Falls or surrounding district,  
"Who makes your clothes?" invariably he  
will tell you

**'TOWNLEY.'**

Be one of the number, and call and see  
what he is doing for the Spring and Summer.  
His prices are right, consistent with first-class  
style and workmanship. He makes no other.

**NEW RAISINS,**  
**NEW CURRANTS,**  
**NEW FIGS.**

A full stock of the above just received.

Also a large supply of our celebrated

**TEAS.**

**AT W. L. ROBSON'S.**

ARE YOU  
INTERESTED IN

**RINGS?**

**Engagement Rings,  
Wedding Rings,  
Diamond Rings.**

WRITE

**GEO. W. BEALL,**

THE JEWELLER,

**Lindsay,**

For particulars. You will save  
money. You can rely on what  
you get.

### That Armed Escort.

An evening paper published some-  
where between King street and the  
lake, and whose policy corresponds with  
that of the cross dog which runs out  
and barks at everything that passes  
east or west, whether it be a child with  
a basket of eggs or an express train with  
a speed of sixty miles an hour, objects  
to our suggestion that we should send  
public men and business men to Austr-  
alia instead of soldiers in scarlet.

Why should this country be repre-  
sented in Australia by red cloth? If  
it is necessary to have soldiers in the  
parade at Melbourne, let Australia  
provide them. Soldiers for show pur-  
poses can be picked up anywhere in  
the British Empire, and wherever they  
are picked up they are Britishers, and  
equally fit to serve in the color scheme  
of a gala day. If the proposal were that  
the Premier of Canada should go into  
a foreign country, than it might be ar-  
gued that a military escort should ac-  
company him, to in some measure sug-  
gest the power of the Empire to which  
he belongs. But we are not a military  
people, and there is no reason why we  
should pay passage money on a lot of  
scarlet dragoons to Melbourne and  
back. What this country needs now to  
do is to get acquainted with Australia—  
to send out there people truly repre-  
sentative of us, who will confer with  
people truly representative of them. We  
should not send out there men who ride  
either war-horses or hobby-horses, but  
men who might lay the basis for a closer  
trade relationship, and exchange ideas  
in all matters affecting trade and pro-  
gressive government.

If it is necessary for this country to  
fight, it can fight, but it should not de-  
ceive its sister commonwealth into sup-  
posing that we are a tinselled and war-  
like people. The contention of those  
who say we should send soldiers appears  
to be based on the idea that the whole  
thing is to be a street parade, which we  
should help to make as interesting as  
possible. If it is to be that and noth-  
ing more, the wisdom of sending any-  
body may well be questioned. But we  
believe it is not an afternoon's spectacle  
that is being arranged for in Austr-  
alia, and we do not think the Duke and  
Duchess of York are going half around  
the world for the purpose of riding in a  
carriage in a holiday procession.

It is a bigger thing than that, for a  
commonwealth is to be established on  
lines very similar to our own, the oc-  
casion is admirably adapted for bring-  
ing the two colonial confederations into  
a better knowledge of each other. So  
far we have had little direct dealing  
with Australia, although our similarity  
of aspirations and difference in products  
should make us of immense use to each  
other. We therefore should send men  
to meet the Australians who will be  
able to represent our interests, interpret  
our institutions, and help to bring the  
two commonwealths into harmony of  
purpose. If we share in the occasion,  
we should seek to make use of it to  
link the interests of the two great col-  
onial nations within the Empire, and if  
we send an escort at all, we believe it  
should consist of men capable of for-  
warding this purpose.—*Toronto Star.*

### Race Prejudice in Canada.

Sir Charles Tupper, the famous Con-  
servative leader in Canada, does not  
take his overthrow with the philosoph-

ical temper which should be at the com-  
mand of a great political leader. Sir  
Charles permits his charmin to betray  
him into intemperance of language, and  
it leads him from the broad highway  
of statesmanship into the narrow by-  
path of demagogu. What is still more  
reprehensible in a man who has been so  
honored and has made such an enviable  
record in public life, Sir Charles de-  
scends to appeals to race prejudice—the  
last resort of a small politician smart-  
ing under defeat. He is reported to  
have said that Laurier carried Quebec  
by appealing "to the base passions of  
his ignorant French Canadian com-  
patriots," that he "is breeding bitter-  
ness and unhappiness and strife," and,  
in what is described as a voice of pas-  
sion, he added; "French Canadians  
rule Canada to-day. Men of British  
blood, how much more are you going to  
stand?"

If Laurier appealed to his "French  
Canadian compatriots," how much grav-  
er was the offense against good morals  
and liberal patriotism than Sir Charles'  
appeal to the passions and race prej-  
udices of men of British blood? It is  
to be hoped that Sir Charles has been  
misinformed about Laurier and has  
himself been misquoted. It has been  
popularly supposed on this side the  
line, that both Laurier and Tupper  
were men of too great moral and mental  
stature to condescend to the employ-  
ment of tactics so unworthy in them-  
selves and so subversive of the interests  
of the Dominion.—*A Buffalo Grit.*

### No Armed Escort.

Sir Wilfrid is Canada's most striking  
figure and greatest orator; and as the  
Australian Confederation was patterned  
after that of the Dominion, and is not  
only a cousin by ties of blood, but one  
of our best customers, no effort should  
be spared to treat it with the greatest  
possible consideration. Sir Charles  
Tupper and other leading men of both  
parties should also attend the demon-  
stration in such numbers as to indicate  
Canada's respect and good will. The  
proposition to send a troop of cavalry  
as a mounted escort, however, seems to  
me preposterous. Canada is not a mil-  
itary nation, though the military spirit  
seems to have obtained a mighty hold  
upon us recently. A military escort,  
consequently, would misrepresent the  
impulse and avocation of the Dominion.  
Ordinarily we are peaceful people much  
devoted to politics and religion, and it  
would seem fitting to have a represen-  
tative of our manufacturers, our farmers,  
our transportation companies, our politicians,  
and our preachers on the list. A lead-  
ing man from each profession, including  
a soldier, might be added, and it can-  
not be denied that a very imposing  
little company could be organized as an  
escort, the members of which could fore-  
gather with men of their own sort at  
the coming festivities in Australasia,  
to the benefit and mutual good will of  
both countries.—*Saturday Night.*

### A Polar Dog Trust.

London, Dec. 15.—The latest form  
of trust is that of polar dogs. Accord-  
ing to Sir Clements Markham, presi-  
dent of the Royal Geographical Soci-  
ety, Americans are responsible for form-  
ing such a corner in these animals that  
the pending British and other Arctic  
expeditions are confronted with a dif-  
ficulty nearly as great as the ice fields.  
It appears that Mr. E. B. Baldwin,  
the American explorer, has bought up  
such a large supply of dogs that their  
price has risen from \$18 to \$30, and  
they are hard to procure even at that  
price. Captain Bernier, the Canadian  
explorer, hopes to get out of the dilem-  
ma by taking young dogs and training  
them on the voyage. What the two  
British Antarctic expeditions will do,  
Sir Clements Markham does not yet  
know. Mr. Baldwin says he has no  
more dogs than he needs. He foresaw  
the scarcity and bought early.

Boers in St Helena say that they are  
getting too much food and too little  
work.

"Peter's pence" during the recent  
jubilee of the Pope amounted to no less  
than \$1,500,000.

St. John, N. B., is preparing to give  
the soldiers of the first contingent a  
hearty reception on their arrival.

The floor of one of the stores in the  
Merritt Block, St. Catharines, fell  
while nine men were at work storing  
boxes of canned goods. Only one man  
was seriously injured.