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A Stitch in Time Saves Nine.

FARMERS will do well to EXAMINE THEIR MACHINES before the RUSH of Spring work commences, and give their orders for REPAIRS to

Thos. Robson

and avoid express charges and loss of time.

The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, May 17th, 1895.

A Difference of Opinion.

If the man with the ability to please everybody has been born and is grown up we have not yet had the pleasure of meeting him, and certainly neither he nor anyone strongly resembling him has ever been reeve, councillor, or has held any other office in this pretty and picturesque village. There is always something to differ about—some question to which there are two sides—and this year's council are doomed to share the fate of all their more or less illustrious predecessors. They got along all right until the Presbyterians decided to carry out their long cherished intention of building a new church, and then the trouble began. As soon as their intention became known it occurred to several of our villagers that it would be a good and profitable deed for the corporation to buy the present Presbyterian church, if it could be got for \$500, and convert it into a public hall, instead of paying rent, as at present, to Mr. Jordan and Mr. Dickson; but it simultaneously occurred to several other villagers to hold a diametrically opposite view on the question, and, no matter what the result may be, the council are sure to come in for more or less blame. As the rent paid by the corporation for the use of halls is \$64 a year, and as the church can be bought for \$500 in four annual instalments, with six per cent. interest, it would clearly be a saving of money in the long run to make the purchase, which nobody denies; but those who oppose the acquisition of the church are equally averse to the continuance of the present state of affairs, being in favor of borrowing sufficient money to put up something worthy of the name of a town hall on the market square. For many years past the want of a good hall has been felt, and it appeared to be tacitly understood that one would be built as soon as the railway debt should be disposed of. The happy release was effected in 1893, but, owing to the fact that liabilities on school account had not been paid up—or, rather, that money had been borrowed to meet them—the taxes last year were as high as in '93, and will be about the same this year, as the corporation owes \$800 on notes and \$500 for the hose purchased a few months ago, which two sums exceed by \$135 what used to be paid annually on railway account. The chief objection in our eyes to the acquisition of the church is that it will not seat more than two-thirds as many as Dickson's hall, which has often been found unequal to the demands made upon it; and we do not think that the proposal, which we hear has been made, to move the church over to the market square, put it on a stone foundation and add twenty-five or thirty feet to its length, will find many supporters. At the council board on Monday night there was some talk of calling a public meeting of the ratepayers to decide the question; but on Wednesday morning Mr. Golden was going around with a petition to the council to buy the church, and a few hours later there was a rumor that a counter petition was to be circulated. It appears to us that the best use to put the building is to turn it into a couple of snug dwelling houses, for which there is now a great demand, and it is said by those who profess to be judges that the investment would be a profitable one. Where is the philanthropist who will thus put money into his own pocket and restore the village to its usual condition of peace and concord?

Board of Health Meeting.

Fenelon Falls, May 15th, 1895. Board met at the call of the chairman. All the members present and the

medical health officer and sanitary inspector. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Robson, seconded by Mr. Dickson, That Mr. Campbell be reappointed chairman for the ensuing year.—Carried

Moved by Mr. Dickson, seconded by Mr. Robson, That no boxes or barrels or any timber be allowed to be thrown into the village dumping ground or left in its vicinity, and that the sanitary inspector be instructed to look sharply after parties that do so.—Carried.

Moved by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Hand, That the sanitary inspector be instructed to visit the slaughter houses once every two weeks.—Carried.

Personals.

Mr. James A. Gillogly of Lindsay was at the Falls on Monday.

Miss Ella Patten, I. L., of Peterborough, is visiting friends in Fenelon Falls and its vicinity.

Mr. E. P. Smith, V. S., of Cambridge, spent two or three hours at the Falls last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Deyman returned home last Saturday from a week's visit to relatives at Peterborough.

Mr. James H. Lennon of Lindsay, who is establishing a branch business at the Falls, was here on Tuesday last. Messrs. G. H. G. McVity of Toronto, and Mr. J. D. Smith of Port Hope, were at the Falls on Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. Walter Puley and Mr. Hiram Brown of Little Britain will drive home to-day, after spending a couple of days visiting relatives in Fenelon Falls and its vicinity.

Powles's Corners.

(Correspondence of the Gazette.)

Another one of our good girls has been taken away by Mr. Thos. H. Percival, of the firm of Morrison & Percival, general merchants, Brockville. The young lady in question is Miss Minnie Brown, youngest daughter of Mr. John Brown, of this community. The happy couple were united in marriage at the residence of Thos. C. Brown, uncle of the bride, on Wednesday, May 15th, in the town of Brockville. This young couple have our best wishes all through life.

The recent hard frosts have done a good deal of damage through this part, and some replanting will have to be done. It is a very bad time of the year for heavy frosts, but we must grin and bear it and use no cuss words.

A good woman of the house in this locality set two geese with 23 eggs and had 23 goslings.

Mr. J. H. Lennon of Lindsay passed through here on Tuesday last on his way to Fenelon Falls.

Geo. Burton's New Sensation.

The greatest 25c. show on earth will appear at Fenelon Falls on Wednesday, May 22nd. Two performances daily, afternoon and evening. Immediately after the grand street parade, a free show and wire ascension will take place from the ground to the towering centre pole by Zoticque Proulx, the only wire still walker. The show is a large one. Amongst others are the three Vondale brothers, two Irene sisters, the greatest trapeze artists known; Thos. Dilivanti, the slack wire juggler; Miss Adele Mottier, in her flexible perch specialties; the Aherns, Minnie and William, the world's greatest balancers and miraculous breakaway ladder and perch act; Prof. Hank Snider, with his troupe of educated dogs and wolves; Darling and Davenport, the renowned tumblers; La Petite Zoe, the Queen of the rolling globe; and others too numerous to mention. Prof. Ker's gold band will be seen each day in the parade. Two performances, afternoon and evening. This show will positively appear at Fenelon Falls on Wednesday, 22nd of May.—Adv.

SAWLOGS.—A drive of logs owned by Mr. Carew of Lindsay commenced to come over the Fenelon Falls slide yesterday forenoon. They were the first of the season, and will soon be followed by others.

YOU CAN SAVE money by calling on M. McCallum for a spring suit two doors south of the post office.

CHANGE OF TIME.—A change in the time-table of the Victoria railway was made on Monday last. The train from the north now arrives at 8.10 a. m., and from the south at 3.15 p. m. The mail going south closes at 8 a. m., and going north at 3 p. m.

Eggs and produce taken in exchange at Mrs. R. McDougall's millinery store.

A QUEER BIRD.—Mr. Jas. P. Palmer, of Fenelon, who thinks very highly of Houdan fowls, tells us that he got two rooster chickens of that breed in Mariposa last fall. They are now fine, full grown birds, and, while one of them

possesses no peculiarity, the other has his spurs located on the outside instead of the inside of his legs, which gives him a very queer appearance, and will be a great disadvantage when he gets into a fight.

THE CHEESE FACTORY.—The Fenelon Falls cheese factory opened for the season on Monday last, with Mr. Albert McIntosh in charge. Mr. Saylor, who was here last year, and turned out first-class cheese, has gone to the South Verulam factory. Grass is unusually good for the middle of May, and milk is already coming in very freely.

M. McCallum has just received his second order of Spring goods, which are being sold cheap.

THE WEBBLINGS.—A fair-sized audience greeted the Misses Webbling on the occasion of their first appearance in this village on Monday evening last. The young ladies fully sustained the high reputation they bear; certainly nothing nearly as excellent in dramatic art, nor as graceful and pleasing in dancing, has ever been seen in Fenelon Falls. The proceeds amounted to \$32.

Just arrived from Montreal at Mrs. R. McDougall's, the newest styles in spring millinery.

OFF THE TRACK.—On Tuesday forenoon the engine, tender and one truck of a gravel train got off the track near Mr. John A. Ellis's mill in consequence of a switch being left partly open. As they were going very slowly at the time no damage was done. An auxiliary engine was sent as soon as possible from Lindsay and had them on the rails again in a few hours.

Mac has the best selected stock of suitings in Fenelon Falls.

AT HOWRY'S.—The locomotive purchased some time ago by Howry & Sons arrived on Tuesday, and has since been kept busy hauling trucks along the miles of track in the lumber yard. The alterations in the saw-mill and outside are nearly completed, some of the firm's logs are on their way across the lake, and in a very few days all the machinery in the mill and box factory will be in full operation.

Call and take advantage of the cheap sale at Mrs. R. McDougall's.

A COLD SNAP.—Last Saturday afternoon there was a sudden fall in the temperature, accompanied by rain, and what may be called a cold snap for this time of year set in. During Saturday night a little snow fell, and on Sunday and Monday nights the frost was so severe that a great deal of damage was done to fruit and young clover, though the apple trees in this vicinity have escaped pretty well. The heat during the first few days of this month was almost unprecedented for the time of year, and, as many predicted, there has been a reaction which has chased the smiles from the countenances of our arboricultural and agricultural friends.

All goods bought at M. McCallum's cut free of charge; a fit guarantee and none but superior workmen employed.

NOTICE.—We have been requested to publish the following: An Act passed in the Legislative Assembly, 1895, respecting Free Libraries and Mechanics' Institutes, Section 23, reads as follows: "Any person who wilfully interrupts or disquiets any public library established and conducted under the authority of this Act, by rude or indecent behavior, or by making a noise either within the library or so near thereto as to disturb the persons using the same, shall, for each offence, on conviction thereof before a police magistrate or justice of the peace, forfeit and pay for library purposes to the municipality within which the offence was committed, a sum not exceeding \$20, together with the costs of conviction, as the said police magistrate or justice may think fit."

ANY PERSON desiring a fashionable suit of clothes should call on M. McCallum.

A \$40 PANE.—Last Saturday evening about half past 7 o'clock a stone as big as a goose egg was thrown by some person not yet discovered through the lower right hand corner of the large pane of plate glass that forms one of the windows of Burgoyne's dry goods store in McArthur's block on Colborne street. The pane cost \$40 when put in a few years ago, and will, of course, have to be replaced by a new one; but, as it is as good as ever, with the exception of about two feet at the bottom, it will still make a large window, and the loss of the company in which it is insured will be but trifling. The smash is believed to have been the result of carelessness, the stone having probably been thrown at a dog or something else upon the street.

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