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June 10th, 1896—16th

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The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, Aug. 21st, 1896.

The Manitoba School Question.

The much-vexed Manitoba School question is apparently approaching a peaceful solution. The Ottawa special correspondent of the *Globe*, in his letter of the 18th, says:

Messrs. Sifton, Cameron and Watson, of the Manitoba Government, were in the city to-day and had interviews with Mr. Laurier, Mr. Tarte and some of the other Ministers. Everything now points to a speedy and satisfactory settlement of the school question, and there will not be any necessity for remedial legislation. This gratifying result is entirely due to the conciliatory policy pursued by Mr. Laurier and his colleagues, which has had such a splendid effect in educating public opinion upon the whole subject. It is understood that negotiations have been going on between the members of the Manitoba Government and the Dominion Cabinet for some days past, and that an amicable understanding has been arrived at between the parties concerned. These negotiations have been carried on in decided contrast to the way in which both the Bowell and the Tupper Governments handled the whole question; and when the result will be made known it will prove to be satisfactory to all fair-minded classes of the community.

The matter has been approached by both the Federal and Local Governments in a friendly spirit, with a desire to do justice to all parties, and before long the whole matter will be removed from the political arena in a statesman-like way. This, too, has been accomplished at the very moment when Archbishop Langevin is at Rome trying to induce his Holiness the Pope to denounce Mr. Laurier and the Liberal party for the conciliatory policy they pursued, while at the same time the leaders of the Conservative party are trying in the Province of Ontario to stir up race and religious prejudices against the Liberal Government. The bargain of Sir Charles Tupper with the clergy having failed in Quebec, he is now engaged in the opposite extreme among the Ontario Protestants. In the Northwest another policy is adopted by Sir Charles Tupper, and Father Leduc is now engaged in circulating petitions among Roman Catholics calculated to deceive them into the belief that Mr. Laurier is committed to some form of remedial legislation.

The Paragon of Exhibitions.

The major part of the entries having now been made for Toronto's big exhibition, which is to be held from August 31st to September 12th, it is possible to state definitely that the scale of the exhibition will really be greater than ever. Never before did the exhibits cover such a wide range as they will this year. It almost looks as if every province had striven to do its best to make the exhibition worthy of the country. This of course is not only patriotic but is intensely gratifying, because it shows that when the material prosperity of the Dominion is concerned sectional differences are forgotten. At the forthcoming exhibition in Toronto there will be seen food products of Prince Edward Island; food products, manufactures, fruit and live stock of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick; an extensive display of horses and cattle, manufactures and minerals from Quebec; the products of forests, waters, mines, gardens, farms, studs, workshops and art studios of Ontario; the grain, minerals and horses of Manitoba; the grain and minerals of the Northwest; and cereals, minerals and fish of British Columbia. The governments of Ontario, the Dominion and British Columbia will make special exhibits of the wealth of the earth, while the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. will supplement these displays by showing cereals, vegetables and minerals from many points on their lines, to the extent of double what the Company has shown in other years. In art especially will the exhibition be strong, with the three pictures painted by F. M. Bell-Smith, illustrating incidents connected with the death of Sir John Thompson, at Windsor Castle, for one of which pictures Her Majesty the Queen, Princess Beatrice and members of the royal household gave special sittings. There will be Edison's wonderful Eidoloscope, an electric theatre; Ontario Trotting Horse Breeders' stake races; Lockhart's performing elephants; the magnificent historical spectacle entitled "The Feast of Nations" and commemorating the "Taking of the Bastille," and a thousand and one other things; while on consideration of the cattle being on show the first week the railways have agreed to grant one fare for the round trip for the entire exhibition from all points in Canada, and to run a special cheap excursion the first week, on Sept. 3rd, and two the second week.

Village Council Proceedings.

Fenelon Falls, Aug. 17th, 1896.

Council met at call of the reeve. All the members present. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

A petition from 155 ratepayers was laid on the table, praying that a grant of \$100 be given to the band for the purchase of a set of band instruments, the instruments to be the property of and under the control of the village council.

Moved by Mr. Mason, seconded by Mr. Martin, That this municipality grant the sum of \$100 to aid in the brass band as per petition.—Carried.

Mr. Deyman voted "nay."

Moved by Mr. Martin, seconded by Mr. Robson, That the reeve, constable, A. Clark Jr., L. Deyman and J. Heard be a committee to manage the band.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Mason, seconded by Mr. Deyman, That the clerk be instructed to notify Mr. McNally to remove all rubbish and wood from Francis street, west of railway track, at once.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Robson, seconded by Mr. Martin, That the managing committee of the band get proper bonds executed between the council and each member of the band.—Carried.

Father Nolan's Picnic.

The excursion by the steamer *Crandella* on Wednesday from Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and other points to Fenelon Falls, where a picnic was held in the driving park, was a pecuniary success, considerably more than \$100 over all expenses having been realized. If the *Crandella* could have been got for Thursday, when the Lindsay stores are always closed in the afternoon, there would no doubt have been a much larger attendance, and the receipts proportionately greater. Father Nolan returns thanks to Mr. Ellis for the use of the grounds, to the ladies of the parish, the managing committee, and to all who contributed articles to be competed for. Below we give the list of sports.

Horse Race.—Silver tea set, won by John Aldous.

Bicycle Race.—Silver cup, won by C. Cook, Lindsay.

Running hop, step and jump.—1st J. Carroll, Cobocook; 2nd J. Robertson.

Standing jump.—1st P. Thomas, 2nd J. Carroll.

Running jump.—1st J. Carroll, 2nd T. Thomas.

Standing high jump.—1st J. Carroll. Shoulder stone.—1st J. Carroll.

Boys' Race, 100 yards.—1st C. Corbett, 2nd E. Boyce.

Men's Race, 100 yards.—1st P. Thomas, 2nd J. Carroll.

Personals.

Miss Kate Austin left on Monday last to resume charge of her school near Kinmount.

Mr. Will Heard, who left for a trip to the old country in May last, is now on the "raging main," and will be home next week.

Mr. J. H. Carnegie, M. P. P. for East Victoria, was at the Falls for a short time on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Thomas C. Moynes of Lindsay was at the Falls on Wednesday.

Mr. Robert Campbell, of Lindsay, District representative of the North American Life Insurance Co., was at the Falls on Tuesday.

Mr. Allan Gillies, of the Lindsay *Watchman* staff, has been visiting his uncle, Mr. Peter Moffat, of Fenelon, since Saturday last, and will remain until the end of next week.

Miss Annie Carter and Mr. Harvey Reesor, of Lindsay, wheeled to the Falls on Monday last and spent two or three hours at Mrs. George Nis's.

Mrs. Joseph McArthur, of Belleville, came to the Falls last Wednesday for a fortnight's visit to friends and relatives.

Mr. A. E. Clark (one of Mr. A. Clark Sr.'s numerous sons) who left the Falls ten years ago, returned home from Little Rock, Arkansas, on Saturday last.

Miss Berry, of Chicago, is at the Falls visiting her uncle, Mr. Joseph Heard. She came on Friday last, accompanied by her two cousins, May Heard, who went with her to Chicago last fall, and little Nellie, who has been on a long visit to relatives at Brighton, Ont.

Miss Hattie Archer came home on Monday last from Rochester for a couple of weeks' holiday, accompanied by her friend, Miss N. Gruber, of that city.

Mrs. Stephen Nevison and her eldest daughter, Miss Mabel, left last Tuesday for a few days' visit to relatives in the township of Carwright.

Mr. Dennis Twomey left on Wednesday morning to spend a week with friends at Midland and Penetang.

Mr. J. R. McLaughlin, of Lindsay, his brother, Prof. McLaughlin, of Victoria College, Toronto, and three or four other gentlemen went through the Falls

last Tuesday on their way home from a trip to the Algonquin Park, where they camped out for a few days.

Mrs. Ball of Rochester, N. Y., eldest daughter of the late Patrick Sullivan, is visiting her mother and sister at the Falls.

Mrs. M. Andrews, nee Bella McArthur, of Chicago, Ill., (niece of Mr. F. McDougall,) has been at the Falls since Monday last.

Somerville Council Proceedings.

Council met at Cobocook on August 15th. The reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. Callan, That By-law No. —, a by-law for levying rates, be introduced and read a first time.—Carried.

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Griffin, the following accounts were ordered to be paid: Jos. Heard, one stone hammer and one crowbar, \$2.35; Dr. G. N. Laurie, for attendance on Mrs. Badgerow, \$2; *Municipal World* and registering births, deaths and marriages, \$2.25; G. W. Beall, stationery, \$6.03; Hart & Riddell, Ontario Statutes, 1896, \$1.70; S. Hughes, *Warder*, printing acct., \$9—advertising first posting of lists, \$1—postage on lists, 25c.; John Shearer, messenger at Marigold's, \$12.50; H. Fountain, messenger at Swift's, \$8.25; H. Graham, goods supplied to Marigold's and Swift's while isolated, \$26.58; Mrs. Cooper, nurse at Marigold's, \$7; J. C. Craig, coffin for Marigold's child, \$7; H. Graham, goods supplied to A. Snider, charity, \$3.68; E. D. Hand, advertising court of revision, \$1.50; A. Morrison and S. Suddaby, expenses to Lindsay re county division, \$1.50 each; Clerk, on account of salary, \$42.50—postage, \$2; attendance at board of health—John Fell \$1.95, H. Graham \$2.65, H. Doughy \$1.25, A. Morrison \$1.25, S. Suddaby \$1.25, Robert Callan, to pay for planks for sidewalks in Cobocook, \$40—for charity to Mrs. Badgerow, \$5.—Carried.

The council adjourned, to meet at Kinmount on Saturday, Sept. 26th.

Minden.

(Correspondence of the Gazette.)

An interesting event occurred on Friday evening, the 14th inst. For some time the need of a Masonic lodge in this place has been felt, and last night we had the consummation of our desires. W. Bro. E. Fitzgerald, W. M. of No. 406, the Spry Lodge, Fenelon Falls, and Bros. Deyman, Robson and Jos. Nevison of the same lodge came up to assist at its opening. The lodge room is over Mr. J. W. Watson's store and is tastefully fitted up, the regalia and furniture is of the best, and everything points to the lodge having a most successful career. The lodge was opened by W. Bro. Fitzgerald, representing the Grand Lodge of Canada, reading the Dispensation. Quite a number of Masons were present, and we expect many more at our first regular communication, when we have considerable work to do. After lodge was closed, the brethren adjourned for supper to the Royal Hotel, where the eatables were soon disposed of and the remainder of the evening spent in social chat. The feature of the social part was an essay read by Bro. Fitzgerald upon Masonry, an essay which would do the best Toronto lodges credit.

Fell's Station.

(Correspondence of the Gazette.)

Our school re-opened on Monday, and the attendance is daily on the increase. The teacher has been improving his time during vacation. He now rides a wheel, and has also taken a course in calisthenics under the able tutor, Major Brown, of Toronto. He has also attended the Toronto Conservatory of Music, and is now prepared to give instructions according to Mason's Touch and Technique system of playing.

A picnic is talked of... Trustees' meeting Wednesday evening... Forest fires about out... Harvesting done.

Burnt River.

(Correspondence of the Gazette.)

Messrs. H. G. Perdue, E. A. Suddaby, P. A. Suddaby and S. A. Suddaby left on Tuesday morning to seek their fortunes in Manitoba.

Messrs. M. Smith and T. Tinney are each building a new dwelling here.

Powles's Corners.

(Correspondence of the Gazette.)

The fields have all ripened, far and near, and almost everybody is done harvesting. Late oats are a failure. The root crop is still needing rain. The turnip crop will also be a failure.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomson of Toronto spent a week with relatives in this

FENELON FALLS MARKETS.

Reported by the North Star Roller Mill Co.

Fenelon Falls, Friday, Aug. 21st, 1896

Wheat, Scotch or Pife	60 to 61	60
Wheat, fall, per bushel	58	60
Wheat, spring	57	58
Barley, per bushel	39	31
Buckwheat	28	30
Oats,	18	20
Pease,	45	43
Rye,	43	44
Potatoes,	41	50
Butter, per lb.	12	13
Eggs, per dozen	8	8 1/2
Hay, per ton	8.00	10.00
Hides	4.50	5.00
Hogs (live)	2.75	3.60
Hogs (Dressed)	4.00	4.25
Beef	4.00	4.50
Sheepskins	20	50
Wool	18	20
Flour, family, Silver Leaf	1.80	2.00
Flour, best bakers'	1.90	2.10
Flour straight rolled	1.70	1.90
Bran, per ton	10.00	12.00
Shoria,	12.00	14.00
Mixed chop, per ton	16.00	18.00