

whose subject was "India," respecting which country he gave a great deal of interesting information. Notwithstanding the large attendance, there were enough eatables left to give the children of the Sunday School an abundant tea on the following evening. The proceeds amounted to rather more than \$40 over all expenses.

**HOLIDAY TICKETS.**—For the holiday season the Grand Trunk Railway system will issue reduced fare tickets between all stations on the system in Canada, as follows: *Christmas*—at one way first class fare, good going December 24th or 25th; good to return leaving destination not later than December 26th. At one way first class fare and one third, good going December 23rd, 24th and 25th; good to return leaving destination not later than January 4th. *New Year*—at one way first class fare, good going December 31st or January 1st; good to return leaving destination not later than January 2nd. At one way first class fare and one third, good going December 30th, 31st or January 1st; good to return leaving destination not later than January 4th. *Christmas School Vacation*—at one way first class fare and one third to pupils and teachers of schools and colleges on surrender of standard form, signed by the principal, tickets good going from December 11th to 24th, inclusive, and good to return leaving destination not later than January 11th.

**SELLING OFF** at cost for the next 30 days at Mrs. R. McDougall's.

**CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.**—We are glad to see that the right of birds and beasts to humane treatment is being advocated by other papers than the *Gazette*, either editorially or by the pens of their correspondents. A writer in the *Orillia Packet*, who signs himself "Home Observer," calls attention to the killing of feathered songsters with catapults and the cruelty to and neglect of horses, and says—"The law is so plain that if he chose any magistrate might inaugurate a reform by enacting a few penalties in our streets and hotel yards, and our ministers of the gospel might be disposed to preach mercy, if by looking into the church sheds they discovered that a large proportion of church-goers leave their horses tightly checked up and without relaxation, while their owners rest on cushioned seats in performance of their religious duties." As we remarked three or four weeks ago, church-goers are just as indifferent as others to the sufferings of the creatures that are at their mercy, which is evidence to us that they hold the erroneous opinion that mere going to church constitutes religion.

On the body of a notorious brigand recently killed in Turkey were found £4,000 and a notebook which showed he had murdered 192 men.

After fourteen years of widowhood, during which she knew of no insurance money left by her husband, a Menominee woman has received \$5,000 from a company which, desiring to go out of business, hunted her up to pay its obligation.

A miner in Staffordshire has recently discovered a petrified arm embedded in the solid stone or ore. The peculiarity of the arm lies in the fact that the elbow joint can be made to move to and fro, as though it consisted of flesh and blood.

In Liverpool Canadian apples bring from 25 cents to \$1 per barrel more than United States apples. In this northern country our products are all of better keeping qualities than those produced over the border. Canada has nothing to fear in competition with the world.

In the Royal Gardens at Kew, England, there is a branch of the oldest tree in the world—the famous dragon tree of Oratava. This tree, which was destroyed by a great gale several years ago, was supposed to be at least 2,000 or 3,000 years old—some assign it a much longer growth. A branch was removed from it and brought to Kew, where it still thrives.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

"Perfectly Satisfactory."

Mr. J. C. Parrish, who wrote the communication signed "Ratepayer" in the *Gazette* of the 4th inst., has handed us the following for publication:—

Powles's Corners, Dec. 14th, 1896.

Dear Sir,—  
Your reasons given to me for keeping your boy home after he was of school age, are perfectly satisfactory to me, notwithstanding anything that has been said or written to the contrary.

Yours etc.,  
J. B. POWLES,  
To Mr. J. C. PARRISH, Trustee.

To the Editor of the *Fenelon Falls Gazette*.

Sir,—  
Would you kindly make the following information known through your paper, so that women, especially young women, coming to Toronto to find employment may know where to board until they are suited. They will be protected from the

snares which frequently are laid for strangers in a large city, and will find kindness and motherly sympathy from the Superintendent in charge.

The southern branch of the Young Women's Christian Association is on the corner of Richmond and Sheppard streets; the main entrance is on Sheppard street. Board by the day or week, also single meals can be obtained at lowest rates. A limited number of permanent boarders can be accommodated, but rooms are always reserved for transients.

It is a safe, comfortable home under the care of a Committee of ladies who take special interest in young women coming among strangers. As it is not far from the Union Station and in the centre of the city, milliners coming on business have frequently made it their headquarters. Mrs. McLennan is the Superintendent in charge.

MRS. S. J. BRETT,  
Toronto, December 1st, 1896.

#### FENELON FALLS MARKETS.

Reported by the North Star Roller Mill Co.

Fenelon Falls, Friday, Dec. 18th, 1896.

Wheat, Scotch or Fife	75 to 80
Wheat, fall, per bushel	80 83
Wheat, spring	75 78
Barley, per bushel	23 28
Buckwheat	25 28
Oats	18 19
Pease	40 41
Rye	30 32
Potatoes	25 30
Butter, per lb	13 14
Eggs, per dozen	14 15
Hay, per ton	9.99 11.00
Hides	6.00 6.50
Hogs (live)	3.00 3.60
Hogs (Dressed)	4.00 4.50
Beef	3.00 4.00
Sheepskins	20 50
Wool	16 18
Flour, family, Silver Leaf	2.49 2.60
Flour, best bakers'	2.45 2.65
Flour straight rolled	2.39 2.50
Bran, per ton	9.00 11.00
Shorts	11.00 13.00
Mixed chop, per ton	16.00 18.00

#### COUNTY COUNCIL.

TO THE ELECTORS of the Fourth Division of the County of Victoria, composed of the Townships of Somerville, Verulam and the Village of Bobcaygeon.

GENTLEMEN.—I have been requested by a number of friends to become a candidate for your division, and, if elected, will do my utmost to serve you in a manner that will be satisfactory to you and the whole county. My past experience in municipal work will, I think, justify me in asking for your confidence and votes.

Yours faithfully,

JOHN AUSTIN.

#### County Council.

TO THE ELECTORS of the Fifth Division of the County of Victoria, composed of the Townships of Fenelon, Bexley, Laxton, Digby and Longford, and the Village of Fenelon Falls.

GENTLEMEN.—At a meeting of the members of the Fenelon council, and others, after the regular meeting on Tuesday last, I was unanimously chosen as a candidate for the above division, and hereby accept the nomination. I have had a good deal of experience as councillor and reeve, and if elected will do my best to prove myself worthy of the confidence reposed in me.

Yours very truly,

JOHN A. ELLIS.

#### ESTRAY STEER.

Came on to the premises of the undersigned, Lot 27 Con. 3 of Verulam, about six weeks ago, a roan Steer, one year old. The owner can have it upon proving property and paying charges.

GEORGE WOOLF,  
Fenelon Falls P. O.  
Nov. 23rd, 1896.—41.3\*

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When about to select a hat or bonnet do you ask for a shape of the style of ten or twelve years ago? Do you think if the milliner uses the newest trimmings, and arranges them on it in the latest style, that the effect will be exactly right? There will be something wrong; perhaps some people would not notice it, but you would.

#### YOU WANT THE LATEST

especially if it suits your taste and purse. It is all the same when you buy a dress or wrap. The material may be fashionable, the fit good, and the style of making modern, but if it is cut by a chart that has been in use probably since before you wore a dress, you cannot expect it to have that smart, up-to-date appearance so desirable nowadays.

#### THE WORLD MOVES,

and if improvements are made in all other directions, why not in the art of garment cutting? The DE LA MORTON Tailor System is new, but it is NOT an experiment. It is patented and registered, and has been tested long enough to prove its superiority over others, both new and old. If you want correct style and perfect fit, combined with comfort, give it a fair trial. It will cost you no more than the old-fashioned way. Customers express satisfaction every day.

#### M. E. CALDER.

Rooms in McArthur Block, nearly opposite the Post-Office.

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#### NEWSPAPER LAW.

1. A postmaster is required to give notice by letter (returning the paper does not answer the law), when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publisher for payment.  
2. If any person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it is taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until the payment is made.

3. Any person who takes a paper from the post-office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

4. If a subscriber orders his paper to be stopped at a certain time, and the publisher continues to send, the subscriber is bound to pay for it if he takes it out of the post-office. This proceeds upon the ground that a man must pay for what he uses.

5. The courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers and periodicals from the post-office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is *prima facie* evidence of intentional fraud.

The latest postal laws are such that newspaper publishers can arrest any one for fraud who takes a paper and refuses to pay for it. Under this law the man who allows his subscription to run along for some time unpaid, and then orders it discontinued, or orders the postmaster to mark it "refused," and have a postal card sent notifying the publishers, lays himself liable to arrest and fine, the same as for theft.

#### Hurrah for the Holidays!

Just opened out at Nevison's Bazaar, one of the most complete stocks ever brought into Fenelon Falls, consisting of Christmas and New Year's Cards, Stationery and Toilet Articles, a fine line of Books suitable for presents, Toys of all kinds, Pipes, Purses, Pictures and Perfumery, Dolls of all descriptions and sizes, Musical Instruments, a fine assortment of Watches, Wedding Rings and other Jewelry, Fancy China-ware and Glassware, Vases, Bedroom and Toilet Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Dressing and Shaving Cases, Smokers' Sets, Writing Desks and Work Boxes, Wall Paper and Window Shades. Pictures framed to order in all the newest styles of mouldings a specialty.

#### S. NEVISON.

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Your trade, and if you look carefully through this list you will feel that we have taken the right step to secure it. Compare our prices with other stores or with any catalogue of prices that may have been sent you.

34-inch Factory Cotton (nice round thread, smooth finish) for	03 cents
Beautiful Flannelettes in good neat patterns	05
See our regular 10c. Flannellette (32 inches wide) going at	07
25-inch Grey Flannels (good thing to wear)	10
25-inch " " pure all wool, light and dark, plain and twill	15
Pure all wool Factory Flannel, 27 inch, nice neat pattern	23
Very heavy Canton Flannel, good warm nap	08
Fast Color Cotton Shirtings, nice pattern	05
Fancy Plaid Dress Gingham, new designs	05
Good Heavy Feather Ticking	08
Stacks of Fast Color English Prints	05
American Cotton Batts, free from dirt, at four for	25
Big drive in Cottonade, suitable for boys' wear	12½
New winter weight in Tweeds, a big drive	23
58-inch Table Linen, cream laid	24
36 Apron Gingham, fancy borders	10
Fancy Border Towels, 14 x 23 inches, each	02½
Fancy honey-comb Towels, 20 x 48 inches, each	07½
Pure Linen Towels, fancy check, 13 x 26, per dozen	50
54-inch Mantle Cloths, all shades	75
54-inch Heavy Beaver Mantle Cloths	1 00
Children's Coatings in eiderdowns	50
40-inch Tweed Dress Goods, beautiful combinations of colors	20
Nobby Plaid Dress Goods, just the thing for school dresses	10
26-inch ALL wool Serge Dress Goods, 33 shades	25
40-inch ALL wool Black Cashmere, a bargain	33
Ladies' Winter Cashmere Gloves, very fine	15
See our Ladies' Wonder Hose (seamless)	10
Ladies' Winter Undervests, long sleeves	15
Children's Winter Undervests, long sleeves	10
Ladies' Swell Jackets, this season's importation	3 50
Beautiful Lace Curtains, bound edge, cream or white	29
Table Oilcloth, 1½ yards wide, new pattern confined to us	25
Men's and Boys' white unlaundered Shirts, linen bosom	29
Men's Winter Shirts and Drawers, shirts double-breasted	25
Men's Flannelette Shirts, collars attached	17
Men's pure all wool Socks, white heels and toes, heavy	10
Men's strong elastic Braces, very long	12
1,000 Men's and Boys' Caps, bought at a big sacrifice	25
Boys' and girls' School Caps for three prices, 15, 12½ and	10
Men's long Wool Shirts, good and warm for the woods	45
Men's all wool Cardigan Jackets, a snap	75
See our Jumbo white Bed-spread	1 00
Colored Wool Bed Blankets, 54 x 76	1 25
White Wool Bed Blankets, 54 x 76	1 95
Job lot of Ladies' Jackets, small sleeves, to close at	50
Black Velveteens, good silk finish	20
Colored Velveteens, very rich finish	35
Canadian Factory Yarns, all shades, per lb.	45
" " Fingering Yarns, 5c. per skein. By the lb.	65
Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, double heels and toes	25
Men's Heavy all wool Mitts, double	25
Boys' Short Pants, lined all through	25
Men's Serge Pants, well made and trimmed	75
Men's very strong wool Tweed Pants, 313 pairs	1 00
Men's Navy and Black Serge Suits, single and double breasted	2 75
Big drive in Children's two-piece Suits, size 22 to 28, for	1 25
" " " Boys' " " " 22 to 32, for	2 75
Men's Black Waterproof Coats, all sizes	1 50
Men's double breasted all wool Frieze Ulsters, tweed lined, half belt, muff pockets, tab for throat, full standard length	3 95
Boys' Overcoats at all prices, \$5, \$4, \$3.50, \$2.50 and	2 00
Men's four-button all wool Suits, Italian lined, neat pattern	4 50
Horse Blankets, shaped and strapped	50
Bed Comforters, 68 x 72	1 25
2½ Bushel Grain Bags, Eagle brand, seamless, 16 ounce, 3 ply, per doz.	2.40
New Brunswick Cotton Yarn, five pounds for	90

Our space will not permit us to enumerate a larger price list, but we have HUNDREDS of untold bargains waiting for you. We have this season laid in the best assorted stock ever shown in Lindsay, and at prices that will make it move out quickly.

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