

**EAVETROUGHING ETC.**—Mr. George McGee, of the new hardware store, has secured the services of Mr. H. Ackert, of Ingersoll, a first-class practical tinner, and is now prepared to attend to all orders with which he may be favored in this line. Special attention given to eavetroughing and roofing.

**THE CROPS.**—The recent abundant rain did a great deal of good; though the weather was very chilly, and all sorts of vegetation is getting on finely. Fall wheat and grass are much farther advanced than is usual thus early in the season, and a farmer told us one day last week that he had not seen clover look as promising for many years.

A Sunderland lady writes Dr. Neelands that he had made her a successful fit after having eight sets of teeth made in Toronto and elsewhere.—43tf

**A HAWK KILLED.**—Last Saturday one of our village boys picked up on the vacant ground behind Twomey's hotel the body of a very large hawk that had been but a short time dead. It is no doubt the one that visited the Falls so frequently last winter and killed dozens of tame pigeons, the owners of which were of course anxious to put an end to it. A superficial examination showed no wound, but it may have received a single shot in a vital part, and then flown a considerable distance.

**A RARE TREAT.**—Miss E. Pauline Johnston's recital in Dickson's hall on Wednesday evening was a rare treat, and the St. James' Sisterhood deserve to be commended for giving the Fenelon Falls public an opportunity of hearing an artist of such wide repute and undoubted talent. Miss Johnston's poetry is of high merit, strong, clear and finished. It breathes the very spirit of Indian life and Indian nature, and her great elocutionary power and her distinctly Indian personality make her recitations of it unusually entertaining. Her "light comedy" recitations prove her to be equally gifted in that direction.

**AN EAGLE SHOT.**—A few days ago we met Mr. E. W. Glaspell, caretaker of Grand Island, in Balsam Lake, who comes to the Falls occasionally, and he told us that on the 18th inst. he shot one of a pair of bald eagles that have lived on the island about ten years and have their nest between two forked limbs at the top of a tremendously high pine that towers above the neighboring trees like a giant in a crowd of ordinary men. Seeing one of the birds settle down in the nest, he took a steady aim at it with his 44-calibre rifle, the cartridge in which contained a very heavy charge of powder; and, though the distance could not have been much less than five hundred yards, the bullet went clean through the nest and its occupant, and the latter came fluttering to the ground nearly, but not quite, dead. The bird, which proved to be the female, measured 5 feet 10 1/2 inches from tip to tip of its wings, and must have been a specimen worth preserving; but Mr. Glaspell (possibly because he was alone on the island and could not leave for nearly a week) cut off his victim's head and feet and threw its body away.

There is a general feeling in Montreal that the railway rate war will be settled this week.

Ten days ago wheat sold at \$1.03 1/2 at Fort William. On Tuesday it sold at \$1.25, and there was great excitement at Winnipeg.

Hamilton is so well satisfied with the result of its potato patch experiment last year that it will be tried again this year.

The skeleton of a mastodon, in a good state of preservation, was lately dug up in America. It was found about six feet below the surface. One of the tusks measures 7 feet 8 inches in length.

The report of the first official destruction of fruit trees in the campaign against the San Jose scale was received on April 29th at the Department of Agriculture. Four hundred and ninety-eight plum, peach and pear trees from an orchard near Kingsville were burned. The owner will receive one-quarter the value of the trees.

A despatch from Montreal says that an epidemic of infanticide seems to be raging in the eastern townships, and the Provincial Attorney has sent an officer, who has arrested, at South Roxton, John McCormick, the father of one of the children, which was thrown to the dogs. The mother is a 15-year-old French-Canadian girl named Rosana Couture. Other arrests will follow.

The Rossin House, Toronto, has received two requests for quotations on options on extensive suites of apartments to be occupied during the coming summer by two New York families. The head of one of the families is a prominent officer in the United States army. He will go to the front, and his wife, who is in delicate health, will come to Toronto, to escape the excitement which is sure to reign in the big "American" cities during the war.

One of the latest things in surgery is the practice of embalming an injured limb as a substitute for amputation. It is claimed by a celebrated surgeon that much more tissue is thereby saved.

**DIED.**

**ARCHER.**—At Fenelon Falls, on Saturday, April 23rd, 1898, Thomas E., eldest son of Thomas Archer, aged 18 years and 11 months.

**BLOTT.**—In the township of Stanhope, on Sunday, April 24th, 1898, Catherine R. Redner, relict of the late W. W. Blott, aged 40 years and 11 months.

**NORTHEY.**—At Fenelon Falls, on Sunday, April 24th, Joseph Alvin, youngest son of Felix A. Northey, aged 9 months and 12 days.

**LOCHHEAD.**—At Brantford, on Sunday, April 24th, 1898, Anna Cameron, youngest daughter of the Rev. Wm. Lochhead, formerly of Fenelon Falls.

**CORRESPONDENCE.**

To the Editor of the Gazette.

Sir:—Your correspondent "Fair Play" of last week is in error in regard to Mr. Jackett only getting twenty dollars for the drinking taps in question. The council of 1895 gave him a grant of fifty dollars for this convenience, and in 1896 the council supplemented this with a grant of twenty dollars extra, making in all a grant of seventy dollars a year for taps and one drinking trough. This amount has never been changed since. Mr. Jackett has never said in my time in council that this is not enough, and I am sure that the council all appreciate his efforts in supplying good water and do not wish to pay him off with too small an amount.

Yours etc.,  
R. M. MASON, Reeve.

**FENELON FALLS MARKETS.**

Reported by the North Star Roller Mill Co.

Fenelon Falls, Friday, April 29th, 1898		
Wheat, Scotch or Fife	1.00 to 1.05	
Wheat, fall, per bushel	90	95
Wheat, spring	95	1.00
Barley, per bushel	28	35
Buckwheat	33	35
Oats	30	31
Pease	55	56
Rye	44	45
Potatoes	25	30
Butter, per lb	14	15
Eggs, per dozen	8	9
Hay, per ton	8.00	9.00
Hides	6.00	6.50
Hogs (live)	4.00	4.50
Hogs (Dressed)	5.50	5.75
Beef	4.50	5.00
Sheepskins	50	75
Wool	17	19
Flour, family, Silver Leaf	2.90	3.15
Flour, best bakers'	3.00	3.25
Flour straight rolled	2.70	2.90
Bran, per ton	12.00	14.00
Shorts	14.00	16.00
Mixed chop, per ton	17.00	19.00

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Fenelon Falls, April 25th, 1898.

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Fenelon Falls, July 1st, 1897.—21.52

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