

## For the Picnic or Camp.

Davies' Cooked Ham (boneless) 30c. a pound,  
 " Corned Beef, 17 and 30c. a tin,  
 " Veal Loaf, 15 and 25c. a tin,  
 " Potted Meats, 10c. a tin,  
 " Dried Beef in glass jars, 20c. each,  
 " English Brawn, 15 and 30c. a tin,  
 " Lunch Tongue, 30c. a tin,  
 " Canned Soups, 15c. a tin,  
 " Pork and Beans, 5 and 10c. a tin.

Best Lime Juice, 15c. a bottle.  
 Christie's Biscuits in 20 varieties.  
 Cream Cheese in pots. 25c. each.  
 Best Pickles, 2 bottles for 25c.  
 Huyler's Cocoas and Chocolates, the finest and purest goods made. Ask for sample.  
 4 lbs. best Prunes for 25 cents.  
 4 lbs. best Ginger Snaps for 25 cents.  
 2½ lbs. best Fruit Biscuit for 25 cents.  
 4 lbs. best Currants for 25c.  
 Our Teas and Coffees cannot be beaten for quality and price. Ask for free sample of our 25c. Tea and compare it with the kind you are using.

### DRY GOODS.

On Saturday, July 16th, there will be special cut prices in Clothing, Ladies' Wrappers and Skirts, Prints and Flannellettes, Underwear, Hosiery and Smallware. Call and get our prices whether you buy or not.

## W. BURCOYNE.

Departmental Store.

## YOUR HOLIDAY WANTS SUPPLIED AT REDUCED PRICES UNTIL THE 12TH OF JULY.

Ladies' Dress Skirts in black and tweed from \$2.00 to \$5.00

Duck Skirts in black and white and navy and white, plain and trimmed, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Black Sateen Underskirts. A special \$1.25 skirt for 99c. Better qualities, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Children's colored Parasols in plaids at 25c. Plain white and red at 50c.

Just received a new stock of Ladies' Rain Coats from \$5 to \$10.

Fancy Collars of all kinds, white and colored, from 15c. to \$1.50.

A special bargain in Muslins this week.

3 pieces white lace striped Muslin, regular price 12½ and 15c. Special price 10c.

6 pieces fancy Muslin, regular price 15 and 18c. for 12c.

Summer Corsets in white percale and net. Special price 49c.

Ladies' silk and taffeta Gloves in white, black and colored, 25 to 75c.

Ladies' Silk Blouses in black, white and colors, all the latest styles and at popular prices.

Silk Collar Forms in black and white at 10c.

All our Millinery to be sold at reduced price from now until July 12th. Call and see the new summer styles we are showing. They are the very latest.

## WM. CAMPBELL.

## The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, Aug. 5th, 1904.

### Dissatisfied Conservatives.

A large percentage of the Conservatives in Victoria and Haliburton, including several of the most influential, object to Col. Sam Hughes as their standard bearer in the coming election for the House of Commons, and Mr. T. G. Irwin, of Mariposa, in a letter to the *Watchman-Warder*, says:

"I am forced to the conclusion that to enter the contest with Col. Hughes as the candidate means the election of the Liberal candidate; that is, if one be put in the field. I think it would be unfortunate if the success of our party in this strong conservative constituency were to be imperilled through disaffection in our own ranks.... I can come to but one conclusion; that is, seek another candidate before it is too late, for to me it appears that it will require more than a will-o'-the-wisp and his magic lantern to heal the differences that are entirely attributable to the colonel's scheming genius."

Mr. Irwin may rest assured that a Liberal candidate will be put in the field, and we think he may also rest assured—though the assurance may disturb his rest—that Sam Hughes won't retire in favor of Dr. Vrooman or any other man, because, you know, he is n't of a retiring disposition. And what are the anti-colonelites going to do about it? We have n't the least personal ill feeling towards the Boer-busting hero of South Africa, but we want to see this constituency represented in the House of Commons by a Liberal, as we believe it will be after the next election. Besides, Col. Hughes is considered to be, and is often spoken of as, "the member for McKenzie & Mann," and a man sent to Ottawa as the representative of a constituency ought to represent it, and not an aggregation of capitalists. The "antis" can get rid of the colonel either by putting a second Conservative candidate in the field, (if they can find any one willing to enter it with the certainty of being beaten,) or by clipping in and helping the Liberal, whoever he may be. For Sam's opponents in his own party to simply stay at home upon polling day would be easy, but it might not be sufficient insure to his defeat, as a good many Liberals, aware of the disaffection in the Conservative ranks, might consider their own candidate quite safe and stay at home too. We have not the slightest doubt that this constituency, after the next election, will be represented either by a Liberal or by Col. Sam Hughes.

### A Chum For Sam.

Lord Dundreary—beg pardon: Dundonald, we mean—has gone home to England, but it appears probable that he intends to return to Canada. The *Toronto Star* says:

"Lord Dundonald has not sold his grey horses. Before leaving Ottawa he did not have an auction sale of his household effects. Therefore it is rumored that he will return to Canada, after a trip to England in which he will resign from the army, and with both feet planted in Canada, will enter politics in real earnest and seek election to the House of Commons. So be it. Should Lord Dundonald follow this programme, a new interest, if not actual excitement, will be imported into our politics. In taking that course he would necessarily discard the halo so far worn as a non-partisan military expert, seeking to improve the defences of his Majesty's dominions. He would hang up his halo at home and come back here in his private capacity. He would be reduced to his own inherent value, and would have to meet the leaders of the Liberal party on level ground. We trust that those who treasure the memory that on a certain rollicking night they had the honor of being among the five thousand who shook hands with a lord, will bear with us if we observe that the Liberals of the country need look forward with no misgivings to such an encounter, if it is fated to occur. Why should the prospect not attract Lord Dundonald? Has he not some excuse for regarding himself as the hero of the Canadian public? Was he not borne triumphantly through the streets of Toronto and Ottawa, and stormed by an admiring crowd on reaching Montreal last night? Does he not see here a Conservative party hungering for an enthusiasm—for such an enthusiasm as he seems able to supply? Even if he knows—and he may not know—that is not the people, but the Conservatives, who have taken him up, because of his quarrel with their adversaries in office, is not that enough to attract him? The prospect is one of adventure. It is in line with family tradition. His grandfather played a stormy role in Chile and in Brazil, and why should not he also cut a figure in a toy state across

seas? He has nothing in particular to do in the near future, unless there should be an entanglement with Russia that would give soldiers of title a good chance."

If Lord Dundonald should come back to this Canada of ours and effect an entrance into the House of Commons, what a chum for Sam Hughes he'll make; provided always that Sam be not bounded at the next election, of which, judging from present indications, there is more than a possibility. That Sam will try—if he have a chance—to cultivate Lord Dundonald's acquaintance is a foregone conclusion; but, to succeed, he will have to carefully avoid wounding his lordship's *amour propre*, for the majority of persons of noble birth are pretty considerably "stuck up," and even colonels—especially colonial colonels—are expected to address them reverentially, and Sam's "organ of veneration," as the phrenologists call it, is very imperfectly developed. But is he can sufficiently subdue his native impudence to gain his lordship's good will, they may become real chummy and mutually helpful, for Lord Dundonald can shed some of his "halo" on Sam, and Sam, in return, can give his lordship pointers on Canadian politics and military affairs. So mote it be! for it will afford much gratification to the residents of this constituency to see their representative—or even their ex-representative—in Parliament hob-nobbing with a real live lord.

### A Better Method Needed.

Some very interesting information is being gathered by H. B. Gowan, Superintendent of Agricultural Societies, who is making an investigation of the work being done by the various agricultural societies of the province. It has been found that, as a general rule, the exhibitions that are paying out the largest sums for special attractions are giving the least for agricultural purposes. Many of the township societies in the province receiving small grants are holding much better exhibitions and doing more for the cause of agriculture than a large number of district societies are doing; while there are many township societies which hold such poor exhibitions that they should be closed up or utilize their funds for other purposes. In quite a few counties in the province there are so many exhibitions that they conflict with each other seriously. Fewer, but better, exhibitions would be a great improvement in these counties.

### Personals.

Mr. A. P. Ross, of Jamestown, N. Y., is visiting his uncle, Mr. G. J. Nie.

Rev. A. B. Chafee, of Cobocook, was at the Falls for a few hours on Tuesday.

Miss Florence Adams, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Rutherford, in Fenelon.

Mr. Bert Towle left on Saturday, to spend three weeks at Mr. Wm. McIntosh's at Rosedale.

Mr. Henry E. Austin, of Toronto, was at the Falls, visiting relatives, from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. William Stimson, of Peterboro', was on a visit to friends in Verulam from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. Henry Smith returned from Bowmansville on Friday, and will remain at home for a month or six weeks.

Miss Anderson, of Peterborough, is at the Falls visiting the Misses Hand, and will be here until the end of next week, or longer.

Dr. S. J. Sims will leave on Saturday for a trip to the Canadian Soo and Mackinaw, Mich., and will be home in about a fortnight.

Miss Mary Inkpin, of Peterborough, returned to that city on Monday, after a fortnight's visit to her parents at the Falls and relatives in Verulam.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Metzger, of Rochester, N. Y., came to the Falls on Monday for a fortnight's visit to Mrs. Metzger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Archer.

Mr. James Dyer, son of the Principal of the Albert College, Belleville, left for home on Monday, after spending a few days with his friends, Archie and George Wilson.

Mr. C. J. Monro and Mr. W. T. Stratton, of Buffalo, N. Y., who are touring the Kawartha Lakes District, have been at the Falls all this week, and on Monday favored the *Gazette* with a call.

Mrs. Thompson and her sister, Miss Edna Worsley, were at the Falls visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Worsley, from Saturday until Tuesday. Their sister Violet accompanied them to the city.

Miss Mary Cogan, of the Post-office Department, Ottawa, and her cousin, Mr. H. Gordon O'Leary, of Lindsay, paddled from Sturgeon Point to the Falls on Monday morning, and spent the day at Mr. Hand's.

Mr. Thomas Archer returned to his home at the Falls on Saturday last, after an absence of between three and

four years. His many friends are glad to see him look much better than when he left, and restored to perfect health.

**A BIG BASS**—A few days ago Mr. Syms, of Toronto, caught a black bass that weighed 6½ lbs., at Ball Island, in Balsam Lake. It was sent to the city and stuffed; and, (if its mouth isn't too big) stands a chance of winning the fishing rod put up for competition by the proprietors of the *Toronto Star*.

**THE BOBOYGEON RAILWAY**—The first train was run into Boboygeon on Thursday of last week. There was a big crowd in the little village, which was decorated with flags and banners, and the Fenelon Falls brass band was there. In the evening there was a Church of England garden party, and the *Manita* took about fifty people to it from the Falls.

**PAROCHIAL EXCURSION**—An excursion per steamer *Kenosha*, under the auspices of St. James's church, Fenelon Falls, and St. Peter's, Verulam, will take place some time this month; and in all probability the point of destination will be that pretty summer resort known as Chemong Park. Posters announcing particulars will appear in due time.

**A HEAVY LOAD**—Mr. Tom Scott's little horse is probably as strong a one for its size as there is in the county. He walks off quite easily with 2,500 lbs. in the wagon, and on Tuesday he drew from the railway station to Reeve McFarland's new building a load of timber which, placed on a scale, was found to weigh 4,200 lbs., and the horse, to judge by his looks, does n't weigh much over half a ton.

**S. S. EXCURSION**—The annual Methodist Sunday School excursion will be held on Wednesday next, the 10th inst. The steamer *Kenosha* will leave here at 8 a. m., and will be home at a reasonable hour in the evening. Tickets, 25c. and 15c. The usual program of sports is being arranged for. As nearly all our best girls are Methodists, we like to "take in" their excursions; but Wednesday is one of our busy days.

**ANOTHER NEW HOUSE**—Mr. Harry Robson is building a very nice house on his quarter acre lot on Queen street. It is to be two stories high, brick veneered, 27 x 31 feet, with verandah and summer kitchen. The stone foundation, which is finished, was built by Mr. Givens, of Boboygeon, and Mr. G. H. Littleton has already commenced the carpenter work, which will be completed as soon as possible, and then the bricklayer and painter will do the rest.

**TRUE BLUE SERMON**—The Rev. Mr. Kenny will preach a sermon on Sunday next, the 7th inst., in the evening, to the members of the Empire L. T. B. Lodge No. 198, in the Methodist church. The members of the Orange order are cordially invited to attend. All members are requested to meet for parade at 6:30 sharp at Jordan's hall. A hearty invitation is extended to all visiting brethren and sister societies to be with us on this occasion. God defend the faith.

**GONE CAMPING**—Messrs. H. Littleton, E. Pearce, C. Deyman, J. Minore, R. J. Moore, B. Burgess, L. McKillen, and M. Quigg, of the Cataract Outing Club, with Mr. Geo. Quibell as "minister of the interior," left on Monday for a two weeks' camp on Stony Lake. The Club uniforms of red, black and khaki are gay, and so are the boys behind them. The *Kawartha* took the party to their destination, and will go back for them at the close of their holiday.

**COMMITTED FOR VAGRANCY**—While lying asleep on the bank of the river, opposite the Kawartha House, about 11 o'clock on Tuesday night, a man named John Sampson was arrested by Constable Brock, who took him to Lindsay next day, and Col. Deacon sent him to the County jail for thirty days at hard labor. Sampson plays the fiddle and the fife, and can probably earn enough, to keep him decently; but he drinks, and leads a vagrant life, and occasionally has to take the consequences.

**THE IRON BRIDGE**—A concrete floor is to be laid on the iron bridge, and preparations for the work are being made under the superintendence of Mr. Alex. McGee, who is "bossing the job." Mr. LeRoy, the representative of the Hamilton Bridge Co., was here this week taking measurements for the steel girders that his company is to supply, and the county's stone crusher is at work near the south end of the bridge, making one of the ingredients of the concrete. Circumstances permitting, we shall have more to say on the subject next week.

**DEW DROP INN CAMP**—The jolly party of about twenty-five young people known as the "Dew Drop Inn" camp are again located at Rosedale. Among the members are Miss Sinclair, of Port Severn, Miss N. Manning, of Toronto, Miss M. Needham, of Millbrook, Misses Robson, of Lindsay, Miss Magwood, of