

The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, Dec. 15th, 1905.

Death of Judge Dean.

The news of the death of Judge Dean in Lindsay on Monday morning occasioned some surprise as well as a good deal of regret in this village, as, though it was known that he was in delicate health, it was not thought that his condition was serious. The following sketch of his career appeared in Tuesday's *Globe*:

"William Warren Dean, County Court Judge of Victoria, was born in London, Ont., Oct. 25th, 1830. He was the fifth son of the late Rev. Horace Dean, a pioneer of the Methodist church, and both his father and his mother (nee Ruth Tisdale) were of U. E. Loyalist descent. After leaving the grammar school at Barrie, William Warren Dean entered Victoria University at Cobourg, from which he graduated with a B. A. in 1854. He studied law in the office of the late Hon. Lewis Wallbridge, Q. C., was called to the bar in 1858, and opened an office in Belleville, where he became Master in Chancery. During the administration of Hon. Edward Blake he, for a short time, was Acting Deputy Minister of Justice, but resigned on his appointment, Sept. 9th, 1874, as Judge of the County Court of Victoria, the position he held until his death. The late Judge Dean was a prominent member of the Methodist church, a representative in the General Conference of that body, and a member of the Board of Regents of Victoria University. He married, early in life, the eldest daughter of the late Gilbert Bogart of Belleville."

The *Globe's* remark that Judge Dean, besides being a more than competent County Judge, was a broad-minded and useful citizen, will be endorsed by the people of this county, and his personal qualities—prominent amongst which was his strong sense of humor—made him exceedingly popular. He leaves a widow and four children—two sons and two daughters. He was buried at Belleville on Wednesday; but there was a very impressive and numerous attended service in the Cambridge street Methodist church, Lindsay, on Tuesday afternoon.

Another Distribution of Seed Grain.

At the request of Mr. Wm. Saunders, Director of Experimental Farms, we publish the following for the benefit of our country readers:

By instruction of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture, another distribution will be made this season of samples of the most productive kinds of grain to Canadian farmers for the improvement of seed. The stock for distribution is of the very best, and this year has been secured mainly from the excellent crops recently had at the branch Experimental Farms at Indian Head, Sask., and at Brandon, Man. The distribution this spring will consist of samples of oats, spring wheat, barley, Indian corn (for ensilage only) and potatoes. The quantity of oats to be sent this year will be 4 lbs., and of wheat or barley 5 lbs., sufficient in each case to sow one-twentieth of an acre. The samples of Indian corn and potatoes will weigh 3 lbs., as heretofore. A quantity of each of the following varieties has been secured for this distribution:—

OATS.—Banner, Wide-Awake, Abundance, Thousand Dollar, Improved Ligowo, Goldfinder and Waverley.

WHEAT.—Preston, Red Fife, Percy, Stanley, Huron, Laurel and White Fife.

BARLEY.—*Six-Rowed.*—Mensury, Odessa, Mansfield, Claude and Royal. *Two-Rowed.*—Standwell, Invincible, Canadian Thorpe and Sidney.

INDIAN CORN (for ensilage).—Early sorts, Angel of Midnight, Compton's Early and Longfollow; later varieties, Selected Leaming, Early Mastodon and White Cap Yellow Dent.

POTATOES.—Carman No. 1, Early White Prize, Rochester Rose, Uncle Sam, American Wonder, Bovoc, Early Andes and Late Puritan.

Every farmer may apply, but only one sample can be sent to each applicant; hence if an individual receives a sample of oats he cannot also receive one of wheat, barley or potatoes. Lists of names from one individual, or applications for more than one sample for household, cannot be entertained. The samples will be sent free of charge through the mail.

Applications should be addressed to the Director of Experimental Farms, Ottawa, and may be sent in any time before the 1st of March, after which the lists will be closed, so that all the samples asked for may be sent out in good time for sowing. Parties writing should mention the sort or variety they would prefer, with a second sort as an alternative; and should the available stock of both these varieties be exhausted, some other good sort will be sent instead. Those applying for Indian corn or potatoes will please bear in mind that the corn is not available for distribution till March or April, and that potatoes cannot be mailed from here until danger from frost in transit is over. No postage is required on mail matter addressed to the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

New Books at the Public Library.

The following new books have been received at the public library:

- Nedra McCutcheon
- Conquest of Caanan Tarkington
- My Friend the Chauffeur Williamson
- Familiar Trees Matthews
- Beatrice of Venice Pemberton
- The Alien Montessor
- Never Too Late to Mend Reade
- For the Mikado Munroe
- The Clansman Dixon
- The Gambler Thurston
- Dorothea Maartens
- Two Little Savages Thompson
- The Coming of Billy Westrup
- Rodney Stone Doyle
- Pole Baker Harben
- English Orphans Holmes
- Extinct Civilization of the West Anderson
- College Botany Bastia

School Reports.

Examination Dec. 1; Continuation "B"; Geography, total 100.—J. Graham 71, E. Maybee 55, G. Graham 57, N. Wilson 60, K. Junkin 43, V. McIntosh 37.

Continuation "A"; Arithmetic, total 100.—M. Austin 66, B. Mason 64, S. Mason 64, U. Shaue 53, J. Twomey 53, R. Knox 50, M. Palmer 47, U. McDougall 43, G. Twomey 38, P. Puley 35.

Continuation, Form 1; Latin, total 100.—G. Mark 95, U. Shaue 94, S. Mason 93, M. Austin 90, Genevieve Twomey 88, J. Twomey 87, W. McDougall 86, J. Austin 73, R. Knox 73, P. Puley 46, B. Mason absent.

Continuation, Form 2; French, total 100.—G. Graham 80, K. Junkin 76, N. Wilson 60, J. Graham 55.

Powles' Corner.

(Correspondence of the Gazette.)

There will be a Christmas tree and entertainment in the school house here on Saturday evening, the 23rd. The programme will consist of recitations, dialogues and singing. Those who are superintending the coming event are working hard to make the programme as entertaining as possible. Don't forget the date, and come and spend a pleasant evening. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Mr. Edward Dunn, of Cameron, is making his last trip through this section with his grain thrasher, but there is some clover yet to thresh.

The winter has commenced, and so has the bucksaw. It is to be hoped that this coming winter will not be as severe as the last two.

Quite a large number from here attended the fowl supper at Cameron last Monday night.

Our school will close here Friday evening, the 22nd. Miss Nis has done exceedingly well, and will go away with the good wishes of her scholars and their parents.

Mrs. William Bowles, of Randolph, spent a week visiting her brother, Mr. O. Glaspell.

Fell's Station.

(Correspondence of the Gazette.)

As there has not been any news from here for a long time, I thought I would try and send you a few items.

Mrs. William Tipling, of Honey Grove, went to Kinmount on Saturday, called there on account of the illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thos. Fell.

Basket socials are all the rage this winter. The one at Fell's school on Friday evening, the 8th, was a splendid success, over fifty dollars being made. There was a very nice programme prepared, consisting of music, singing, recitations, readings and dialogues, in which all acted their parts very ably, and a very enjoyable time was spent by all. The selling of the baskets was also a very interesting feature.

Mrs. Wm. Mitchell went to Lindsay on Saturday and returned the same day.

Miss M. Martin, we hear, is about to resign her duties as teacher of Fell's school, in which she has taught four terms, and many are the regrets that she is going to leave, as her unfailing interest and careful attention have brought the children along well and in the right way. We are not likely to fare better in securing another teacher.

A programme and Xmas tree are in preparation for the scholars in closing the school for the Xmas holidays.

Personals.

Mr. George Mark went to Lindsay on Tuesday, to take a position in the Ontario Bank.

Miss Emily Hand left on Tuesday, to spend two or three days with relatives in Lindsay.

Mr. C. W. Burgoyne left on Monday for a business trip to Toronto, and returned on Wednesday.

Mrs. (Rev.) Sinclair was in Lindsay on Friday and Saturday last, the guest of Mrs. Duncan Ray.

Mr. Thomas West came home from South River on Friday last, and will probably remain all winter.

Mr. William Heard, of Bowmanville, is at the Falls visiting his brother Joseph, and will remain until after Xmas.

Mrs. Edward Wilkinson left on Tuesday to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Gerow, in Lindsay, until the end of the week.

Mrs. M. H. McCallum, accompanied by Master Gerald, left yesterday to spend Christmas with friends at Palmerston.

Mr. James Thompson, who left Varulam for Manitoba between fifteen and twenty years ago, has been here since Saturday.

Mr. Fred Hamilton returned from Toronto to the Falls last week, and has resumed his old position in Mr. F. H. Magee's harness shop.

Mrs. Thos. Woodall and her sister, Miss Olive Hayward, who has been here about nine months, left on Monday to visit their parents at Woodstock, and Mr. Woodall will go in time to spend Christmas with them.

BANK CALENDARS.—The Bank of B. N. A. has received its annual calendars, and asks us to inform its customers of the fact.

FOUND.—In St. James' church, after evening service on Nov. 26th, an Epworth League stick pin was found. The owner can obtain it from the caretaker of the church, Mr. E. Wilkinson.

ANOTHER BANK.—The Bank of Montreal is about to open a branch here, and the store in the Twomey block is being fitted up for its reception. It will be managed by Mr. Myles Hamilton, at present accountant in the branch at Peterborough.

THE RINKS.—The work of putting ice in the rinks is progressing rapidly, and everything will be ready for business in a few days if the present cold weather continue. Mr. Edward Chambers is the lessee of the skating rink this season, and the ice in the curling rink will be looked after by Mr. C. Tobico.

BAPTIST SOCIAL.—The social held in the vestry of the Baptist church last Friday evening, on the occasion of the annual opening of the mite boxes, was well attended. There was a short musical programme, and a very pleasant social evening was spent. The proceeds amounted to about \$12.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—The pastor will preach on Sunday, Dec. 17th, both morning and evening. Subjects: morning, "Source of Power and Blessing;" evening, "Is there a Future Probation?" On Tuesday evening, at 7.30, a service for prayer and bible study will be held. Portion for study, Eph. 6th chapter. All will be made welcome.

TO-NIGHT AND TO-MORROW.—Remember the moving picture exhibition in Twomey's hall to-night and to-morrow night, under the auspices of the Curling Club. These pictures were shown here a couple of weeks ago, and are pronounced excellent by all who saw them. Tickets 25 and 35 cents. There will be a matinee for school children on Saturday afternoon at 2.30. Admission 10 cents.

A LINDSAY LADY HONORED.—The Toronto University Woman's Club held its annual luncheon at Webb's on Saturday afternoon. Many lady graduates of colleges in Great Britain, the United States and Canada were present. In replying to the toast "Alma Mater," the Toronto Star says: "Miss Neelds, of University College, Toronto, ably represented Canadian Universities."

THE COLDEST YET.—This (Thursday) morning is the coldest since winter set in, and Mr. Wm. Campbell's registering thermometer showed that some time during the night the temperature fell to four degrees below zero. There is enough snow on the ground to make fairly good "cutting," but wagons are still used for drawing in heavy loads from the country.

ACCIDENTS.—Two slight accidents have happened in the Sandford factory within the past few days. On Saturday Arthur Boyce had the first joint of the third finger of his right hand cut by a band-saw, and Dr. Wilson dressed the wound; and on Tuesday Charles Deyman, who runs the turning lathe, lost a small piece of flesh off the tip of his right fore-finger. "Charley" was able to go to work again on Thursday, but "Art" will probably be idle until near the end of next week.

A BOOK FOR BOYS.—Among the new books recently placed on the shelves of the public library is one by Ernest Thompson Seton, entitled "Two Little Savages." This is one of the brightest boys' books that has come under our notice for years, and an additional interesting feature lies in the fact that the lads of this village are able to verify the statements concerning animal and bird life, etc., by personal experiences. Our advice to the boys on the matter is, if you are not a member of the public library, get to work on the "old man" about your Christmas present.

(Additional locals on eighth page.)

XMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Burgoyne's Store is a Veritable Santa Claus Headquarters This Week.

You will find here the Largest Assortment to Choose from and Prices Most Moderate.

220 Dozen (2640) Handkerchiefs, beginning at the small two-cent Picture Handkerchief for the little tots, and up to the finest Silk and Linen Embroidered at \$1.50 each. Positively the largest range ever shown in this department.

Ladies' Golf Jackets, very comfortable for skating or driving, \$1 to \$2 each.

Men's Silk Mufflers, 25c. to \$1 each.

Ladies' Fancy Collars, very dainty designs, and scarcely two alike, 25c. to \$1.50 each.

Men's Silk Umbrellas, \$1.75 to \$3 each.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, the best value in town, \$1 per pair.

Men's Kid and Mocha Gloves, silk lined, \$1.25 per pair.

Ladies' Silk Belts, 25c. to \$1.50 each.

Men's Neckwear in very handsome designs and most correct shapes, 25c. and 50c. each.

Ladies' Shopping Bags, 25c. to \$3 each.

A table full of Fancy China, Mirrors, Perfumes, Photo Frames, etc., at 10c. to 25c. each.

GROCERIES.

Is your name on our list of Grocery Customers? If you would save money on your everyday requirements you should do your trading here. Our Groceries are brought fresh every week, and quality is the best. Try us for your Xmas order.

W. BURGOYNE,
FENELON FALLS' MOST MODERN STORE.

The Approaching Holidays

Demand attention this week. The custom is becoming more general year by year of giving more useful presents to our friends and relatives. Let us aid you. Our stock is replete with novelties and staples.

- Ladies' Wool Cloaks, at 25c., 40c., 60c., 75c. and \$1.
- Ladies' Neckwear, special lines at 35c. to \$1.25.
- Child's Bear Coats, \$2.25 to \$3.50.
- Cushion Tops, 30c. to \$1.
- Walrus Leather Avenue Bags, 90c. to \$2.25.

W.M. CAMPBELL.

YOU HAVE

Just Eight More Days

Christmas

Between now and Christmas to do your shopping. There are gifts to buy, personal needs possibly on the want list. The Xmas Cake, Pudding still to make—but you know the whole big list of things required.

We have on hand a stock of the

Best Quality of Raisins, Currants, Figs, Dates, Peels, Nuts and Candies of all kinds, Oranges, etc.,

in addition to a full line of General Groceries.

We also have a complete range of the best quality, best fitting Ready-made Clothing and Boots and Shoes in the County.

A full line of the latest designs in

Crockery, German and Japanese China and Souvenirs.

This year we are better prepared for bigger business and to give better service. No matter whom the gift is for, how much or how little you intend to spend, you will find it here, and

YOUR MONEY WILL STRETCH
to its limit length on anything you buy.

JOS. McFARLAND.