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A heavy stock of the best Scranton coal always on hand, also charcoal.

All kinds of green and dry wood bought at highest price.

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DR. SHARPE,
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will be at the
MANSION HOUSE, FENELON FALLS,
Wed. and Thurs. April 15th and 16th,
And Wednesday and Thursday of
every alternate week following.
Satisfaction assured—Plate, Crown and
Bridge work a Specialty.

The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, April 3rd. 1908.

Newspaper Changes.

The storm centre of newspaperdom in this county is to be transferred, in the immediate future, from Fenelon Falls to Lindsay. The latter town, with a population of between seven and eight thousand people, has for quite a number of years had only two papers, while the former village, with only about a thousand inhabitants, has a like number. From statements made by the Lindsay papers, it appears that they have incurred the wrathful indignation of the liquor interests by declining to insert advertisements for them, and that the said liquor interests are at the back of a third paper which is to be started there in a few days. Whether this is correct or not is hard to say, but that the third paper is to appear is now beyond question. Mr. J. V. McNulty, who for years has been on the staff of the Post, has severed his connection with that paper to take the management of the new publication, and he will have as his right-hand man Mr. R. J. Moore, who has been publishing the Fenelon Falls Star for the greater part of its eight years of existence. The Star, we understand, is to be discontinued and the plant removed to Lindsay, where it will form part of the equipment of the new office. The Star, since its commencement, has been running an uphill race on a road not wide enough for two, and Bro. Moore, who bought it from its founder without, perhaps, looking over the field as carefully as he should have done, soon realized that there was "nothing in it" for two papers at the Falls, and, probably considering Lindsay a more promising field, has decided on the transfer. While of course not shedding any tears over the demise of the Star, we regret that its discontinuance involves the removal of Mr. Moore, who has always proved himself a good citizen, a good business man and a good printer—also a good curler.

Whether the new paper will prove a successful business venture remains to be seen. The two old establishments in the county town apparently have the ground pretty well covered, but if the "other fellow" gets out a better, newer paper he may build up a good subscription and advertising list. No person can deny his right to have a try at it anyway, so long as he plays a fair game. Our Lindsay contemporaries, of course, consider three a crowd, but then, perhaps, they have never been in a real crowd. If about a dozen new papers were to set up there, the proportion to the population would be somewhere in the neighborhood of what it has been at the Falls for some time, and they might be excused for complaining.

We understand that the new publication is to be called the Free Press.

Spring Millinery.

In spite of falling rain, muddy roads and lowering clouds, the ladies of Fenelon Falls, Rosedale, Bury's Green and other surrounding places visited the spring millinery openings with their usual ardour this week. The dulness of the weather was more than counterbalanced by the bright spring flowers, ribbons, chiffons and all the other dainty things that go to make up the season's headwear. Among the leading shapes are the "merry widow," the high straight turban and the wide-brimmed sailor. There are fluffy picture hats and trim ready-to-wear hats, hats with wide brims, hats without any brims at all, and hats of all sizes, shades and colors. No one need go un-hatted this summer with such an unlimited variety to choose from.

AT MR. WM. CAMPBELL'S
the stock is exceptionally complete. Ready-to-wear in all the leading styles, untrimmed shapes and dainty, artistically trimmed models are shown here. Under the management of Miss O'Wid, samples of the season's best and newest headwear are displayed in all the latest materials, shapes and colors.

One handsome hat was a Charlotte Corday in cinnamon brown net. A gilt band encircled the crown and two pretty ostrich feathers were fastened at the side front with a fancy pin ornament. A misses' flop hat was exquisitely made up with a tan crown of point d'esprit with edgings of val lace. A bit of color is added by a large bow of blue ribbon at the front, drawn loosely to the back and ending in a round knot and fringed ends. The "merry widow" sailor is charmingly depicted in Copenhagen blue lace straw. A huge bow of blue ribbon, edged with maline a shade lighter, makes a smart trimming for the side-front, and a lace straw bandeau gives the model the desired lift from the hair.

AT MISS WASHBURN'S
the variety is charming and fashionably correct. All the newest ideas in trimmings and shapes are portrayed in this collection of artistic chapeaux. The dainty widow is but a slight index to the interior display, and Miss Washburn and her assistants are to be congratulated on making this season's opening one of the best.

One very pretty creation was a Copenhagen blue rough straw faced with tan, turned back sharp at the left side and trimmed with a rosette of flowers and a flat bow of tan and blue ribbon on the left side. The two shades of ribbon were folded softly around the crown. A hat that is very new and striking is the "merry widow" turban, in Tuscan straw and trimmed with black velvet ribbon and long feather. The crown of this hat is high and large, extending almost to the brim. A leghorn which had the crown removed, had a large crown of lace and was trimmed across the front with a large bow of lace bound with satin which will be very popular this season. A large osprey finished the trimming. The brim of this hat had lace medallions inset.

School Reports.

Spelling Sr. II, value 100. E. Eades 98, E. Miller 98, F. Clifford 93, J. Lane 92, G. Peterkin 92, E. Donaldson 91, E. Sharpe 90, M. Clark 89, E. Bradbury 89, B. Shane 89, V. Northey 89, H. Duggan 89, P. Donaldson 88, W. Lee 86, M. McCutcheon 83, G. Arnold 83, K. Twohey 82, R. Jeffrey 79, F. McGee 75, G. McFarland 72, C. Quibell 71, R. Donaldson 70, L. Barry 68, C. Hadley 68, E. Northey 67, D. Townley 65, C. Ellery 64, U. Quibell 62, V. Connell 62, I. Jewell 60, G. Mann 60, V. Keast 59, M. McIntosh 58, F. ing 60, V. Keast 59, M. Moynes 54, Kearns 55, M. Smithson 55, N. Sproats 44, Littleton 51, G. Scott 51, F. Smith 44, M. Jackett 45, H. Barkley 45, F. Smith 44, W. Miller 42, G. Docharty 38, J. Clark 36, J. Lansfield 20.

Personals.

Mr. Taylor, of Gananoque, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Wm. Cooke, of Cobocok, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. Norman Martin, of Tory Hill, was home for a few days last week.

Mrs. McDiarmid went to Lindsay on Monday afternoon to visit her daughter, Mrs. A. Clark.

Mr. Wm. Martin, Sr., and family, of Verulam, removed last week to the Falls, where they intend to reside.

Mr. Henry Austin was brought home from Toronto on Wednesday, in a special car. He was accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Austin, his brothers Thomas and John, Mr. C. W. Burgoyne and a nurse.

Miss McQuaig, of Havelock, is staying at Mrs. Martin Stillman's, on May street. Miss McQuaig intends engaging in sewing and dressmaking at the Falls, and will have an advertisement in next week's Gazette.

An old chair can be refinished and made to match other furniture by applying one coat of Campbell's Varnish Stain. Anyone can use it and do good work. Joseph Heard sells it.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—On Sunday morning the pastor will preach the fifth in a series of sermons on the prayers of Paul. The subject will be "Paul's prayer for peace."

CURLERS' MEETING.—The winding-up meeting of the Curling Club will be held this (Friday) evening at eight o'clock at the McArthur House. All members are requested to attend.

CONUNDRUM TEA.—The conundrum tea served in the basement of St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening was well attended, considering the short notice given. The tea and the subsequent programme were both much enjoyed by all present.

OPTICAL.—S. L. Taube, Eyesight Specialist, of Toronto, will be at the Mansion House, Fenelon Falls, on Thursday, April 9th. If your eyes bother you in any way, or the glasses you now wear are not satisfactory, do not fail to have this reliable specialist examine them.

AT HOME.—The members of Trent Valley Lodge No. 71, C. O. O. F., and of Lodge No. 626, C. O. F., together with their friends, will hold an "At Home" on the evening of Good Friday, the 17th inst. Refreshments will be served in the lodge dining room, and a programme will be given afterwards in Twomey's Hall.

ACCIDENT.—On Monday last, while Mr. A. Northey was removing the lower piece of a pane of plate glass which had been broken in his shop front, the upper half of the pane slid down in the frame and struck the back of his right hand, inflicting a severe gash about three inches long. He went to Dr. Wilson, who dressed the wound after putting in several stitches.

PARISH WORKERS.—The annual meeting of the Parish Workers of St. James' church was held on Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Jos. Heard, and there was a good attendance. The treasurer's report showed that the past year had been very successful. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. French; Vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Burgoyne; Secretary, Miss Hand; Treasurer, Mrs. G. H. McGee.

DOGS' WORK.—Mr. Thomas Cashore went to Lindsay on Tuesday morning on business, and when he returned home at noon he found that one or more dogs had been having great sport chasing his hens, two of which had been killed and carried away by the brutes. The hens killed were fine young birds of the Andalusian strain. Mr. Cashore is naturally provoked at the occurrence, and states that the next dogs which he catches on his premises will be summarily dealt with.

SOCIAL EVENING.—The Young Men's Class of the Baptist Sunday School held a social evening on Monday last. Refreshments were served and a short programme given. An interesting debate on the subject "Resolved that Free Trade will be more beneficial to Canada than Tariff," was won by the Free Traders. During the evening Mr. A. Ball, on behalf of the young men, read a letter of appreciation to the pastor, Rev. A. Cooke, and Mr. J. Stewart presented him with an umbrella.

A GOOD COMPANY.—A considerable number of our citizens witnessed the entertainment given by the W. Francis Firth Co. in Twomey's hall, on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Public Library. If they should come this way again they will surely be greeted by a crowded house, for a better company of this class is not upon the road. The music and acting in the operetta "Dolly, the Tea Girl" was excellent; and the second part of the programme, consisting of solos, recitations, etc., compares favorably with anything that has appeared before a local audience for a long time.

BANK HOURS.—For the past couple of years the local banks have been open for the transaction of business with the public from 9 a. m. until 6 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. By mutual agreement of the managers, however, a change has been made, taking effect from the 1st inst. The hours now are, 10 a. m. until 4 p. m., and on Saturdays 10 a. m. until noon and 4 p. m. until 9 p. m. The new hours will allow ample accommodation to the banking public, while giving the staffs of the banks more time for their office work. Make a note of the new hours.

SUDDEN DEATH.—It was with deep regret that the many friends at the Falls of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Clark, formerly of this village but now of Lindsay, learned of the death of their second daughter, Jean. The deceased, who was a bright, promising girl in her fourteenth year, had recently had a severe attack of pneumonia, and had not fully recovered her strength when, on Friday last, she was suddenly taken ill with appendicitis. An apparently successful operation was performed at the Ross Memorial Hospital; but the shock to her already weakened system proved too great, and she passed away shortly afterwards. Interment took place at Riverside cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, several friends and relatives from Fenelon Falls attending.

BAD ROADS.—The roads in the country are breaking up on the installment plan this spring, remaining frozen in various stages of roughness in the intervals, consequently people who are under the necessity of using them are having a long-drawn-out "picnic." The road to Bury's Green is a fair average sample, and the Rev. Messrs. French and Cooke, who drove out together on Sunday to take the services at the Anglican and Presbyterian churches at that place, had a rough trip. Mr. Cooke, whose preference, quite naturally, is for water in its uncongaled form, described the road as simply desperate, and adds that he is prepared to give the very highest recommendation of his Episcopal brother's ability to keep things right side up and going ahead under the most adverse conditions.

FIRE IN VERULAM.—Between eight and nine o'clock on Wednesday night the house on Mr. John Slater's farm in Verulam was burned to the ground. There seems to be no doubt that the fire was of incendiary origin, as Mr. Priest, who was to have occupied the house this summer, and had placed his furniture in the house a short time ago preparatory to moving in with his family, had not been on the premises that day, and the first neighbors to arrive at the scene of the fire observed the tracks of a man leading away from the house. As some snow was falling and the man had no lantern, it was impossible to follow the tracks. The house was a good-sized log building, well built and well finished, and Mr. Slater's loss will be considerable, though fortunately he had some insurance. None of the furniture was saved.

District Notes.

The annual meeting of the Midland Association Football League will be held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors, Peterborough, on Saturday, April 4, at 1.30 p. m. All clubs intending entering a team in the league are requested to send a delegate. Further information may be obtained on application to J. E. Sullivan, Secretary-Treasurer, Peterborough.

The citizens of Omemece are very much elated to learn that the sum of \$2,000 has, through the efforts of Mr. R. J. McLaughlin, K. C., of Lindsay, been placed in the estimates this year for the purpose of improving navigation in Pigeon River. The work of removing the weeds and bogs that at the present clog the channel of the Pigeon River from Pigeon Lake to Omemece will be proceeded with as far as possible this summer, and a sufficient channel for medium sized crafts will be made ready by the month of July, or thereabouts. There is every reason to believe that if the work is accomplished without much difficulty this summer, an additional sum for further improvements will be obtained for next year. The citizens of Omemece are to be congratulated upon the energetic way in which they have carried on the campaign for this waterway improvement, and Mr. McLaughlin is to be congratulated on having been successful in inducing the Government to grant a sum of money for this work. The work of clearing the channel will be commenced as soon as navigation opens.—Post.

BIRTHS.

FISK.—At Fenelon Falls, on Tuesday, March 3rd, 1908, the wife of Mr. John Fisk of a son.

YORK.—At Fenelon Falls, on Sunday, March 15th, 1908, the wife of Mr. Henry York of a son.

BROCKSHIRE.—In the township of Fenelon, on Friday, March 27th, 1908, the wife of Mr. John A. Brokenshire of a son.

SMITHERAM.—In the township of Fenelon, on Friday, March 27th, 1908, the wife of Mr. Frank Smitheram of a daughter.

COOPER.—In the township of Fenelon, on Saturday, March 28th, 1908, the wife of Mr. Simon Cooper of a son.

DIED.

WORSLEY.—In the township of Fenelon, on Saturday, March 28th, 1908, Edwin Worsley, aged 76 years and 6 mo's.

BROWN.—In the township of Fenelon, on Monday, March 30th, 1908, Elizabeth Ann Brown, daughter of the late John L. Brown, aged 44 years, 10 months and 25 days.

CLARK.—In Lindsay, on Sunday, March 29th, 1908, Jean Cameron Clark, second daughter of Mr. Alex. Clark, aged 13 years, 7 months and 14 days.