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of figuring out the cost of hauling farm | away, Brown, by a supreme effort, pushproduce over country roads have prob- himself six inches in front of the Lakeably been chiefly responsible for the field boy, and they crossed the tape Oddfellow's hall, present widespread agitation for road | with a half a foot separating the fourth improvement. Counting lost time, wear and tear on horses, waggon, harness and | Morrow followed, and for the next fifdriver, poor roads have been shown to be surprisingly expensive. A Mr. Tretheway, writing in one of our leading farm journals recently, stated that it cost him \$12 a day for 300 days to do his teaming on the road between Weston and Toronto, and that with a good road the cost could be reduced to \$5 per day, a saving of \$2,100. Other evidence of a similar nature indicates that good roads throughout the country would mean a gain everywhere as great proportionally as in the case mentioned. The only regrettable thing in connection with the present general recognition of the importance of good roads is that it did not happen sooner, so that farmers and others might now be enjoying the benefits of them instead of having to be content with the pleasures of anticipation.

C. P. R. Will Advertise Kawartha

Peterboro Times: Mr. J. J. Brignall, travelling passenger agent C. P. R. was in town yesterday interviewing the officers of the Otonabee Navigation Company, in regard to improving the train and boat service next season. The details of the new service are practically completed and will be a great improvement over the old.

The C. P. R. intend to advertise the Kawartha Lakes extensively next year and are now engaged in preparing the folders and other literature.

Apples at Ten Dollars Apiece.

Never before in the history of fruitgrowing has \$10 been offered for a single specimen of a standard variety of apple." The price usually paid is at the rate of about \$5 a barrel for good Spys. If you stop to figure out the cost of a barrel of Spys at \$10 each, it would total to over \$2,000. That is a very high price, and one that would not permit the making of many apple pies. The choicest Canadian apples that are exported to Great Britian, sell for about five cents apiece in the fruit shops in London. In Oregon, they sometimes pay as high as \$10 a box for winter banana apples, but they are of a special

variety, and only a few are grown. Ten dollars each will be paid for the best single specimen apple of the following varieties: Spy, Baldwin, Greening, McIntosh, and King, and five dollars each will be paid for the second best of the same varieties, making in all \$75 for ten apples. This amount is being given the directors of the Ontario Horticultural Exhibition, which will be held in the St. Lawerence Arena, Toronto, November 9 to 12. This exhibition includes a display of the best fruits that can be grown in Canada, as well as a flower show.

For some years past, this exhibition has been one of the leading attractions in November, and from present indications, this year's exhibition will surpass any of the previous sucesses. The railways are running special excursions from all points in Ontario.

Ted Heard Ran Good Race.

Ted Heard, who entered in the Examiner Road Race, which took place on Thanksgiving Day at Peterborough, finished third. He was a few seconds behind the winner, who made the five miles in 28 minutes, 30 seconds. The following is the Examiner's account of the race:

"An outsider and dark horse carried off the junior honours in the person o Willie Edwards, a lanky Keene youth who led home a field of 35 runners in 28 min. 30 secs., knocking a full minute off the record made by Peter Wallace in 1907-Edwards, however, did not have the easy task that Smoke had in the senior, as he only won by a desperate sprint at the finish, beating off by little more than a yard Garnie Tovey, the local boy who was second yesterday, as he was a year ago. The junior race was a triangular battle between Edwards, Tovey and Teddie Heard, and the three had a merry fight all through the five

mile course. The race was a hot one from the start, Edwards, the ultimate winner, went out at once, followed by Tovey and Heard of Fenelon Falls. Elmer Brown, Bullock of Lakefield, Nagle Phelan, Cecil Armstrong, Vernon Runnells, and guard were having all kinds of fights session, and were confiscated.

and changes of places among themselves. Out in front the three leaders had the hardest kind of a race. Each took his turn in leading and for the whole distance there was not much betweeen them. Heard took the lead nea the city, but was overhauled by the other pair, and could not pull down their lead, although he was always in threatening distance and ran a grand race. The other two raced almost together along Water street and then down George street to the finish. At Brock street they were on even terms and both sprinted desperately for the finishing tape, a short half block away. Edwards had the most left in him and Tovey, one of the most exciting finishes crowd died away when Heard, the Fenelon Falls starter came in sight and finished with a strong sprint that brought forth renewed cheering. Then came another nerve-racking finish. Elmer Brown, of the Collegiate Institute, and Victor Bullock, of Lakefield, came in to-gether sprinting like hundred yards' men. From Brock street until a few feet from the The conclusions arrived at as a result | finish they ran like a team, but a yard and fith men. Nagel Phelan and Harold teen minutes the kids were coming in.

Personals.

Mr. John Austin and Miss Ella Austin of Kinmount spent the holiday at their home at the Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Townley spent Sunday in Toronto.

Miss Jennie Cassidy visited friends in Dunsford this week.

Mr. Grattan Graham spent Thanksgiving at home, and returned to Toronto on Wednesday.

The Misses Clara McGee, Powles' Corner, and Priscilla Isaac, Rosedale, visited their uncle, Mr. Daniel Brokenshire, at Pickering, and cousins in Toronto, over the holidays.

Miss Alice Nie, of Amasa Wood Hospital, St. Thomas, is home for a holiday. Mr. J. Twomey Jr. spent Thanksgiving

at Midland, visiting Mrs. Dennis Twomey. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mann, of Ottawa, spent a few days with relatives in Fenelon Falls and vicinity.

Miss Violet McKendry is rapidly recovering from her recent illness. Misses A. and E. Crandell, of Lindsay, were visiting at the Falls on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Robson and son James, of Wingham, visited Mr. and Mr. W. L. Robson over the holiday.

Mr. Chas. Deyman, of Hamilton, was a visitor at the Falls on Thanksgiving Day. Mr. and Mrs. E. Hayes, of Toronto, were visiting relatives at the Falls on Monday.

Mr. J. T. Greenwood, of Toronto, spent the holiday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Jones and family, of Peterborough, visited Fenelon Falls relatives this week.

Mrs. Geo. Carew and children, of Lindsay, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Torrance at the Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Parrish spent Sunday and Monday under the parental roof. Mrs. Chas. Bell, of Toronto, Miss Stella Matthie of Lindsay, and Miss Edna Dobkins of Peterborough also spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parrish.

Mr. E. B. Whytall of Lindsay was at the Falls this week on business, and returned on Tuesday.

Miss Dorland, of Picton and Mr. Fred. Washburn of Guelph were visiting relatives in town over the holiday. Mrs. Geo. Kelly of Toronto, who has

bsen visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Quibell, since Saturday, returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Leddy of Lindsay visited her friend, Miss Jennie Duggan, over Thanksgiving.

Miss Calder, of Toronto, was a guest at the Manse over Sunday.

Mrs. Lord visited Oakwood and Cambray in the interests of the W. F. M. S.

on Thursday. Mr. Joseph Strong is home from the Klondike. Mr. Strong left here twentynine years ago, and is at present on a visit to relatives in Verulam.

Mr. W. A. Bishop, Manager of the Bank of British North America, is able to be around again after his illness. Miss Bessie Nie of Orillia, spent

Thanksgiving at her home here. Messrs. F. R. Begg and F. Bruce Begg, of Vancouver, and Mayor Begg of Lindsay, were at the Falls on Friday visiting

their sister, Mrs. James Chambers, and other relatives in Verulam. Mr. F. Bruce Begg is Secretary-Treasurer of the Vancouver Automobile and Cycle Co., and Mr. F. R. Begg, who was accompanied by his wife, holds the same offices with the B. C. Plate Glass and Importing Co., of Vancouver.

Mr. James Marshall, of Lindsay, was a Thanksgiving visitor at the Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wagar were at Norland on Wednesday attending the funeral of Mrs. Wagar's mother, Mrs. Boadway.

ILLEGAL FISHING .- On Sunday morning Constable Jones caught three men in the act of lifting a net near the forks in Burnt River. The Constable confiscated the net, which had a 'lunge in it when lifted. The men will stand trial here today (Friday) before Captain Hunter, of Belleville, who has been sent for to hear several others, hooked on to the three out in front, for a while, but found the matter. On Wednesday evening Constpace too hot, and most of them dropped back rapidly, while behind them again the twenty youngsters of the rear guard were having all kinds of fights session and were confiscated.

CHURCH UNION .- Rev. C. S. Lord will discuss "Church Union" in St. Andrew's Church next Sabbath.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—The Rev. A. Cooke will take for his subject on Sunday evening, "A Simple Sum in Multiplication," and on the Sunday following will take the first of a series on "Local Option."

TO HEAT THE BANK .- Mr. Sidney Morrison, of Lindsay, has been at the Falls during the past week installing a steam heating apparatus in the Bank of Montreal premises. Nine radiators have

been put in. NEW OVEN ARRIVED .- The oven for breezed home a yard in advance of Mr. John Robson's new bakery, for which he has been patiently waiting in the history of the Examiner rac e. for a month or more, arrived a few days Hardly had the excited cheering of the ago, and the work of setting it up is almost completed. Mr. Robson will be ready to supply his customers with bread and pastry of his own make in the

course of a few days. COBOCONK METHODIST CHURCH.—A fow! supper and concert under the auspices of the choir of the Coboconk Methodist Church will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 3rd. Supper 5.30 to 8. Concert at 8. An up-to-date programme is being prepared, and a good time is assured. The supper and concert will be held in the

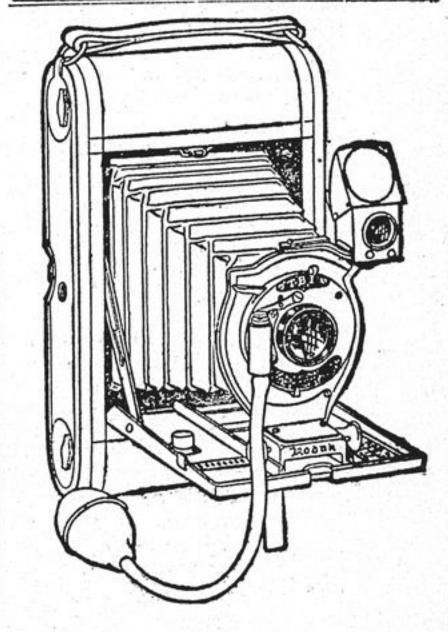
FOWL SUPPER.—The annual fowl supper of the Fenelon Falls Baptist Church, will be held on Wednesday, November 3. A lecture will be given by Rev. J. R. Webb, B. A., of Peterboro. Subject: "Golden Rooms in Wooden Houses." Supper served from 5 to 8. Lecture will begin at 8 o'clock sharp. A good musical programme will be rendered. Tickets

W. I.—The regular meeting of the Fenelon Falls branch of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Nie on Friday, Oct. 29th, at 2.30 p. m. The subject will be "Husband, Wife and Home." Some splendid papers are being prepared. All are invited to attend. A number of members of the Cameron branch are expected to be present.

GUNPOWDER PLOT.—The Orangemen of L. O. L. No. 996, Fenelon Falls, will celebrate the fifth of November by a grand concert in Dickson's Hall on Friday evening next. A first-class musical programme is being prepared. Rev. F. L. Barber, who is a member of the society in high standing, will deliver an address. Bro. R. M. Mason, M. P. P., will also be present, and Bro. Wm. Manning, District Master, of Fenelon, will be chairman for the evening. Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8. Admission 25c.; children under 12, 10c.; Reserved seats 35c. Plan at Robson's drug store. All are invited to come and spend an enjoyable evening.

HULL OF NEW BOAT ARRIVED. - On Tuesday last the hull of Burgoyne & Son's new boat, which is to run on Cameron and Balsam Lakes next season, arrived, and the boiler and a forty horsepower compound Doty engine are being put in. The hull is of two-inch blue oak plank all through, is 67 feet long and 14 feet beam, and was built by J. W. Hickey & Sons, Peterborough. The boat will be finished during the winter and early spring, and will when completed be one of the best built boats on the lakes. She is also expected to be speedy, as her lines are good and the tug men say she slips through the water easily.

PRESBYTERIAN ANNIVERSARY .- The anniversary sermons in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday last were ably delivered by the Rev. Alex. McMillan, of Toronto. On the following evening the ladies of the congregation held a fowl supper, which was a pronounced success both from a culinary and a financial standpoint, the sum of \$108 being taken at the door. The chief feature of the programme given afterwards in the church was a lecture given by the Rev. Mr. McMillan, who introduced to many of his hearers the literary works of Dr. John Brown, of Edinboro', Scotland.
After an interesting biographical sketch
of the beloved physician, as he was then
called, Mr. McMillan read extracts and cited passages from his book, "Rab and His Friends." The choir sang several selections, a solo being acceptably ren-dered by Miss Cecil Swanton. The opening prayer was offered by the Rev. W. J. M. Cragg, of the Methodist Church, and the pastor of the church, Mr. Lord, pronounced the benediction. The net proceeds amounted to \$125.00.



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