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The Fenelon Falls Gazette.

Friday, November 25, 1910

### To Aid Agriculture.

Canadian Farm has been receiving from its readers a large number of replies to the inquiry "What should the Dominion Government do for Agriculture?" A few weeks ago the Gazette published one of them, and now takes pleasure in reproducing a couple more. Mr. J. W. Taylor of Montreal writes:

"There is no use trying to have the government legislate to keep the young folk on the farm. That depends entirely on the parents. If they try or only half try to show their children the pleasures and profits of farm life, giving them an interest in stock and crops, letting them learn the value of a dollar made in that way by letting them spend it themselves instead of taking it away from them to help buy their boots, many more of the young people would stay on the farm. I had an example last year that illustrates this from another standpoint. I was driving through Stanstead county with one of my agents and stopped at a nice farm house, asked for the owner, and was directed to the other side of the hill where we found the farmer at work. We asked him if he did not want a good fence for the road-side. Well, yes, he did, but he wouldn't buy this year, as he was not sure that the boy was going to stay. I asked the reason and he said, "We had an argument last night and I guess the boy will go. He wanted to take the horse and buggy to go down to the village, and I suppose give his girl a drive, and I would not let him unless he would bring back a sack of salt. That he would not do." I asked him how many of a family he had. "Oh, only the one," he said, "and he will be 21 next month." We advised him to put himself in the boy's place and think if when he was out with his best girl, he would like the back of the buggy filled with salt, as it would suggest to onlookers the possibility of their being "too fresh." We advised him to try and realize the fact that his "boy" was a man and to treat him as such. As we came back past the house we saw Charlie washing the buggy and we came to the conclusion that Charlie would have the drive minus the salt."

Mr. Taylor's suggestion deals with the duty of parents instead of with the duty of the Government. More to the point is the contribution of Mr. L. A. Crooker, of South Brookfield, N. S., who says:

"The best way for the government to help agriculture is, in my opinion, to do all in their power to induce our young people to settle on the land. There is plenty of good farming land in this locality; but very few of our young men settle here for the reason that it requires capital to start farming. If a young man starts in to make a farm he has a hard uphill struggle. He is forced to work in the lumber woods or do any other work he can get to earn money to get a start. Then when he makes an improvement he has to pay for it in increased taxes. Is it to be wondered at that our young people are leaving the country or engaging in other occupations? While the government exempts other industries from taxes, and bonuses them, the farmer is compelled to "root hog or die." I think the government should help worthy young men to start farming by lending them money at a low rate of interest and by giving them exemption from taxes for a few years."

### Is It Possible?

A cigarmaker gets \$7 a thousand for making them; the government receives \$8 a thousand. It is said that alcohol can be made at 25 cents a gallon. It sells at \$5 a gallon. The Government gets a big rake-off. We are taxed for everything AS THE COMMON PEOPLE. We see rich men, we read of rich men, we are not rich. Where does the money go to? Is it possible that WE THE COMMON PEOPLE ARE A BUNCH OF SUCKERS?—Peterborough Review.

Quite possible, brother. But if you keep up your investigations all doubts will soon disappear.

### More Carelessness.

There is a scarcity of crown princes in Europe. It is up to Mr. Flavelle to blame it on the carelessness of the farmers.

### Hymeneal.

A pretty but quiet wedding took place at St. Aloysius' church, on Wednesday morning, 23rd inst., when Miss Agnes Power, of Fenelon Falls, daughter of the late John Power, became the bride of Mr. Wm. McCarthy, of Hastings. At nine o'clock the bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Mr. John Power of Peterboro. Miss Hand, who presided at the organ, played the wedding march.

The bride was attired in her travelling suit of navy diagonal serge, with hat to match, and was assisted by her cousin, Miss Lillie Power, in white embroidered mull, with black hat, while Mr. Timothy Crowley of Hastings supported the groom. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Father Galvin, the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride, where a dainty luncheon was served, only the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom being present.

The bride was the recipient of numerous pretty and useful presents, linen, china, silverware, etc., including a silver tea set from the groomsmen, and a large rocker, upholstered in leather, the gift of the bride's former fellow employees at Townley Bros. The groom's gift to the bride was an amethyst brooch, set with pearls; to the bridesmaid a gold necklet with amethyst pendant; and to the groomsmen gold cuff links. A telegram of congratulations was received just after the ceremony from the groom's sisters in Buffalo.

The happy couple left on the evening train, amid the usual shower of confetti, for a trip to Toronto, Peterboro and Midland. On their return they will reside in Fenelon Falls.

On Tuesday evening Miss Power's shop-mates at Townley Bros. gathered at her home and presented her with a large rocker, upholstered in leather, and the following address, which was read by Miss Lizzie Deyman:

Fenelon Falls, Nov. 21st, 1910

Dear Aggie,—

With feelings of regret as well as joy, we, your fellow workers in the shop, have met with you here this evening.

While we view with much pleasure your approaching marriage, and one and all of us wish you every joy, happiness, peace and prosperity, it is with regret also, as we know we have lost a kind shop mate, one who was always kind and good to us both in word and deed, and we felt that we could not let this occasion pass without presenting you with something tangible to remember us and the old shop by.

We therefore ask you to accept this chair, not for its intrinsic value, but in some small way, at least, to show you the appreciation in which you are held by us, and the good will we all have towards you.

Signed  
The Lower Tailor Shop Workers.

### Fenelon Falls Council.

All member present. Minutes of last three meetings read and approved.

On motion of Messrs. McFarland and Corbett it was ordered that the following accounts be paid: Thos. Poulson, drain coverings, \$9.25; Jos. Heard, hardware account, \$7.35; Thos. Robson, six months' water trough, \$50; Fenelon Falls Gazette, account, \$29.25; Robert Jackett, water supplied for cement sidewalks, \$25.00, 6 loads gravel, \$3.00; Foster Kelly, on account, \$50.00; Angus Fountain, on acct. sprinkling streets, \$75, drawing water for sidewalks, \$6.25; Constable, salary up to 21st inst. \$52.50; Clerk, 1 month salary, \$8.33.

McFarland—Corbett—That the council pay the usual grant to the Agricultural Society, \$35.00.—Cd.

Stanton—Shane—That the Reeve, Mr. Shane, Mr. Corbett, Mr. McFarland be a committee to interview Mr. Quibell and Mr. Worsley re light trouble.—Cd.

Stanton—Corbett—That Geo. Martin be allowed no rebate on cement walk acct.—Cd.

### Death of Mrs. Jeremiah Twomey Sr.

One of the oldest and most respected residents of Fenelon Falls passed away on Sunday last in the person of Mrs. Jeremiah Twomey Sr., who about three months ago, went to stay with her son-in-law, Mr. L. Wakely, of Vancouver, B. C., where her death occurred. Mrs. Twomey's death is ascribed to asthma, of which she had an acute attack a week previous to her demise, and which is attributed by the doctors to climatic conditions to which she was unaccustomed. She was a daughter of the late Patrick Power, and was born in the township of Verulam in March 1836. In 1855 she was married to Mr. Jeremiah Twomey, a native of Cork, Ireland, who came to Canada in 1853. He built the first sawmill at Fenelon Falls for Captain Wallace, and made the iron work for the old steamer Ogemah, one of the first boats on the lakes.

Mrs. Twomey was the mother of eleven children, of whom five survive: Jeremiah, of Fenelon Falls; Dennis, of Camrose, Alta.; Sister Leontia, of Sault Ste. Marie; Sister Canisia, of Stratford, and Mrs. L. Wakely, of Vancouver.

The remains will be brought to Fenelon Falls for burial.

The third session of the eleventh Parliament of Canada opened on Thursday, the 17th, at Ottawa.

Count Leo Tolstoi, the great Russian writer, died at Astapova, Russia, on Sunday, Nov. 20th, after a brief illness. He was born in 1828, at Yasnaya Poliana, the estate of his family. His father was a Count and his mother a Montiegrin lady of noble birth.

### Personal

Mr. A. H. Spotton, principal of the Lindsay Business College, was at the Falls on Saturday.

Mr. Chas. Brooks, who left here about five years ago for Saskatchewan, is home for a two months' visit to his brother, Mr. Geo. Brooks, at Bury's Green.

Miss Lizzie McCarthy, of Hastings, attended the wedding of her brother at the Falls on Wednesday.

Mr. Geo. Wilson left on Monday to take a position in Bracebridge.

Mr. Herb. Nevison, of Kenora, is home for a visit.

Mr. Jos. Staples, of Red Rock, has entered the Commercial Department of the Lindsay Business College.

Mrs. W. S. Gamsby, of Orono, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Twomey.

### The Annual Institute Meetings.

The annual meetings of the Farmers' and Women's Institutes will be held at Fenelon Falls, on Monday, November 28th, 1910. A meeting of the Farmers' Institute will be held in Dickson's Hall at 2 p. m., when an address will be given by Anson Groh, of Preston. Subject: "Lucerne and Other Clovers." Address by D. A. McKenzie, B. S. A., Lindsay. Subject: "The Care of Poultry Products."

The Women's Institute meeting, in the Orange Hall at 2.30 p. m. will be addressed by Dr. Margaret McAlpine, of Toronto, the subject being "How to be Well and Happy." Ample time will be allowed for discussion of subjects at these meetings.

A joint meeting of Farmers and Women's Institutes will be held in Dickson's Hall at 8 p. m. The programme is as follows:

Chairman's Address.  
Instrumental Music, Miss Patten.  
Vocal Selection, Fenelon Falls Quartette.  
Address, Anson Groh.  
Violin Solo, Miss Brandon.  
Address, Dr. McAlpine.  
Instrumental, Miss Corbett.  
Address, D. A. McKenzie, B. S. A.  
Vocal Selection, Fenelon Falls Quartette.

Non-members will be charged ten cents admission to the evening meeting.

### Canadians Win Checker Tournament.

The big checker match between ten Canadians and ten representatives of the United States, which has been running for several months, is ended, and has resulted in a victory for the Canadian team by a score of 64 to 42. Mr. James H. Fell, of Baddow, who was one of the players chosen to represent Canada, it will be observed did his share, as usual. Below are the games won and lost by the Canadians:

Player	Won	Lost	Draws
James H. Fell, Baddow	9	2	29
W. T. Walton, Windsor	9	2	29
D. C. MacDonald, Wallaceburg	6	1	33
J. W. Jacobson, Toronto	10	6	25
F. W. Kettleston, Calgary	7	4	29
F. T. Mercer, Toronto	7	4	29
G. A. Andrus, London	7	5	28
M. D. Teetzel, Chatham	5	7	28
F. W. Johnston, Sarnia	2	4	34
John Currie, Sarnia	2	8	30

Of the United States players, Doran won 9, lost 0; Eddy won 8, lost 2; Curtiss won 3, lost 8; Dougherty won 2, lost 4; Roberts won 2, lost 4; Titus won 6, lost 7; Williamson won 2, lost 8; Zahl won 2, lost 11; Jennings won 6, lost 10; Blackwell won 1, lost 6.

### HEAR THE KING'S MESSENGER

In the Fenelon Falls Methodist Church commencing Sunday, December 4th, 1910. For particulars see small bills.

### VERULAM COUNCIL.

The next meeting of Verulam Council will be held in the Town Hall, Bobcaygeon, on Thursday, December 15th, 1910, at 10 a. m.

### CELEBRATED WEDDING DAY.

About thirty friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Minthorne called on them on Saturday evening last, the twentieth anniversary of their wedding day, when a most enjoyable time was spent, and Mr. and Mrs. Minthorne received a number of suitable presents to commemorate the occasion.

### AUCTION SALE.

Mr. Thos. Cashore, auctioneer, will sell for Mr. Joseph Ridsen, Lot 21, Con. 1, Fenelon, on Tuesday, Dec. 8th, one horse, three cows, a number of implements, vehicles, etc., and a quantity of hay and straw. Usual terms. Sale at one o'clock and without reserve, as Mr. Ridsen is giving up farming.

### HORSE NOTES.

Mr. Thos. Poulson has purchased the fast green pacer "Goldie" from Mr. E. S. Baker, of Guelph. Goldie is a very handsome light chestnut gelding, 15 1-2 hands, five years old, and is extra well bred on both sides of the house. He has never been handled for the track, but has a half mile record of 1.15 in the third heat of a winning and first race he ever started in, and gives promise of beating 2.15 with proper handling. Goldie came in on the three o'clock on Wednesday. Mr. Poulson went down to Guelph a couple of weeks ago to look at the horse, but did not clinch the bargain until Saturday last.

### BAPTIST BAZAAR.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church will hold a bazaar on Dec. 16th and 17th, in the store lately occupied by Mr. J. Robson as a bakeshop. Homemade cooking, candies, useful and ornamental articles, etc., will be on sale. Opens at 4 p. m. Tea served for 15c. No admission fee charged.