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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1913.

Not a Motor-boat Ditch.

The Canadian Courier predicts that the Newmarket canal will some day be completed by a Conservative government, because there will be a demand for the expenditure of public money in North York, and engineers will be sent up to recommend that the canal be completed. The Courier calls the canal a motor-boat ditch, and refers to the Trent canal as a motor-boat ditch, apparently having never seen or heard of Mackenzie's yacht, the Wawinet, or the Wacouta, or the Stony Lake, or the Esturion, or the numerous other steamboats that ply these magnificent lakes and rivers. But why not build motor-boat ditches? Public money is quite properly spent on remote back country roads for the convenience of isolated settlers. Why not expend some on waterways for motor-boats for the large and rapidly increasing number of people who wish to utilize that method of travelling?

If Doctors Turned Politicians.

From the Grain Growers' Guide.

About eight thousand doctors recently gathered in London to discuss how to make life longer and death easier. In this convention the doctors engaged in earnest, practical and friendly discussion as to the best means of combating man's various enemies, so that life may be not only lengthened, but freed from many present-day handicaps and brightened all along the way. When will the doctors learn from the politicians how to run things. Politicians would tell them that the first necessity would be splitting up the doctors into two rival camps, or parties. There need be no real difference in belief. The important thing is to get two different names, so that everyone might be labelled. "Blinks" and "Blanks" would do as well for party names as any others. The doctors would now be ready for their convention. Whenever a doctor of the Blink party spoke all the Blinks would applaud and thump their desks, and all the Blanks would do anything but pay attention. Most of them would leave the hall, some would start writing letters, others would read the newspapers or talk to each other. A very few would listen to their "opponent," and they would look as bored as a motorist watching a wheelbarrow race. Whenever any vote was to be taken, however, the Blink whips and the Blank whips would scurry around town to line up all their members to "save the party." Party loyalty and party honor would demand that every doctor vote according to his side; but the party loyalty and the party honor would not require him to know what he was voting for or against. Everything would be settled by a party vote. Sometimes a question of "vital importance to the country" would arise, such as "How long should a man wear his hair?" The Blinks and the Blanks would have to fight it out, perhaps by obstruction. The country would be called upon to admire our worthy medical men "fighting the people's battle." Perhaps the chief pointer our politicians would give the doctors would be the absurdity of bothering about the people's welfare at all—except in speeches. The important thing was to look after "number one," and line one's pockets while hoodwinking the people with party politics. How much business would the doctors' convention do, or what good would doctors be at any time, if the microbe of party politics got into them.

Fenelon Fair.

The annual fall fair of the Fenelon Agricultural Society, held on Wednesday and Thursday last, was considerably better than usual in every respect. There was an increase of more than twenty-five per cent. in the number of exhibitors this year over last year, and a corresponding increase in the number of entries. Several new names were added to the list of members recently, which helped to bring about the im-

provement, and the weather on the fair dates could not have been better.

The competition in horses, both light and heavy, grows keener each year, and the classes were nearly all well filled at this season's show. The same is true of cattle. Sheep and pigs, however, appear to be lacking, the difficulty of handling and conveying them being perhaps the chief reason for small number of entries. There was a good display of poultry. Mr. D. C. Trew, the judge, strongly urged the officials of the society to have birds shown singly instead of in pairs in future, so that exhibitors and spectators may know which birds are the good ones, and why.

The indoors departments were up to the standard of other years. Notwithstanding the dry season there was a very creditable display of the products of the soil. Ladies' work and fine arts show a steady improvement in quality.

The free-for-all speeding event was won by Thos. Poulson's pacer, Gold e, in three straights, with Chas. O'Neill's Walter Simmons, of Lindsay, second, and Geo. Barry's Guilford Boy, of Minden, third.

The entertainment in the evening was well attended. Lily Lorrell Howard, singing comedienne, and Mr. Robt. Clarke, ventriloquist, of Toronto, presented a first-class programme, ably assisted by the orchestra. Mrs. Howard's selections were given in a very pleasing manner, and she responded to frequent encores. Mr. Clarke sustained his high reputation as a ventriloquist, his Punch and Judy show and family of blockheads being extremely amusing.

Bad Fire at Bobcaygeon.

On Sunday morning last the village of Bobcaygeon was visited by another disastrous fire, the worst of the six or seven that have occurred there inside the last year. The blaze broke out about six o'clock in Thurston's harness shop, and was first seen by a woman who had been up all night with a neighbor who was ill. Five places of business and the lodge room of the Freemasons were totally destroyed, the business places being those of E. J. Broad, bake shop and restaurant, E. J. Woolard, druggist, Bank of British North America, Thurston's harness shop and Bardeau's barber shop. Mr. Bardeau lives over his shop, and he and his wife and family had to make a hurried exit, saving nothing but a small amount of clothing. The fire engine was found to be in poor running order when it was started up, but the flour mill pump was in better shape and did good service. Several other buildings were in serious danger, and were only saved by hard work on the part of the citizens. The bulk of Mr. Broad's stock of goods was saved. Mr. Woolard lost more than half of his stock, and Messrs. Thurston and Bardeau lost everything. The total damage is estimated at \$17,000, insurance \$6,000. The origin of the fire is unknown. An investigation is talked of.

Walker—Puley.

The first wedding in Acadia Valley, Alta., was solemnized at the home of Mr. Henry Puley, at one p. m. on Wednesday, August 20th, 1913, when his second daughter, Lilian Maud, was united in matrimony to Mr. Leonard Corneil Walker, eldest son of Mr. Isaac Walker, postmaster of Alsask, Sask. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Tinkess of Alsask in the presence of the immediate relatives of the young couple. The bride's dress was of grey silk with yoke allover lace and Bulgarian trimmings. Master Edwin Puley, the little nephew of the bride, carried the ring and was the only attendant of the bridal couple. After the ceremony dainty luncheon was served. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Walker left, amid showers of confetti, for their home near Alsask.

Father Galvin Principal of Peterboro High School.

Rev. Father Galvin has been transferred from the parish of Galway, Bobcaygeon and Fenelon Falls, to take the position of Principal of the Peterborough Separate High School. Father Galvin was deservedly popular while here, and his departure is much regretted. A permanent successor has not yet been appointed. Rev. Father Cote conducted the services and the funeral service of the late Daniel Duggan on Sunday last.

W. M. S. Crusade to be Held.

A very instructive and interesting meeting of the W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Dr. Gould on Tuesday last. It was decided to have a crusade in the interests of the work of the Society in the near future; also an open meeting in the Methodist Church on Thursday evening, Sept. 25th, at which a report of the recent convention will be read by Miss Margaret Jordan. At the close of the meeting tea was served and a social hour spent.

Fenelon Council.

Members met pursuant to motion of previous meeting. The minutes of last meeting were confirmed on motion of Messrs. Smithson and Mark. The following motions were passed:

Lee—Mark.—That Thos. Smithson be appointed Collector for 1913 at a salary of \$75.00, he to pay postage and expenses.

Smithson—Moynes.—That a by-law be now introduced authorizing Council to levy the usual rates and to confirm the appointment of a Collector. The by-law was passed, signed and sealed, Mr. Lee in the chair.

Mark—Lee.—That Geo. Kennedy be

authorized to repair bridge on L.

Moynes—Smithson.—That this Council petition the Hon. the Minister of Canals for a grant to rebuild the bridge and road at Lot 30 Con. 1, which has been made a danger to public travel owing to the Government raising the water in Balsam Lake in the rebuilding of the Rosedale canal.

Mark—Lee.—That the Reeve and Treasurer be authorized to borrow \$500 from the banks for township purposes.

Mark—Lee.—That bills for gravel and other township expenses to the amount of \$331.17 be paid.

Lee—Mark.—That Council adjourn, to meet at Cameron on Monday, Oct. 27th.

Paying for Dead Horses.

The North Bay News says: There is a tall dark man in our village who braced up after several years of riotous living, and the Northern Lights are gradually fading out of his nose, while his breath complies with all sanitary laws. Being a man of unusual ability, he is earning a fat salary, and a good many people wonder why he lives frugally, and wears raiment that is almost seedy. Some suppose that he is salting down large quantities of dollars in the cellar, but he isn't. Being asked the other day, what he was doing with all his money, he replied: "I am paying for dead horses. I am so unhappily constituted that I can't enjoy life when I owe money, and while I was in the red paint department I was a great success as a progressive debtor. I usually paid cash for my drinks, as the barkeeper had a prejudice against the credit system, and I went into debt for food and clothes and other luxuries of that nature. I am paying for meal tickets that were punched out eight years ago, and for suits of hand-me-downs which went to the fathers of the present generation of pawn brokers. I am also paying livery bills, for the use of driving horses that died of old age long ago, and the other day I paid for a watch that I gave to a girl whose children are now going to High school. Next to having a million dollar trust there is no greater handicap than such a conscience as mine."

Personal.

Miss White and Miss Scott of Kinmount are visiting Miss Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anthony of Montreal left for home on Monday after spending a week in town.

Mrs. Hogg and Miss M. Hogg of Toronto, who have been spending some weeks with Mrs. George Isaac, returned home on Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Isaac and Master Jimmie.

Kinmount Fair.

The exhibit of grain, roots and vegetables at Kinmount fair on Tuesday last was an effective contradiction of the reports, circulated farther south, that everything in the north country was burned up this year. There were a good number of very nice samples shown in all these departments. There were a lot of good entries in dairy products, and a pleasing display of ladies' work. Live stock was well represented, horses being the most numerous. The attendance was slightly in advance of last year. Quite a number went up on the special from Lindsay and the Falls and other points.

The free for all trot or pace was won by Bob Dillard, owned by W. A. Fanning, of Lindsay, Thos. Poulson's Goldie, of Fenelon Falls, pushing him close in all heats, Barry's Guilford Boy third.

Salvation Army Harvest Festival.

For the effective accomplishment of the Harvest Thanksgiving Festival, the local corps of the Salvation Army has set itself as a goal of financial result the sum of \$100, which will be devoted to the maintenance and extension of their many agencies for the helping and uplifting of the needy and degraded classes. All friends and sympathizers who would like to give thank offerings at this time are earnestly invited to do so.

On Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 20th and 21st, special services will be held in connection with the Harvest Festival effort. These services will also be the occasion of the farewell of Cadet Geo. Pool, who, after a stay of nearly ten months in Fenelon Falls, leaves to enter the Training College at Toronto. All are heartily invited to attend these services.

BIG FISH.

While trolling in Cameron Lake on Saturday Mrs. Arthur Townley hooked a maskinonge, which Mr. Townley landed safely into the boat after an exciting struggle. The lunge tipped the scales at 18 lbs. and was one of the finest caught this season.

CORRECTION.

In the account of the death of the late Daniel Duggan in the Gazette last week, it was stated that amputation of the broken leg was considered necessary. This was an error, as the operation he underwent was for strengthening the injured member. Mr. Duggan lived for two or three hours after coming from under the influence of the chloroform, and his death is supposed to be due to a clot of blood reaching his heart.

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