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## The Watchman

THURSDAY, JAN. 12th, 1899

### DISTRICT NEWS.

**PLEASANT POINT—FENELON**  
Special to the Watchman.  
SCHOOL REPORT.—Report of standing of pupils of a s. No. 7, Fenelon, for month of December: Fifth class—Willena Wagstaff, P. S. leaving class.—Willie Jackson, Willie Greer, 4th sr.—Ella M. Brien, Wilfred Hore, 4th jr.—Minnie Brien, Oswald Gilson, David Endicott, Edie Kennedy, 3rd sr.—Gilbert Hore, Mab I. Sampson, Wilfred Endicott, Aggie Sampson, Harry Endicott, Willie Brien, Millie Brien, Sarah A. Maiera, 3rd jr.—Joseph Greer, Minnie Endicott, Lizzie Robertson, Tom Endicott, 2nd class—W. Robertson, Milton Gilson, Katie Hardy, Part 2nd, sr.—Wesley Irwin, Johnny Maiera, Part 2nd, jr.—Addison Gilson, Sarah Sampson, Willie Flynn, 1st, sr.—Eva Greer, Albert Greer, Zetta Endicott, Jennie Hore, Lizzie Endicott, Willie Endicott, May Sampson, Joe Flynn, 1st jr.—Willie Brien, Thomas Flynn.

**MANSE GROVE—ELDON**  
Special to the Watchman.  
ANNIVERSARY.—The 8th anniversary of the opening of St. Andrew's church, Eldon, will be celebrated on the 15th and 16th of January. The Rev. J. McD. Duncan, B. A., of Woodville, will conduct the service on Sabbath morning and the pastor in the evening. On Monday night the Rev. J. W. Rae of Toronto will lecture on, "A Trinity of Good Things". A short program of music will also be rendered by Mr. Cummings of Oakwood, Miss McFadyen of Woodville and the church choir. One of the chief features of the entertainment will be the burning of the mortgage. The admission fee will be, Adults 20c, children 15c. The program will begin at 7.30 p. m.—12.

**OMEMEE**  
FARMERS' INSTITUTE.—Meetings in connection with the East Victoria Farmers' Institute will be held in the Bradburn hall, Omemee, on Friday, Jan. 27th, 1899.

**HORSES SOLD.**—Mr. T. B. Laidley sold his fine team of Lewis Gordon Clydesdale horses to Richard Evans & Sons of Yelverton, Manvers, who go to the Northwest in the spring. The team weighed 2,800 pounds.

**EXAMS.**—Those from Omemee and Emily who passed the professional examinations held in Minden recently were: Mildred Fee, Mabel Gardiner, Renewals, Gertrude Elliott, Ella McElwain. They all left here Monday to take charge of their different schools.

**QUESTIONS.**—It is our sad duty to chronicle the death, from diphtheria, of John Bernard and Harper, two children of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mulligan. John Bernard died Monday evening at 4 p. m. the next afternoon. The little fellows will be much missed by their playmates, as they were general favorites. The parents of the boys have the heartfelt sympathy of their numerous friends in their sad bereavement.

**WILL ASSUME CHARGE.**—Mr. E. A. Longley officiated at the funeral of Emily Jane Smith, which was held by the people to take charge of that parish, with

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## NO 4 FENELON

Special to the Watchman.  
THE OLD STAFF.—Victoria school re-opened on the 3rd inst., with the old staff of teachers, namely, Mr. L. Mark and Miss A. Gillis. Under their careful training the school made excellent progress last year, and now better results are expected for 1899.

**QUAILS.**—A quail was seen the other day by Mr. J. C. Parrish picking around his strawstack. This is something unusual in this part.

## KINMOUNT

**FIRE.**—Last week as Seth Ward and family were seated around the table enjoying their dinner, they thought the train was making a louder noise than it was accustomed to do when passing, when looking up to the garret they found the chimney and roof of the house was all in flames. As they could do nothing to save the dwelling, they pulled out all they could get and stood helpless, looking on with sad hearts, and little hopes for the future. Mr. Cooper a kind neighbor took them till they could get another place to live in.

## ORILLIA

**NEARLY FROZEN.**—On Saturday night, a young man was lying drunk and benumbed with cold in St. James' churchyard, when two persons going to the Methodist watch night-service were attracted by his moans. As they lifted the misguided fellow up, a Salvation Army soldier came along, and promptly volunteered to take the freezing man into the barracks. It would have taken but a few minutes on that bitterly cold night for the young man to have perished. And then who would have been to blame, the publican who sold him the liquor, or the public who licensed the sale?

## HIGHLAND GROVE—CARDIFF

Special to the Watchman.  
**HYMNICAL.**—A very pretty event took place on the 28th of Dec. at the residence of Mr. G. Chrysler, when his eldest daughter Emma Jane was married to Mr. Peter Weese of Chandos. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Gould of the latter place.

**XMAS TREE.**—The church of England people held a box social and Christmas tree on the evening of Dec. 28th, which was in every way a grand success.

**ELECTIONS.**—Our municipal elections are over. The contest for reevehip was between Messrs. Dickson and Kidd, the latter being elected by a majority.

**PERSONAL.**—Miss Nellie McDonald, teacher of No. 3, is spending her vacation at her home in Haliburton. Mr. Geo. Martin of Fenelon Falls paid us a flying visit last week. He is buying

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telegraph poles around here. Mrs. Geo. Chrysler received a paralytic stroke last week. We learn she is slowly recovering. Quite a number of our boys were home from the woods for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson have returned from visiting friends in Seymour.

**OPEN AGAIN.**—Our station is open again, and in charge of J. H. Franks.

## S. S. NO. 14—MARIPOSA

Special to the Watchman.  
SCHOOL REPORT for December: Class 5—Winnie Moffatt, Sr. 4th class—Wm. Graham, Ethel Hobbs, John Ferguson, Jr. 4th class—Franklin Ray, Wilmot Saggitt, Arthur Huskell, Sr. 3rd class—Oda Hargis, Anna Moffatt, Lewis Ray, Lilia Sharpe, Ethel Sloan, Wilbert Webster, 2nd class—Reta Pogue, Ferrol Richardson, Velma Webster, Part 2nd—Cecil Hudgins, Wesley Jeffrey, Minnie Sharpe, Part 1st—Pearl Graham, Ida Sloan. Average 36.

## TORONTO

**RADIAL EXTENSION.**—President Mackenzie, of the Toronto Railway Company, is thinking of radial extension of the trolley service. The earnings of the Toronto railway last year were \$1,208,619, or \$140,000 more than in 1897. The company has spent something like \$150,000 on betterments during the year. Although there is little profit in radial extension, everything that centers trade in Toronto increases the earning power of the Toronto railway as well as of the allied suburban roads. General Manager Keating has been instructed to submit a report on the subject, and it is not improbable that the Scarborough and Mimico roads will be extended in the summer. The Mimico railway, if it ran as far as Oskville, would tap a splendid fruit district, and part of the plan of extension is to run passenger cars with freight compartments to accommodate the country trade. Three freight cars would run to a central market, when they would discharge their produce. As trade developed a separate freight service and separate cars might come into use. Clause 16 of the street railway charter is said to give the company power to carry freight over its tracks.

## OPS

Special to the Watchman.  
**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.**—Ops council met pursuant to adjournment on Saturday, Dec. 31st. All members present. The minutes of last meeting were read and with the exception of a resolution regarding Mr. Wm. B. Fee's taxes, were on motion confirmed. Moved by Mr. Hickson, seconded by Mr. O'Connell, that the resolution passed Dec. 15th inst., rebating \$4.52 of Mr. Fee's taxes, be rescinded, as Mr. Fee's park lot K.K., which was inadvertently marked R.R., by the assessor, is liable for said taxes, and that the collector be authorized to collect the same.—Carried. Mr. Currins moved, seconded by Mr. Hickson, that the revee and collector consent the township solicitor in reference to Mr. Fee's assessment.—Carried.

Mr. McSweyn, solicitor, stated that as park K.K. had been otherwise properly described by assessor, the substitution of R.R. for K.K. would not invalidate the assessment, and that Mr. Fee should have had the error corrected by the court of revision. Owing to this matter the council had to extend the time for collecting as follows: Moved by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. O'Connell, that the time for collecting the balance of the taxes of 1898 be extended to January 14th, 1899, and that the corporate seal be attached to this motion to give it the force of a by-law.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by

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