

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

Fenelon Falls

Mrs. B. Wills, and her son Harry of Montreal, are visiting friends at the Falls. Mrs. F. Hare, of Ottawa, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. Wilson. Miss Gertie Bell is visiting friends in Belleville and Deseronto. Mrs. S. Nevison, of Lindsay, spent Thursday at the Falls. Dr. and Mrs. Evans, of Ottawa, are visiting Mrs. Evans's sister, Mrs. Thos. Sadler. Mr. Birchard, principal of the Cobocok public school, spent Friday in Fenelon Falls. Mrs. Wilfred Davey and two children of the Soo, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Davey, sr. Mr. Ed. McKendry, of Lindsay, spent Friday at the Falls. Messrs. A. McKendry, F. Robson and F. Warren, paid a flying visit to Lindsay last week. Mr. Wm. McArthur went west for a few days, on Monday morning. Mr. Jos. Heard, spent Sunday in Cobocok. Miss B. Campbell, of Kirkfield, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Graham. Messrs. Wm. Heard, J. Craig and M. Giles, spent Sunday at Bobcaygeon. Mr. and Mrs. R. Mitchell, Mrs. R. Cameron, and two children and Miss E. Junkin, spent Sunday in Bobcaygeon. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Moore and three children, went up to Rosedale on Tuesday to camp for a couple of months. Mr. J. Keys went through the village on Monday, on his way up to spend his vacation with his mother Mrs. Pattie, in Cobocok. Mr. F. Hare came to the Falls on Saturday to join his wife in a few week's vacation. Dr. and Mrs. Sims, the Misses L. Wilson, E. Robson, E. Maynard and a couple of young lady friends, and Mrs. F. Robson, are camping up at Rosedale. Last Wednesday Mr. P. Feyman was presented with a handsome suit case, by the employes of the Sandford Co., previous to his leaving Fenelon Falls for Toronto. The Church Mfg. Co. has been incorporated with a capital of \$40,000, and the contract for the factory to be erected on Murray-st., has been let, so that the work will now be rushed on. The shares for the Sandford Mfg. Co. are also selling rapidly, and it is expected the work on this building will also soon be started. The young ladies of St. James' church organized a guild on Monday. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be held in St. Andrew's church, on next Sunday morning. A preparatory service will be held in the church on Friday evening at 7.30. The union picnic of the Baptist, Presbyterian and Anglican S. schools will be held at Pleasant Point on Wednesday, Aug. 5th. The Kenosha will stop at Sturgeon Point on both down and up trips. The moonlight excursion, which came from Lindsay last Thursday evening, came only as far as Green's wharf, as the river was full of logs, which were being run down in great numbers. Miss Robson took a party out in her father's yacht, the "Dauntless," last Thursday. The Misses Swanton of Toronto were the ladies for whom the sail was given. Mrs. B. Mitchell was "At Home" to a number of her lady friends on last Friday afternoon. Those present spent a few hours in a most pleasant manner. Mr. Thos. Robson took a party up to Kirkfield on the "Dauntless" last Friday. Mrs. T. Robson, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Graham, Mr. Jas. Graham, jr., and the Misses Minnie,

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Flossie and Gertrude Graham were among those on board. The S. S. picnic of the Methodist church, Cobocok, passed through Fenelon Falls on its way to Lindsay last Wednesday. A good crowd were on board. The immense number of logs which passed over the slide last week, lowered the water to such an extent, that the Manita was unable to go past Fenelon Falls on Monday evening, and the Kawartha took the passengers up to Cobocok. A large number of residents attended the barn-raising at Grand Island last week. The Kawartha and Dawson ran double trips, and were crowded on each occasion, while many went up in small boats. Everybody speaks in the highest terms of the treatment received from Messrs. McDougall, Brandon and Austin, and the ladies who attended to the wants of the inner man.

COBOCONK

Dr. Bowerman, dentist, visits Cobocok (at J. Graham's) on Wednesday, Aug. 5th.

FLEETWOOD

The farmers around here are well on with their hay, and some have started with grain. Arthur Flack and John Lesley have purchased new binders. John Sutton had a horse badly in some way in the stable. He had to buy another as the injured animal will be of no use to him this summer. Mr. H. Brown, has purchased a driver to match his new buggy. Miss M. Sanderson, of Toronto, was the guest of Miss T. Brown on Saturday. Mr. Arthur Graham has stopped fencing until after harvest. He has put up quite a number of hay forks this season. Mr. Staples has shut down his saw mill for a while as men were too busy harvesting. (Crowded out last week.) Mr. Wilson, E. Robson, E. Maynard and Mr. John Lesley have bought new binders this summer. Mrs. O. R. Stacey and her sister Miss Tote Brown spent the past week at Pleasant Point. Arthur Graham has given up fencing until harvest and is now putting up quite a number of hay forks. William Vansickler has hired with Richard Staples of Lifford for a month at \$45.00. Mr. J. Sutton had a good horse badly used up by backing into the stable. It will be of no use to him this summer.

VICTORIA ROAD

Next visit of Dr. Bowerman, dentist, Thursday, August 6th.

KINMOUNT

There will be a grand excursion and picnic to Baptiste lake from this village, on the I. B. & O. railway, on Civic holiday, August 20th. Train leaves Kinmount at 8 a.m., arriving at the lake at 10.40. A first-class program of sports, including football and baseball matches, has been arranged. The C. O. P. brass band will be in attendance. See posters. In August, Dr. Bowerman, dentist, will be at Queen's hotel the first 3 Fridays.

WOODVILLE

The farmers are all very busy now; the hay harvest being so much broken with rain made it unpleasant, yet the great bulk of the hay is put away in good shape. It was a very fine crop. Grain-cutting is now the order of the day. It is a very fine crop also. The re-opening of the Ebenezer church took place last Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Kilgour, of Peterboro, preached two very eloquent sermons, which were listened to with marked attention. The re-painting and papering, which cost \$125, was all met with a thank-offering. Mr. James Spier and wife spent last Sunday the guests of Mr. Thomas Hickson, Ops. Miss Nettie and Myrtle Sanders of Toronto, are spending their vacation with their parents in this village. Mrs. McCaddy, of Beaverton, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Shields for the past two months left last week for her home. Mrs. Frederick Veals arrived home last week, after spending a month visiting with Midland friends.

LORNEVILLE

A meeting of Eldon township council will be held at Kirkfield, on Wednesday, 5th of August, when a collector will be appointed.

CAMBRAY

The hay crop is good this year. Mrs. George Robinson and young son, have returned home after spending some time visiting relatives. Miss Maggie Anderson of "Guiden Home" was the guest of Miss Sadie Hartle a few days last week. Berry-picking is the order of the day. Mr. Wm. Finney, after a long illness, passed peacefully away on July 22nd, at the ripe age of 85 years. The funeral on Friday was largely attended by relatives and neighbors to the Riverside cemetery. Rev. Mr. Webster, of Oakwood, conducted the funeral services. Mr. Finney was highly respected by all who knew him. He leaves an aged widow and four children to mourn his loss. These are John James, at station. Mrs. Jas. Finney, at home. Belegs of Cameron, at home. Much sympathy is felt for the ones left to mourn his loss. Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas, of Sour. Man., are visiting friends in the vicinity. Miss Lavina Anderson of Drown's

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school, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Weldon. Mr. Frank Wood is home from Orillia again. Somebody wears a very pleasant face now.

LITTLE BRITAIN The remains of the late Mrs. Sanderson Johnson were brought to Mariposa station Monday morning, and from thence proceeded to the Methodist cemetery for interment. Mrs. Johnson's parents are well known in this neighborhood. We extend to them and other sorrowing friends our sympathy in their bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. B. Oliver have just returned from a two week's visit with friends in Verulam. Miss Edna Greenway is visiting friends in Port Hope, Bowmanville and other points. Mrs. E. Broad expects to leave this week for Petrolia.

AND THERE WOULD BE FEWER LAW SUITS (Toronto Star) A client in Louisiana who lost his suit has assassinated his lawyer. If this became a common practice the supply of lawyers would not last long.

A STORY OF LORD SALISBURY How England's Premier Answered an Enterprising Toronto Boy's Letter The other day Mr. J. P. Donald of the Beal Leather Company said: "An article in your last issue about the kindness and liberality of Lord Salisbury reminded me of an incident of which I knew that corroborated that story. A lad, the son of parents in only moderate circumstances in Toronto had ambitions to get a good education. He had heard of the wealth of the English aristocracy, and also of Lord Salisbury as one of the chief of them. So he wrote a letter to the then premier asking for money and telling what he wanted it for. Some time after as his father was sitting in his office, a policeman came in and unrolling a bundle of letters demanded if he knew 'anything about this.' The astonished father examined the bundle. It contained his son's letter to Lord Salisbury, the nobleman's to Jos. Chamblin, colonial secretary, his to the governor general of Canada, his to Sir Oliver Mowat, the lieutenant governor of Ontario, his to the mayor of Toronto, and the mayor's to Inspector Stark of the police—all on the same matter. The father was greatly surprised and a little alarmed and said his son ought to be spanked for what he had done. The policeman returned to Inspector Stark and explained but

the inspector had him bring the boy, who appeared with fear and trembling but manfully explained the object of his letter. Through the proper channels, the case was explained to Lord Salisbury, and before long a \$5 note arrived for the enterprising young Canadian.

THE WEATHER FOR AUGUST There Will be Some Pleasant Days and not Much Rain Irl Hicks declares in Word and Works for August that the planet Mars would dominate the weather for that month, and that it is a peculiarity of Mars that when he gets a grip on the weather for any month, he fixes the sort of weather for the next month or two as well. That is if December is a very hot month under the influence of the martial star, we shall have to swelter in January and part of February as well. So whatever the weather is next month, so will it be, in a general way, in September. Prof. Hicks says "If at the entrance of the Mars period it is dry and warm, it is safe to say that the same kind of weather will largely predominate until his period is past. If we come well into the Mars period with tendency to wet and stormy weather, look for a predominance of such weather for several weeks." The Mars period begins this week and so the next week or two will indicate the sort of weather we may expect for some time to come. Very hot weather is likely on the first 4 days of August, accompanied by threatening clouds and wind. There may be local rains, but, in the main, Professor Hicks thinks the rain fall will be scanty and poorly distributed. The next few days will be fine, pleasant the professor calls it, and by the way it is the first time if memory is right, that he ever predicted pleasant weather. But storms come on again. The hot weather returns about the 6th and with it "black clouds, thunder and storminess." Before the 8th, some central and northern parts will enjoy "severe summer squalls." Then the west winds will blow cooler. A heated term is promised between the 11th to the 16th. More threatening clouds etc., may supply "generous summer rains." Hot weather for a day or two and a cool pleasant period brings us to the 21st. It is feared by the professor that

the Mars period, being central on the 20th, will bring on "violent atmospheric displacements" soon after. Then from the 21st to the 27th violent West India storms will imperil those who live near, the Atlantic. Inland storms may attend too. In that case very cool weather will follow. The month is to go out with rain followed by clearing cool weather.

The Weather Report for week ending Saturday night, July 25th, 1903. TEMPERATURE Highest.....85.90 Saturday Lowest.....55.40 Tuesday Warmest day mean of 72.95 Saturday. Coldest day mean of 63.45 Wednesday. PRECIPITATION IN INCHES Greatest fall of rain in one day 0.59 Wednesday. Rain fell on 5 days. Total rain fall 0.67.

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THE WATCHMAN-W ARDER, JULY 30th, 1903. WOMEN IN MAJORITY STRONGER SEX IN ENGLAND ALLY BECOMING THE WEAK. Recent Census Tables Show 100 to Every 100 Males—Seven Years Ago Every Hundred Doomed to be a Slave—Causes for the Discrepancy—Where Women Lead. At least seven women out of a hundred are doomed to be slaves for the sufficient reason that they are not enough husbands. Of the 22,527,843 persons in England and Wales, 16,799,220 are males and 15,728,618 are females, which gives a proportion of 100 males to every 95.7 females. And the proportion of females is steadily increasing. It has increased nearly 3 per cent. in the last 10 years. Why is this? It is not that girls are born than boys, as isolated reports sometimes give the impression. During the last 10 years, for the whole of the Kingdom, the natural increase on the male side of the house—the excess of births—over the excess for females was 12 per cent. Yet in the same period the increase—that is, the number of people who were there to be counted on census night—were 12.4 per cent. for males and only 11.9 per cent. for females. "The excess," says the General, "is partly attributed to the fact that men serving in the army, navy, and mercantile abroad are excluded from the census." Women's Minor Work. Partly, but not wholly. To war and men go to sea also emigrate and engage in various occupations. While women stay at home, a quiet life, troubled by no serious than domestic men subject their systems, mental and physical, to several and many of them fall on their way. Of the 146 census census night, for instance, than 99 were women. An old tale shows that the natural increase of a woman has a natural tendency to living some 10 years longer than a man. If the women continue to trouble very much about their present rate they will by their votes, they will by their mere weight of numbers, less men are to be regarded as the aristocracy, with life and death and legislation will have to serve in and on local boards, but will not be enough men work. In a period of forty years men of England have increased in number over the number by 8 per cent. To use the phrase, they are now "the second hundred." Let another ninety-three and two to one. At the present rate that will take them a long years, which seems a long time for the individual woman, but breathing space in the world. In 2,500 years in the world to one—from which it follows in the long run there men left, except a few specimens in a select collection at the Zoo. Statistics, as said, are a beautiful science. Where Women Lead. Leaving out of account speculations, it is in fact how the game has been played. The women who have forged ahead of the men have been the women who are making the most of their position. He will instance and Leicester and Luton and the cotton district shire. He knows that they Nottingham, and he knows that they are made by women. If been to the town, and streets swarming with of an evening, he will see that the women are the men by two to one. He is wrong, gross. The surprising difference seen, not in places of work, but in places of joy themselves. In the table the males are taken as a fixed quantity the females are worked the medical proportion: Farmborough... Barrow-in-Furness... Devonport... Chatham... Woolwich... Durham County... Barton... Northumberland... Gateshead... Stapeley... West Bromwich... Poplar... Newark... Newcastle-on-Tyne... Wolverhampton... Birmingham... Oldham... London... Nottingham... Leicester... Luton... Cambridge... Oxford... Brighton... Margate... Eastbourne... Hastings... Bally... Kennington... Hampton... Bourne... Newry the At... In the coal mining are more men than in the districts there