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WOLFVILLE, N. S., SEPT 10, 1886

Local and Provincial.

THE WEATHER.—This week has been remarkably warm for the time of year.

HORSE STOLEN.—James Moody, of Buckley's Corner, has had a valuable chestnut horses stolen from his premises.

GOOD SPORT.—Two of our citizens went shooting one day this week. They didn't bring home any game but we heard that one of them fired at a squirrel.

K. C. T. A.—The Annual meeting of the King's County Temperance Alliance will be held on Monday next in Jackson's Hall Cold Brook, at 1 o'clock P. M.

THANKS.—We desire to thank the Queens' printer for Nova Scotia crop report, just issued in pamphlet form. Also Queen's printer for Canada, for Statutes of Canada, 1886.

THE PULPIT.—Rev Mr Dawson, of Canard, is expected to occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church next Sabbath, in the absence of Rev. Mr Ross who preaches at Richmond. Mr A McN Patterson, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist chuch last Sabbath morning.

MORE PICNICS.—The Sabbath-school, of Gaspereau, held their annual picnic at that place on Tuesday last. We understand that a large number were present and that a very enjoyable time was spent. —"Maple Leaf" Division of Greenwich, hold a picnic to-morrow, at Coldbrook.

PERSONAL.—Mr W. F. Piers arrived in Wolfville last week on his annual visit. It seems like old times to have him among us.—Mr Charles Woodman and lady are spending a few weeks in Wolfville. Both are natives of this place, and no doubt enjoy visiting the scenes of early days.

SAD NEWS.—News was received this week that the barque *Montreal*, from Aspinwall for Progresso, was stranded at Campeachy with nine of the crew, including the Captain, dead. The *Montreal* was owned by the Messrs Churchell, of Hantsport, and was commanded by Captain Fred Davison, of the same place.

A SPICY LITTLE TEMPERANCE PAPER. —We have received a copy of the *Temperance Herald*, a very neatly gotten up little paper, published in Toronto, in advocacy of total prohibition. Among other temperance news it reports that the Dominion Alliance will call a convention in Toronto on Sept. 14th and 15th. Hon. Neil Dow will be present.

NOT AS IT SHOULD BE.—The Albert N. B. *Maple Leaf* is a newsy and well-arranged paper, and has a large circulation which the editor prides himself on, but evidently friend Wood and the *Observer* do not pull together. What a pity, we down in this County have no less than three live papers, the editors of which just love one another, and that is as it should be.

TEMPERANCE.—Mr Thos. Hutchings P. G. W. P., and Grand Division lecturer, has been lecturing in this vicinity during the past week. He spoke here on Monday evening. The hall we regret to say, was poorly filled, but the lecture was well worth hearing. A collection amounting to $3.00 was taken up at the close in aid of the "Agency Fund." He also spoke at Lower Horton, Gaspereau, Greenwich, and White Rock.

SALVATON ARMY.—Rev. George F. Day preached an excellent sermon last Sunday evening in the Methodist church Lower Horton. At the conclusion of his sermon he alluded to the Salvation Army, and especially to the foreign contingent who have been visiting the several encampments of the Army in Nova Scotia during the past two weeks. His remarks concerning the Army, and the good they are doing both in this Province as well as in heathen India, was a pleasant contrast to the reports which have appeared about the Army from time to time in the *Western Chronicle*. The Salvation Army has come to Kentville to stay, no matter what the editor of the *Western Chronicle* has to say to the contrary.

HORTON ACADEMY.—The work at the Academy has begun in right good earnest and the prospects are bright for a successful year. Some changes have been made in the staff which has added considerable to its strength. Professor Tufts and Mr E. W. Sawyer still continue and we doubt if two more capable teachers could be procured. Mr C. H. Day, one of Acadia's graduates last year, takes the place of Mr E. D. Webber as teacher of Mathematics—Mr Webber being obliged to resign on account of ill-health. Two new teachers have been added—Mr Harry Shaw, in Elocution, and Mr Isaac Cromby, in English. Both are well qualified for the position. There are 60 pupils at present enrolled, being the largest number in the history of the institution.

A SOCIAL MEETING AT THE TRACK.—A lively time was enjoyed by some of the horsemen of our county on the track, on Saturday afternoon. Messrs Rand with their standard bred stallion "Prince Lambert," Mr J. L. Neary with his black gelding, Mr David HeCrae with his fast trotting mare "Lady Bashow," and J. I. Brown with "Confidential Charley." Neary and Brown were the first to start the fun, when Mr Delancy Sheffield joined with "Lady Bashaw." The horses were speeded over the track, showing some fine trotting. "Bashaw" lead but was passed by "Charley" at the close. "Prince Lambert" trotted a half in good shape between the heats. "Charley" and "Lady Bashaw" were then got in position. After scoring a few times, the word go was given, "Charley" getting a bad send off and acting badly for 200 yards; he then went to work trotting very fast, passed "Bashaw" at the wire on the first half, and finished up the mile winning by fifty yards in 2:47. Charley has had no training and has only been out of his stables a few times, as his owner is busy building a shop and does not have time to attend to him.

Grand Pre Items.

Our latest distinguished visitor,—Jack Frost! He arrived Friday night, and Saturday morning there was enough of him to be scraped up in the hand from a bridge-plank on Long Island. Isn't it an unusually early visit?—Sept. 3d.

Those postponed picnics came off last week. The Methodists had theirs Thursday, on Long Island. Mr Robert Palmeter had prepared a long table and seats, and nearly the whole party sat down comfortably and dined *a la mode*. A glance down that table was a sight worth seeing. On it were heaped, by the fair hands of those who know so well how to make life a joy and picnics a pleasure, all the delicacies of the season,—chicken, meats, and vegetables; golden bread-and-butter, snowy rolls, puffy tarts, sugar-crowned cakes and other cakes, and, of course, the inevitable pie, in great variety; these, with the aroma of steaming tea and coffee, and fruit and flowers to add the needed touch of beauty and refinement to the grosser wants of man, were enough to tempt an epicure and satisfy the most æsthetic soul among us. Something like a hundred and fifty men and women, lads and lassies, and children were seated at once and doing their best to make the good things disappear; but strive they ever so well, still there was enough and to spare. Everything was delicious, but we particularly enjoyed a piece of cocoanut pie and railroad cake given us by a charming widow who has her eye on a drug business in Wolfville, and a piece of cake with snow-white stuff in it given us by a young lady who said she made it herself and could recommend it; and we promised to recommend her, and we do so right here. How much more we ate is a secret, but we tried to follow the example of the minister and doctor; so we didn't get very far astray physically or morally at that picnic. You missed a good time, Mr Editor. It was a *jamboree* occasion all around that table for some time. At dinner we were joined by picnicers from New Minas. Some boys went in for a bathe, some more stripped off shoes and stockings, rolled up trowsers, and tried to jump over the waves as they rolled in. There were shouting and splashing and fun for all. Two little blue-nose Yankee toddlers were the most amusing. They were only knee high to a goose, but their mother stripped their feet, took a reef in their clothes, and let them paddle. The weest one sat down and the mother buried her feet and legs in the sand regardless of white dress and embroidery. It was the nicest kind of a mud-pie for the little ones. We believe it was fashionable at some of the American watering-places this summer for the bathers, when tired of the water, to scoop out a hollow in the sand and bury themselves all but their heads, and lie there and look sentimental or æsthetic. It couldn't be called billing and cooing, but there might be some resemblance to *turtle*-doves. After a little, some kind friends brought a dorry and a sail-boat around, and then there was a scramble into the dorry to row out and load the boat. The doctor and minister with some youngsters and one of our most substantial men to row them, formed one party, and there was much *unseemly* mirth on land because the professionals grabbed the gunnel with both hands and held on for dear life. It's all very well for people safe on land to laugh, but when one is in a pitching, tossing dorry one instinctively grabs some thing and holds on. There was some good fun and pleasant sailing "out into the deep," and then we drove home well content with our day of pleasure. The Island is a capital place for a picnic. Go at high water, and engage Mr Faulkner's boat. She is clean and a good sailer, and the charges are very reasonable. There is no pleasanter trip than a sail in that boat from the Island across to Blomidon. Mr Faulkner will take a party, and his charge makes the expense to each one very little. Miss Dottie Stewert and a party of American ladies went across this summer, and climbed the Cape, and brought back a quantity of fine specimens. They were delighted with the trip.

The Presbyterian picnic came off on Friday at Oak Island, a pretty spot on Freeman Huntley's farm on the Point, Avonport. We heard there were three hundred on the grounds, and, like the Methodists, they had enough and to spare of all the good things for the inner man. There were games of croquet, ball, quoits, and swings, and all enjoyed the day. We saw Mr Bishop, your Wolfville teacher returning, and he was not *alone*. He is always willing to do his duty. We had the pleasure of meeting Mr Bishop one afternoon in Greenfield schoolhouse and agreed with his sentiments exactly. He is *patriotic*.

There were two more picnics on Saturday—the Episcopal Sunday school on the Island and one from Walbrook to Oak Island. We saw Miss Lou Brown driving a tandem with three young ladies in a T Cart, and she handled her team in good style.

P. G. W. P. Thos. Hutchings delivered a stunning temperance lecture to a good audience in the basement of the church. His subject was "The Possibilities of the Hour." He contrasted the actual state of affairs with the possibilites, and in eloquent earnest words urged all to "level up their conduct to correspond with their words." Rev. D. W. Johnson occupied the chair and remarks were made by A. McN. Patterson, F. G. Curry and Prof. McGill. A collection of $2.45 was taken up in aid of the Agency Fund. The Grand Division lecturers, Bros. Hutchings and Lewis, are doing a grand work for the cause of temperance. The committee are appealing for funds to keep them in the field, and we hope every friend of temperance will contribute their mite to enable them to continue their good work.

The Foundry and Machine Shop at Horton Landing has been sold by the proprietor to Mr Fred Mitchell. While moving it to his place at Walbrook last Thursday, it was thrown over the bank near the bridge and badly wrecked. Mr Mitchell will lose all except the lumber. No insurance.

Dyke Meeting was held on Saturday. We believe the proprietors have all survived. Commissioner Leander Palmeter, was "honorably dismissed." It was decided to turn on as usual, and cattle are going on lively. They will stay on till November, and gnaw the grass down to the roots and pouch up the oat land nicely. Scientific farming doesn't pay here.

Dr Chipm an drove his Hartford filly, four years old last July, across the dyke the other morning from gate to gate in six minutes. It is called two miles. She has never been timed, and did this without being pushed hard enough to break her gait. She weighs 1,150 lbs, and is a fine, stylish mare, sound and kind, and not afraid of the train.

We cannot help referring again to Mrs Duncan's flowers. Hundreds of those "Asters," quilled and plain, are simply perfection in form and of a great variety of beautiful, delicate tints. Some are pure white, others pink, lilac, lavender, light and dark purple, and variagated. The cockscombs are the largest and finest we ever saw; their beautiful, large crests look so rich and velvety, like plush or chenille, in crimson, old-gold and pale olive. There are also some rose plants in the garden raised from seeds brought from California by S. D. McDonald. We wish all lovers of flowers could see that bed of asters.

Miss Ida Jones is teaching Music and French at Acacia Villa.

We rejoice over the fact that not a drop of liquor is now sold in Grand Pre, and the man who gave it up *voluntarily* has our sincere thanks. Can you not stop the traffic in Wolfville? Your temperance people should be vigilant. We hear it on good authority that liquor is billed to Grand Pre and carried up the Dyke Road to Wolfville. Inspector Parker should be at work, and temperance people should help him by sending information. The Kings Co. Branch of the Dominion Alliance meets next week and we shall stir matters up a little.

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