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POTATO CROP BIGGER AND BETTER

Reports of Big Yields Come in From All Quarters—Bumper Crops Everywhere

It has been proved that it takes more than three months drought to ruin a New Brunswick crop, for the Observer is told that the potato yield is the biggest and best turned out for many a year. "Best crop in ten years" a leading hay dealer said the other day, and oats and buckwheat are producing heavily. These conditions are proving general, not only in the St. John Valley and Acricook, but in many of the drought-stricken sections where rains fell just in time to revive the crops.

For a time, three or four weeks ago, there was every evidence that extreme prices would be paid for potatoes on account of the apparent short crop. At this date reports show no shortage of crop, nor is there as yet evidence of over-production. It has been shown by experience that a variation of 10 per cent above or below the average supply makes or breaks the price. As stated, there is no present evidence of over-production and the price may remain firm, especially after the big rush to market that generally is made direct from the field.

A New York firm last week sent out the following letter, which should do much to size up the situation: "We strongly advise our friends not to be carried away by the present situation in potatoes, resulting from the August crop report. Heavy correspondence which we have been receiving from all sections of the country in the past few days indicate a marked improvement in the winter crops. The Western States all have good crops, with the exception of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. In the latter three states, recent favorable weather has made a marked improvement and the crop in these States will probably be at least 75 to 80 per cent of last year. New York State shows present favorable conditions and much improved prospects."

"We firmly believe that the September crop report will show a decline in the price of potatoes. The fact that the Maine people as a whole are over-bullish, that prevailing Maine prices are too high, and the anticipated lower prices in the fall, assuming continued favorable growing conditions in all other winter sections."

Ontario's potato crop has undergone complete reversal of form within the past month, according to T. H. McQuinn, of the United Farmers Cooperative Society, who writes that instead of the shortage which was anticipated at the first of August, indications are for a crop which will equal the demand, if it does not exceed it. As a consequence, the farmer's price has dropped from \$3 to \$1.75 a bag within the last few weeks and may go to \$1.50. Even at this figure, however, the farmer is receiving a better price than he did the last couple of years, according to Mr. McQuinn.

"It is too early to estimate the late crop, but the present supply is adequate, both in the east and west," he said.

SIR GEORGE E. FOSTER

BORN AT SOMERVILLE

Seventy-five years ago, yesterday there was born at Somerville, just across the river from Hartland, a child who has since become one of Canada's most distinguished sons. This is the Honorable Sir George E. Foster, K.C., who has just celebrated his 75th birthday.

The Honorable Sir George E. Foster, K.C., was born at Somerville, N. B., on September 8, 1846.

He was educated at the University of Toronto and at the Law School of the same university.

He has been a member of the House of Commons since 1896.

He is now a member of the Senate of Canada.

He is a member of the Privy Council of Canada.

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city for the past couple of years, left this morning for Hartland where they will reside. Last evening a few friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arden, Bynthe street, and gave them a farewell party. Mr. Townsley was on the staff of the D.S.C.R. hospital for some time. —Gleaner.

PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING YESTERDAY

A church wedding yesterday was the chief event of the week. The principals were William R. Rideout, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Willmot B. Rideout, and Miss Cecelia LeVine Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weston Webb of Lower Hainesville. For the joyous occasion the Reformed Baptist church was very prettily decorated with maple leaves and goldenrod and a profusion of flowers. To the strains of "Mendelssohn's" Wedding March, played by Miss Mary MacMillan, the bride, attired in a gown of white satin and bridal veil and carrying a bouquet of sweet peas, entered the church on the arm of her father. She was attended by Miss Grace Rideout as bridesmaid who wore a dress of pink satin. The groom was attended by his brother Earl Rideout. Rev. H. C. Mullen performed the ceremony which was witnessed by a throng of friends and other spectators. Misses Emma Rideout, sister of the groom, and Esther Gibson were ushers.

PERTH TAKES TWO FROM AROOSTOOK

Perth, N. B., Sept. 5—Perth won both ends of a double-header here today, defeating Fort Fairfield in the first game by 9 to 3 and shutting out Van Buren in the second game by 11 to 0. In the first game, the first and Payton of Perth, Brant of Van Buren was battered out of the box in the second game and his successor, Dempsey, was also hit hard. Mitchell, Perth's left fielder, made a fine running capture of a fly. McWenney in left of Van Buren made the star play when, after making a shoestring catch, he turned a somersault but came up with the ball. A holiday crowd of fully 2,000 saw the game and left the field shouting for Perth to win. The good showing of Perth against the St. Peter's of Sept. 10.

MRS. EBEN LOCKARD

On Aug. 26, the death occurred of Mrs. Eben Lockard, at Presque Isle hospital, of appendicitis. Mrs. Lockard was 87 years of age, and leaves to mourn their loss, a husband, three small children, a widowed mother, Mrs. Wilmet Clark of Woodstock, four sisters, and four brothers, besides a large circle of relatives and a host of friends. The remains were taken to Lower Southampton for burial. Funeral services were held at the Reformed Baptist church, Rev. H. V. Bragdon officiating.

ERNEST BROOKS

The death of Ernest Brooks occurred here at Waterville, after a brief illness of typhoid fever on Saturday, Sept. 3. Mr. Brooks was a highly respected farmer and his early death is deeply lamented by many friends and relatives. Only a month ago his adopted son, Henry Yates, died of the same illness. Mr. Brooks is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Beris, London, an aged mother and four sisters—Mrs. O. R. Reley, of Woodstock; the Misses Edith and Mabel Brooks, of Houlton, and Miss Helen Brooks.

450 BEANS FROM ONE

By all odds the greatest yield of beans reported is a stalk sent to The Observer by Charles Tracey, a well known resident of Lakeville. From a single bean there have developed 450 pods and there are an average of six well-developed beans to the pod. Those who have seen the stalk at The Observer office pronounce it a real curiosity.

NEW BRIDGE SUPERINTENDENT

D. A. Campbell, who will leave next week for California, is succeeded in the position of superintendent of bridges by Hardy Crain of Bath. The new officer took charge yesterday. He has been working under Mr. Campbell for two years and was confidently recommended for the position by him.

COMPLAINTS LAID AT TOWN MEETING

Alderman Faulkner Registers Several Kicks—Thinks Engine Purchased Improperly, Also Questions of Street Development

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council convened in the Town Hall Tuesday evening with all members except Alderman DeWitt. The treasurer's report showed that the sum of \$241 had been collected during August, \$652.52 expended, and a bank balance of \$334.44. Alderman Faulkner lodged a complaint against the other two members of the fire and water committee, DeWitt and Hagerman, to the effect that whereas a 15 h.p. crude oil burning engine has been installed in the pumping station without his being notified, the town had not really purchased the engine, and the responsibility was on the two mentioned members of the committee. The Mayor ruled that in as far as the order being placed by the Chairman of the fire and water committee without the Town seal being affixed to the order the question was out of order, in that respect.

The Chairman of the fire and water committee not being present, Councilor Hagerman said that the matter had been thoroughly gone into at last meeting and that he did not propose to discuss it further as he would only be marking time. The engine installed is of first class workmanship and design, giving the very best results, so much so that it has reduced the consumption of fuel from 55 cents per hour to less than 20 cents.

Ald. Faulkner also attacked the agent of the Fairbanks Morse Co., from which company the engine was purchased. Their representative, F. Hagerman, was present and upon motion was heard. He answered the insinuations of Ald. Faulkner to the effect that he had received no rake-off so far as his company had to do with the engine. He said he had no commission on the sale of the engine, but he put himself right with the representative.

Considerable discussion ensued over the extension of the sewer on Hillcrest avenue. Ald. Faulkner severely criticized Ald. Hatfield for not doing the work, seeing that the last session had set it at the agenda. Hatfield replied that road money could not be spent for putting down sewers without the formation of a sewer district and those receiving the benefit taxed accordingly, this being the general policy of the Town as regards water. A petition from the residents of Hillcrest avenue, requesting that extension be left with the water committee. A number of other matters in the form of complaints and enquiries were also presented and discussed. The Chairman of the road committee reported very favorable progress on the streets and sidewalk, showing that good results were being received for the money expended. The sidewalk from Prince to Queen is now ready for the concrete, a distance of 381 feet, costing \$1250.

INNOVATIONS AT WOODSTOCK FAIR

As yet to date check room under the management of the Women's Institute will be an interesting feature of the Woodstock Fair. Here parcels, umbrellas, etc., may be left for a small fee.

The rest room is being enlarged, and sanitary cots built. Mothers may leave their babies and go care-free to enjoy the fair and races. The babies will be well cared for by experienced mothers, who are giving their services free. There will be a small charge of twenty-five cents an hour to go toward paying packages and other expenses. Everything will be in a sanitary condition, fresh bedding supplied for each child. Children known to have infectious or contagious diseases will not be admitted.

HAYDEN FARM SOLD

S. R. Hayden has sold his farm at Waterville, together with its equipment, to Andrew Clendenning, a prosperous farmer of Canfield. This farm is better known as the Malcolm Clendenning place and the purchase price was \$9000. Mr. Hayden will occupy the house until spring. Mr. Clendenning retains his farm at Canfield.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND CONCERT

On Monday evening, Sept. 19, there will be a fine musical concert in the Star Theatre under the auspices of the Church of England. Mr. Sherlock, a noted pianist of Toronto, and Mrs. Bayles of Andover will assist. Full announcement next week.

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