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DELTA.

MONDAY, June 23.—On Saturday last the I X L baseball team went to Forfar to fulfill a challenge issued some few days ago. The boys came home beaten, but attribute their defeat to absence of some players. Our village has good material for a fine baseball tenm. Now, that is no idle statement, and if some of our citizens who lack the patriotic sentiment will make it a point to witness the return match on our own ground, which is soon to take place, I advise them if they no not encourage by their pockets or by words, the least they can do is not to discourage their home team, which has been too often the case around here.

We hear from one who was present that while in the Methodist Sunday School on Sunday morning one of the large boys—or better say old boys—fell asleep. The Dr. sitting by his side gave him a cordial which enabled him to comply with the purpose of his attendance.

ELBE MILLS.

MONDAY, June 23.—More than the usual amount of buckwheat is being sown in this vicinity.

Some of our citizens visit Charleston quite often.

Miss Nettie Cornell, of Carlton Place, is on a visit to her brother here and is a guest of Mrs. Jas. E. Bates.

While our Maple Hill farmer was returning from the factory recently, one of his milk cans fell from the cart, but he was so engrossed contemplating the new coat of shingles on his barn that he did not know of his loss until a neighbor coming along shouldered the can and brought it home.

A common road sulky is not a very good vehicle for carrying a load of blacksmith's stock and "fire water" at the same time, especially when the driver is outside of the liquid share of the cargo. In a recent case, when the conveyance arrived here, the irons for the new buggy were missing, but were found the next morning scattered along the road.

FRONT OF YONGE.

MONDAY, June 23.—We will visit Charleston Lake sometime during the summer, but will be incog.

The Champaign garden has not yet opened at Alexander Bay.

An old beer carboy passed through here last week on his way to mud lake, at which place he intends to bag bull frogs for the American market.

Miss O'Connors, who formerly taught school at McIntosh Mills, is at present teaching a very respectable school in what is known as the Dobbs settlement. Miss O'Connor is a fine young lady and well worthy the position she fills. She formerly belonged to Long Point, where her late father, D. O'Connor, owned a fine farm.

Mr. D. Ladd, who is a free-stone mason, is at present building a wall as a foundation under the beautiful residence on one of his tenants.

We cannot possibly attend the great annual pic-nic held in Ballycanoe today, as we are very busily engaged in hoeing and weeding our potatoes, corn and beans. The latter calls our closest attention.

LYN.

MONDAY, June 23.—Our cemetery has assumed a different aspect. The removal of trees and bushes, straightening up tombstones, and other general work, makes the place quite respectable. There is a large amount yet to be done, but now that the work has commenced, it is expected that parties interested will see that the graves of friends departed will be kept in order and not allowed to run wild again.

The flouring mill is running night and day. A large quantity of wool is coming in daily at the factory. The cheese factory runs on Saturday night. The agr'l works are doing a big trade in horse hoes, &c. The Eyre Manufacturing Co. have their stock of logs here nearly exhausted and will commence hauling by rail in a few days. A stranger hunting for a bed reported "all full" at the hotel, so you see Lyn is a long way from being dead just now.

No births, marriages or deaths to report. Perhaps we can do better next time.

As a rule the people in this section are above reproach morally, but there is a case not many miles from here were a little white cap discipline would not be out of place.

The Sunday excursion on the B & W. did not take well. The kind of people who patronise such things don't live here. Sup't Mooney will find that that sort of thing wont pay in this country.

The W. C. T. U. ice cream parlor did a brisk business Saturday night.

NEWBORO.

A party consisting of the "Four Hundred" assembled at the residence of one of our citizens on Friday night. D. H. was the idol as usual. Stoning is no use, Barney, he still bobs up serenely.

In the recent baseball match at Forfar our boys were defeated by one score. Their defeat can be attributed to the injudicious decisions given by the umpire, who worked against them throughout the game. The kicking of the Forfar club at the outset, again the Newboro umpire showed that some device had been premeditated, and the scheme was shown up when they selected for their umpire the windiest of the Windy Nine that constitute the "All West" baseball club. Our boys, however, knowing they had not received justice, took the so-called defeat in good part and did not return, as All West did from Athens, with the lame excuse, "We were all full."

Mr. H. Lang met with a bad accident last week. He was returning from Burgess and his horses started to run while coming down a steep hill. Herbie heroically jumped from the wagon but he caught his foot in the wheel giving his knee a bad wrench. Fortunately, no bones were broken, but it will be some time before he is able to resume business.

Hotel guests.—Henry Dier, lumberman, Lower Canada; Dick Spicer, Bedford Mills.

WARBURTON.

MONDAY, June 23.—The new blacksmith shop is now completed and the new blacksmith, Mr. Joseph Steacy, formerly of Elbe Mills, is determined to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage. Well, "he is able to give satisfaction" are the first words which would suggest themselves to a stranger upon entering the shop.

The pic-nic committee for June 26th made a bee a few days ago for the purpose of clearing up the grounds selected upon Green's Point. Thanks to those who turned out in goodly number to assist in the noble work of renovating the naturally wooded pic-nic ground, the effect of the afternoon's work was wonderful and can only be appreciated by an inspection of the work.

SATURDAY, June 21.—Bear in mind that the dinner and pic-nic is to be held at the Outlet on Thursday, June 26th. Dinner, prominent speakers, dancing, boat racing, etc.

The Outlet Queen will leave Charleston at 10 a.m., arriving at the pic-nic grounds at 11 a.m., and will make successive trips among the islands during the day, returning to Charleston in the evening. Charleston and return 25c.

W. Davis, general agent for Steacy's Champion Creamer, paid the village a flying visit recently. He reports business booming. Go it Will.

From the number of vehicles tied in front of our new blacksmith shop, we think it advisable for Mr. Steacy to get up and get.

Mrs. John Earl went via Outlet Queen to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sheriff Yates, Athens, on Friday.

WESTPORT.

SATURDAY, June 21.—The By-law for the granting of another bonus of $10,000 to extend the B. & W. railway to Sharbot Lake was defeated here on Tuesday by a majority of over 100 No doubt the electors of North Crosby will be very grateful for the amount of railway gas from Newboro, which exploded in favor of Mr. Hervey on election day. All are now looking anxiously for the fulfilment of the threats made by some earnest supporters of the railway, in the way of tearing up rails etc., and running the line from Singleton's Corners These stories remind us of a comparison made between Edward I. of England and Llewellyn, Prince of Wales. However, in this case North Crosby, not Llewellyn, had the cherry tart and by a sweeping majority she expressed her determination to keep it in spite of all kindly advice given to her by certain gentlemen from Newboro as to the manner in which she should expend her wealth.

Quite a number from this burg attended the Bedford pic-nic on Thursday, June 19.

Immersion and baptismal services were held by the Baptist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday, June 15. Rev. Mr. Weeks, of Brockville, performed the service for the Baptist congregation, while the services in the Presbyterian church were conducted by the pastor, Rev. D. Y. Ross.

No small dissatisfaction is being expressed by the members of the different churches here over the appearance of an article in the Westport *Journal* reflecting on the course taken by the rev. gentlemen and the laymen of the churches in regard to the new members. The scribe, who ever he may be, and who signs himself "One interested," has shown his great interest for the christian cause by publicly condemning the works in that cause. He says the good advice given by Mr. Whyte has been ignored and that the ministers have caused disturbances in families. Regarding the first part of the charge, we would ask, "Did Mr. Whyte not leave any good advice for those interested as well as for the ministers and laymen?" If Mr. Whyte's advice and opinions are to be the basis of the work, what would his opinion be of any one who, behind the mask of an interested party, publicly casts reflections on the ministers for simply doing as he himself told them to do, namely, to get all converts into some of the churches? As for the charge against the ministers for causing family quarrels, that remains to be proved. Our idea of the whole fabrication is that the writer's interest, whoever he may be, runs more to jealousy than good works, and that if he wishes to undo the good already done, all he need do is to try to prove his interest for the cause at the expense of others whose labors have aided in no small way in accomplishing the good work his letter speaks of.

A band of Turks, accompanied by two bears, a monkey and a span of horses resembling hat racks, were doing the town during the early part of the week.

The pic-nic to Wèblock Island, under the auspices of the Westport Presbyterian Sunday school, on the 20th, was a grand success in every sense of the word. The steamer Olive, which had been chartered for the occasion steamed away from the wharf at Westport loaded with nearly 500 persons who all vied with each other in making the pic-nic a success The trip down to the island, which is some 4 or 5 miles from Westport, was of itself no small treat, each and all being loud in the praise of the scenery on the shores of the lower Rideau. After a voyage of nearly an hour, the steamer hauled her precious freight on the wharf at Weblock. Immediately all set to work preparing for dinner, which was no sooner over than the amusements commenced. The Westport National base ball club kindly lent their baseball paraphernalia for the occasion and some of its members, ably assisted by outsiders, soon had a fine game started. While this game was in progress, some of the older gentlemen of the party clubbed together and commenced a game under rules which must have been enacted in antediluvian times, the cries of "shoot him!" "shoot him!" reminding one of a sort of a straw-leg sergeant drilling a corps of volunteer recruits. When the games were in progress, some of the younger children, ably assisted by some of the older, chief of whom were Messrs. Rorison and Kennedy, were amusing themselves by pursuing some of the descendants of the bird which refused to fulfill its message when Noah sent it in search of a good landing for the ark.

After the games were over, the crowd were called together and for nearly an hour had the pleasure of enjoying some fine speeches and finer music. On the motion of Mr. Webster, sr., seconded by Mr. Ross, Mr. Geo. Wing was chosen chairman and he filled his position admirably. The first speaker called upon was Rev. D. Y. Ross, the esteemed pastor of the Westport Presbyterian church. Mr. Ross in a few words ably showed the good effect produced on both young and old by such gatherings and expressed a wish that in the future more attention would be paid to the pic-nic business, especially when such facilities for making them a success were to be had. Mr. Ross closed his speech by moving a hearty vote of thanks to Messrs. Webster and Lockwood who, ably assisted by their ladies, had afforded the people of Westport such an opportunity for enjoyment. The next speaker was Mr. W. H. Fredenburgh, who seconded Messrs. Webster and Lockwood made neat speeches, in acknowledgement of the vote of thanks.

Rev. Mr. Campbell, of Oliver's Ferry, in response to an invitation delivered an excellent address. After returning thanks to the chairman and giving cheers for the Queen, the party returned to the boat and made the trip home in the short space of 40 minutes.

The singing of the children itself was one noteworthy feature of the occasion.

Regarding the island and its advantages for campers and pic-nic parties, words fail to express our admiration.

BEE NOTES.

Mr. James Walker, of Algonquin, a widely known contractor and builder, now building the Methodist church at Glen Buell, has a large apiary, once containing five races of bees, and at present one of the best appointed in Ontario. Mrs. Walker, a lady of medium health and strength, took charge of the apiary last season in Mr. Walker's absence. She hived 110 swarms, put the foundation in the frames and pound sections; at the proper time put on the supers (half-stories), opened and examined colonies requiring assistance, noted carefully the progress of the brood and thereby correctly judged the value of the queen. Mrs. W. possesses a practical knowledge of all that is required to make bee-keeping pay. A well read headstrong theorist would fail and lose his bees where she would make money. The season previous I had charge of the apiary and I remember that Mrs. Walker was a natural expert at finding queens when they fell from the swarms into the grass. On Mr. Walker's return with his help, his wife extracted nearly two tons of honey. A colony was placed on the scales during the great basswood flow and it gained an average of 12 lbs. daily, 72 lbs. in 6 days, losing three hours by a storm.

Miss Mary Foley, on the old Foley homestead, in that beautiful and wealthy settlement, Rockfield, in the township of Escott, makes bee-keeping pay, selling a quantity of honey and bees. She has a correct idea of their management. Particulars at some future time. She is very careful in her preparations of honey. Her bees are partly Italianized. The locality of Rockfield is noted for its cultivated farms, its great painted high-roofed barns, and is a little picturesque, with great massive piles of ancient looking rocks, undoubtedly many millions of years older than the Garden of Eden.

W. S. HOUGH.

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