

LOCAL NEWS.

VERY HOT.—Tuesday was the warmest day of the season, the mercury showing ninety degrees.

PROHIBITION.—The prohibition commission will meet here on August 12th and 15th to hear evidence respecting the liquor traffic.

THEIR NEW HOME.—Charles Hill, wife and family of Pokok, visited their new home at Nashwanke, the Thompson farm, on Thursday.

FROM RIVER DUCHUTE.—The schooner, Annie Olive, loaded here this week that was seen by Donald Fraser at his River DuChute mill.

FAST WORK.—One of our speedy bicyclists made the trip from this city to Marysville, three miles, in eighteen minutes. This included crossing the bridge.

HURT BY A HORSE.—Mrs. Hayward of Wausau was severely hurt by a horse jumping on her one day last week. She was trying to prevent a horse from getting into a field.

NASTY WOUND.—Thomas Cox met with a painful accident while working at Peter's mill on Thursday. A pevis pipe was run through his foot and Dr. Seery had to be called to attend.

FOR REPAIRS.—Rev. Father Korman received \$120 from his congregation at Stanley for repairs to the church at that place. The work is now being done. His people don't wait for a picnic but pay right up.

CITY WORK.—Road master McKay has made a very neat piece of road out to the railway station. Pipe laying has been going on on Victoria and Bowery lanes and will be completed in about a fortnight.

UNSET.—Mayor Beckwith was thrown from his carriage on Wednesday evening. His horse taking fright at a greyhound came bolted down. He was not seriously injured. The buggy has had to be sent up for repairs.

LEAKS A PATEY TO THEM.—The Indians of St. Marys have erected a flag staff in the centre of their tepees through the kindness of Indian agent Farrell. He is kind to them and they show him a great deal of respect.

GOOD AS NEW.—A double seated top buggy is almost indispensable to a well regulated family nowadays. It is made of the finest material, through repair may be had by applying to F. L. Morrison, Queen street. Terms reasonable and made suitable.

ONE OF OURS.—Fred Hatt, of this city, made a good showing at the Moncton bicycle races on the 12th, being second; first having been taken by Jack Kirkpatrick, of St. John. Our boys generally hold their own whenever tracked.

CROPS.—Crop prospects on the highlands are fine, in fact the yield of the year will be superior to that of any former period during the past ten years. The intervals do not promise much, perhaps on account of the cold spring and too much rain.

ESCAPED LUNATIC.—Mrs. Rosa Griffin, who was being taken to the lunatic asylum at St. John, escaped on Tuesday while waiting for the train at Cross Creek station of the C. E. R. She hid in the bushes most of the day and was found in the evening on her way home.

ICE CREAM.—On Monday evening the ladies of the F. C. Baptist church held a very pleasant social at their church vestry. Ice cream, strawberries, etc. were in profusion and the ladies saw that every one had a share. Rev. Mr. Hartley was present and took an active part.

THE RIVER BOATS.—A promise has been made that the David Weston will be on between this city and St. John next week, while the Soulanges will come on in August. Many appear to be doubtful, but it is hoped for the benefit of the city that the boats will be put on.

SCALDED.—Thos. Clarkson, of Stanley, is laid up, the result of a severe scalding. A fellow workman in the camp threw a bucket of boiling water over him in a spirit of mischief burning his arm and body pretty severely. It was thought that the tea was cold and no harm was intended.

BRIDGE BUILDING.—John Petty esq., has about completed the repairs of the Garden creek bridge at Acton on the old St. Andrews road. This bridge was built by Mr. Hood of that place twenty-eight years since and will with these repairs be good for five years longer at least.

R. T. OF T.—The general council, R. T. of T., of the maritime provinces held a session at Zionville on the 13th. There were 22 delegates present. The report of the grand council showed an increase of 14 new councils with 500 new members during the year. Quite a number attended from this city.

POOL RESULTS.—The Southampton packet, the little tow-boat steamer built to ply between this city and Southampton, did not make a very successful trip. She had to be hauled by a horse through the Bear Island rapids and did not go above Nackawick. She is now above the water works undergoing repairs.

IT WAS MUD.—He was out sporting in a new birch canoe on Thursday afternoon and took a cold bath all of a sudden. A dig out rushed to the rescue and helped the youth from a wet bath. We don't give his name, but one of the boys on the wharf said it would have been "mud" if the rescue party had not gone to him.

ARROOQUO AHEAD.—Dunham L. Kelly, of Stanley, who has paid a two weeks visit to Carleton and Arrooquo counties, returned on Wednesday. He reports himself well pleased with that part of the country and says that although Stanley is a fine farming parish, yet Carleton and Arrooquo counties are far ahead of it in everything.

HE CAN DO IT.—Capt. Coombs, of Gibson, is receiving much credit from the Stanley people for the very fine roads he has made with the road machine. No fault can be found with them except that they are so enticing that the boys steal out the horses and give them a spin over the new roads. Capt Coombs can build a road and quote an amount of it, so Williamsburg people say.

AT SPRINGFIELD.—The W. A. A. picnic under the auspices of the C. of E. held at Springfield on Mr. Sewell's farm Tuesday last was much enjoyed. Mr. Sewell took an active hand in the sports. Wheeler's bus had a load of picnickers from town and many went by private conveyance. The proceeds amounted to a little over twenty-five dollars. Those who wished enjoyed a dance at the hotel this ending a very pleasant day.

STILL FLOURISHING.—Stanley Village appears to be having a new lease of life. Harry Turnbull is getting his new hotel well under way and a new house is going up on the side of the hill almost opposite the grange. The mill is busy and Andy Douglas and the grange have all they can attend to. The old houses that had stood since Stanley was first planned are being renovated and promises to be good for fifty years to come.

PRESENTATION.—The Rev. Mr. Chapman, pastor of the Marysville Methodist church was on Wednesday evening made the recipient of a handsome set of Dickens' works richly bound, also a gold pen, accompanied by an address read by Miss Miles. The presentation was made through the Epworth league. The reverend gentleman has done much to forward the work of the church and has made many friends especially among the young people.

THE GLORIOUS TWELFTH.

How the Day Was Celebrated.

The Orangemen and friends turned out in force and the train from this city was well filled. A large addition was made at Marysville, while all along the route detachments of different sizes joined the main guard. The C. E. R. had all arrangements made for the comfort and safety of the excursionists and landed them at Chatham well within the schedule time. Here they were taken in charge by the I. C. R. officials and whirled at rapid speed, sometimes a mile per minute till Moncton was reached.

By the praise bestowed upon the Moncton people the majority must have seen well used. The Marysville band, which had gone with the excursionists, here met with the other bands and Moncton had more music than is generally the case, some five and six being seen. The procession was a large one. After parading the principal streets, with sixteen banners floating, the men were drawn up in rank and were addressed by the mayor and several prominent citizens. After disbanding the majority repaired to the park where a series of bicycle races took place, the old men repairing to the hotels where again they walked over the route of former processions and fought their battles over again.

By five o'clock, just twenty-four hours from the time they started, the excursionists returned, tired and sleepy, but much pleased with their trip. The only death that marred the day was the death of an old man, James Hunter. While the procession was marching he fell in the ranks, on the railway track, striking his head on one of the rails and was dead when picked up. A physician pronounced it heart disease.

At Fredericton Junction the 12th of July was celebrated in honor of the glorious and immortal William III., and passed quietly and pleasantly away. The members of the Sunbury L. O. L., No. 145, met at the agricultural hall at 10 o'clock, a. m., and a profitable session was enjoyed. At 11:30 o'clock they adjourned for dinner. They marched to the hotel of brother James Patterson, where they partook of a beautiful repast worthy of the amiable hostess, Mrs. Patterson. At 3 o'clock, p. m., they again met in the hall, and spent the time until 5 o'clock in a most sociable and agreeable way.

The order of the day at that hour was a public parade, which did credit to the noble and loyal boys of 145, some of them, 'tis true, being somewhat past their teens. From parade they repaired again to the house of brother Patterson, where they were served with an excellent tea. They wish to express their kindest thanks to both brother Patterson and Mrs. Patterson for the courteous and hospitable treatment received. At 7:30 they again met at the hall in a public meeting to listen to a profitable and interesting lecture by the Rev. G. W. Foster, W. M. of 145. Subject: "Orangeism and Orangeism."

The rev. brother was greeted by a full house and was listened to with rapt attention. He was also tendered with a handsome collection at the close. Speeches were made by Rev. Mr. Estabrook and county master D. L. Duplissa, chairman of the meeting.

After singing God Save the Queen the Orangemen and their friends dispersed, feeling that they had spent an enjoyable day. One good old Orange veteran said, "He had attended thirty-five 12th of July and this was the best he had ever seen."

There was grand parade and dinner at Keswick under the auspices of Anderson lodge, No. 23. The proceedings passed off very pleasantly and there was a good attendance.

For the 22nd.

A meeting of the park association took place on Tuesday evening when it was decided to have a grand evening of sports on the track beneath the electric light. Friday, the 22nd inst., has been appointed the day, and already arrangements are being made for some stirring and interesting sports. The grand stands will be lighted by the electric light so that the races may be seen as plainly as in daylight. The evening's entertainment will open with a grand parade of four in hand, tandems, pairs and singles. The program of races will be as follows: Pneumatic, cushion tired and safety bicycles, half-mile race for the first and second, a mile for the latter. Two races, half-mile heats, but 3 in 5 for local horses. A band will be in attendance and there will be dancing on the green. A good time is promised.

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DEATHS BOINGS.

The Funeral Held in Many Homes.

Mr. William Currie died at his residence, Orancton, on Thursday morning. He had been ill for some time and his death was unexpected. Deceased leaves a son and two daughters.

Mrs. S. J. Parsons, of Benton, a lady much beloved by all, died at that place on Tuesday last after a few weeks illness of inflammation of the lungs. The interment took place at Woodstock, the Rev. Mr. Page officiating.

Her relatives at Marysville received word Thursday of the death at Lynn, Mass., of Miss Lucy, daughter of the late Patrick Walker, of Woodstock, and sister of Geo. and Mary Walker of that place and Mrs. R. Staples of Birdton. Consumption was the cause.

Mr. Geo. Ward, a well known former resident of this city, but residing lately at Orancton, died at that place on Wednesday morning at three o'clock from inflammation of the bowels. He was in his 80th year and was much respected. His funeral took place on Thursday afternoon. Mr. Ward had many friends at Stanley.

A despatch to his friends here on Thursday contains the sad news of the death at Chenton, China, of Mrs. Kibbun, nee Miss Jennie Fowler. Cholera was the cause of death. Deceased was a daughter of Prof. Fowler, of Queen's college, at one time a teacher at the Normal school here. A sister of the deceased is at present visiting friends here.

Many will hear with deep regret of the death of Richard Esley, which occurred at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Fowler, of Sunday, morning at 8 o'clock. He was a native of Douglas, born in 1810. He gave the name Esley's mills to the mills below town where he at one time carried on extensive business. He was twice married being survived by his only wife, sister of Mrs. Bilzard, of St. John. Deceased leaves the following family by his first wife: R. A. Esley, Mrs. Wm. Fowler, Mrs. D. H. Lemond Esley, of Grand Falls, Mrs. E. E. Phair, of Nelson, B. C., and Mrs. Helley V. Bond, of Toronto. He was buried on Monday afternoon, all classes of citizens joining in the procession, thus showing respect for the deceased. The Rev. Widdall and Payson conducted the ceremony at the house and grave.

Marysville Notes.

James Hale has returned from the west. Miss Hattie Magee is visiting friends here. The shingle shed is rapidly approaching completion. The roads have been put in fine shape by Michael Wade.

The running drive has got in and now the river has been completely shrouded. The sawmill had cut very fast this week making one of the best weeks on record.

The Methodist picnic on Thursday at St. Marys' grounds was well attended and much enjoyed.

Frank Brotherton, who is leading the band, is well liked by the boys, who are gaining rapidly under his management.

Geo. Tapley, foreman of the ring road and his hand caught in the machinery on Thursday and two fingers badly mangled.

Rolling town and Marysville base ball nine met on the hill on Wednesday evening with the result in favor of the latter.

The F. C. Baptists are preparing for a social, to be held on Thursday next, on the church grounds. A pleasant time is said.

Joe Wheeler has had the Ivanhoe painted and otherwise renovated so that now it is one of the finest conveyances on the road.

The Methodist church has been painted inside, and now the painters are at work on the exterior. A staging is built to the top of the tower.

Dr. L. C. Sharp is to read a paper at the twelfth annual meeting of the N. B. Medical society, to be held at St. John on the 19th and 20th inst.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR GIRLS

How They Charmed the Men of Wall Street.

The Christian Endeavor delegates to the number of thirty-five thousand met at New York during the week. They included all places of business and pleasure. They thronged the galleries of the stock exchange, and watched the doings of the brokers. The galleries were packed with the sightseers.

The stock exchange has had a famous glee club for years. For the entertainment of the pretty young Christian Endeavorers the whole band was marshalled upon the floor and business was practically suspended. Mr. Harding, as the precursor of the club, pulled from his waistcoat pocket the old-fashioned hunting fork which he carries about with him. The glee club surrounding him, he twanged the tuning fork on the Louisville and Nashville post, and in a fine bass voice began to sing:

Shall we gather at the river,
When bright angels' feet have trod,
With its crystal tide forever
Flowing by the throne of God.
The hymn was taken up by the glee club and by 200 brokers surrounded by Mr. Harding. When it came to the chorus:

Yes, we'll gather at the river,
The beautiful, the beautiful river;
Gather with the saints at the river,
That flows by the throne of God,
Everybody on the floor sang, including the fringe of brokers that skirted the regulation songsters of the Exchange. The echoes went up into the great dome and came back, and the young women lifted their heads, and, in sweet soprano and rich contralto, carried on the hymn. Mr. Harding sang the hymn through. With each stanza the brokers sang better, and the gallery became more at home.

When the hymn was done a sweet-faced young woman, whose hair was prematurely grey, stepped to the railing of the gallery, and, in a deep, contralto voice, began to sing:

Let us all sing to God to Thee,
Nearer to Thee!
E'en though it be a cross
That lies behind me
Still all my soul shall be,
Nearer my God to Thee,
Nearer my God to Thee,
Nearer to Thee!

The glee club, still in congregation and Mr. Harding in command, with his tuning fork uplifted, replied with the next stanza:

Though, like a wanderer,
The sun goes down,
Darkness be over me,
Yet in my dream I'd be,
Nearer my God to Thee—
Nearer my God to Thee—
Nearer to Thee.

The girls up in the galleries waved their handkerchiefs at the brokers, and then the same sweet-voiced woman, this time accompanying her sisters to accompany her, sang:

Then let the way appear,
Sleeps unto heaven;
Lead on, thou guide me
In mercy given;
Angels to beckon me,
Nearer my God to Thee—
Nearer my God to Thee—
Nearer to Thee.

It was the brokers' turn again, and they sang:

Then with my waking thoughts,
Bright with Thy praise;
Out of my stormy griefs
Bethel will raise,
So by Thy word be
Nearer my God to Thee—
Nearer my God to Thee—
Nearer to Thee.

There was a rest for a moment, and then the brokers began Watts's cradle hymn:

Hush, my dear, lie still and slumber;
Holy angels guard thy bed.
Some of the girls who had looked as if they were going to shed a tear or two over the other hymns, or over the unexplained habit of having the hymn sung to them in the Wall Street stock exchange, began to titter at this. The brokers, as they sang, cavorted and pranced, and everybody had a fine time. The festival had now been going on nearly an hour. It was time to hunt right again and struggle for existence, and Mr. Harding, gathering his club about him and beckoning to the young women to get attention, struck up "My Country, 'tis of Thee," which all sang, and which ended the day.

About 200 of the girls descended on the Tombac court room expecting to be provided with seats from which to listen to the proceedings, found the court already occupied by the friends of the opium smokers gathered in by the Elizabeth street police on Sunday night. Chinamen were everywhere. They occupied all the seats and pretty nearly all of the standing room. Besides there were nearly seventy behind the railing and in the pens, and the court room smelted of opium. They chattered and chattered in choice Chinese, those on the outside spending most of their time endeavoring to pass things over the railing to their less fortunate countrymen, while the court squad kept lying about trying to restrain them. To add to the general confusion, dozen lawyers' clerks ran up and down the room vainly endeavoring to find their employer's clients.

Sergeant Langdon and roundsman Campbell viewed their visitors in dismay. They started to the already crowded room, and women too, were more than they could bear. The two officers tried ignoring the visitors at first, in the hope that they would leave, but they wouldn't. That justice served and they laughed so much they seemed to be laughing for order. The sergeant and roundsman held a consultation, and decided that either the girls or Chinamen would have to go. They finally decided in favor of the visitors and the court squad was gathered together for the attack. The Chinamen protested and some fought, but every one except the prisoners was put out, and their seats were quickly filled by the Christian endeavorers.

Our Friends.

Geo. Hatt is home on a visit from Montreal. Emery Currie, of New York, is looking up his old friends here. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin, of Montreal, and Mrs. Wm. Lemont and Wm. Lemont, returned on Saturday from a trip to the Island province. Dr. and Mrs. Bailey have gone to Montreal on an evening trip. They intend returning in October. Alex. Bubar and wife of Avery's Portage, who have been visiting Arrooquo county, returned on Monday after a very pleasant trip. Thos. Purvis, merchant of Millville, was in town on Friday. John Rutherford, of Harvey, was visiting friends here on the 14th.

New Up River Steamer.

It has been decided to build a light draught steamer to take the place of the Floreneville on the up river route. This boat is in need of repairs and is not suited to up river service, her carrying capacity being small and her draft too shallow. The new boat will be built under the supervision of D. F. George and will be so constructed that she can run most of the summer and go beneath the bridges, so that she will make the old landing at Woodstock.

Boys' rough and tumble suits for the holidays at Lucy & Co's, \$1 per suit.—2i.

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If you wish to take the trip of a lifetime, purchase the low rate excursion tickets sold by all principal lines in the United States and Canada via the Northern Pacific railroad to Yellowstone National Park, Pacific coast and Alaska.

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If you wish to investigate this suggestion, further send to Charles S. Fee, General Pass... or Agent, N. P. R. R., St. Paul, Minn., for copies of the handsome illustrated "Woodland" book, Yellowstone Park and Alaska folders.

GOING AWAY.—To-morrow morning the Rev. Father Chastillon, curate of St. Dunstan's, will preach his farewell sermon to this congregation, going on Monday to begin his labor at Bouchouche. His going will cause much sorrow as he has many friends in this city and vicinity.

On Wednesday July 6th, the Rev. Mr. Wass celebrated the nuptial ceremony at Boiestown between Alexander McDonald and Miss Susan McLaughlin, daughter of Parkers Ridge. The bride and groom are favorites in the locality and their friends wish them a hearty send off on the voyage of matrimony.

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