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COUNTY NEWS.

Interesting Letters from Various Points in the County.

ELGIN.

The weather is very dry, while showers are going all around us. We would feel alarmed at the prospect if we did not remember the promise that the rain should fall alike upon the just and the unjust.

ELBE MILLS.

MONDAY, June 18.—Work on the new school house is progressing rapidly. The masons will be through this week.

A large party of our young folks picnicked at Charleston, recently.

The farmers' faces in this vicinity have resumed their usual appearance since the heavy rain of Friday last.

A train and large gang of men have been at work here on the railroad during the past week. Dirt is being hauled from the banks to level the road bed.

MALLORYTOWN.

MONDAY, June 18.—The lacrosse match between the Juniors of this place, and the Juniors, of Escott, was won by the former, they taking three straits.

A farmers' son from the west was down not long ago making his sweetheart a three or four days' visit. on his lady-love asking him why he always seemed uneasy about affairs at home, He told her his services were required in looking after his father's sheep. At this she said "I cannot let you go so soon. They can look after the rest of your father's sheep who like, but I shall look after this one."

Horseboacking is the favorite sport, or rather the craze.

TOLEDO.

SATURDAY, June 16.—Mrs. Grey, of Almonte, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Abbot, of this village.

Mr. Geo. I. Medole, of New York, is the guest of Dr. S. S. Cornell, of this village.

Besides the new shed the Methodists have also added a beautiful fence to the front of the Church. It is really too bad that the sidewalk does not extend to the Church. It would take only a few dollars to build it. Is there no one to help in this project.

Mr. Dunham, who has purchased a lot just north of the school house, has the stone foundation, for his house, nearly completed.

We are glad to be able to say that Thomas Hunter has recovered so far as to be able to drive out. He has gone to Massena Springs for a few weeks and we hope to see him on his return fully restored to health.

We are told, on good authority, that Toledo has established a baseball club. We would advise some of the youths of the place to keep their hands in their pockets and avoid having jammed fingers and thumbs.

WESTPORT.

SATURDAY, June 16.—Crops are progressing favorably in this district since the recent refreshing showers.

The Presbyterian Sunday School excursion to Jones' Falls on the 8th inst. was largely attended and a very enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. A. L. Taggart has gone to Minnedosa to visit his brother, who is dangerously ill.

The Council has voted a liberal sum, which in addition to all the statute labor of the village is to be expended in reconstructing our sidewalks which, judging from the number of capsizements lately, are sorely in need of overhauling.

W. J. Webster has sent a number of teams from here to work at the grading between Lyn and Brockville. His fencing gang will soon have this part of the work done. Mr. Webster is one of the most pushing contractors who has had anything to do with the road.

The lifting gang have just reached the station to-day with their work. They report the road in a passable condition to Farmersville. We expect the "lost engine" to appear again next week.

LYN.

SATURDAY, June 16.—Our village was startled by the peculiar shrill whistle of the B. & W. engine on its return after an absence of several months. The contractors for the Brockville section have brought on a number of teams and a quantity of plows for the back country and intend pushing the work of construction. Since the return of the engines, Sunday work has recommenced. The total disregard with which the managers treat the wishes of a civilized community who believe that Sabbath desecration never prospers, does not help the credit of the company It is hoped that the new life of the enterprise may be permanent.

Rev. M. Richardson has returned from conference and will preach his farewell on next Sunday. As he has been here for three years the rules of the conference require his removal.

Weddings, and rumors of weddings, are interesting our gossips of late. Time will tell how true their prognostications are.

Should this present weather continue the strawberry crop in this section would be immense.

The copious showers followed by fine warm weather has brought a smile on the faces of our farmers which is reflected on the faces of others depending on the farm. Speaking of smiles it is worth a trip from Farmersville (via B. & W. R R.) to see friend Yates smile, *a la* Alvin Joslin, since he has been operated on by Billy, the barber.

FRONT OF YONGE.

SATURDAY, June 18.—Mr. John Taunahy, of Caintown, has a mare which had a colt a few days ago of a peculiar style of formation. It had six feet, four in front, perfect feet. It had no eyes and was premature.

A splendid church shed is in course of erection in Caintown. It is for the accommodation of the Presbyterian body of said place. It will be very commodious and will shelter a large number of teams, as it is over 100 feet long.

We would advise some expert mineralogists to take a look over the farm of Mr. Matthew Leeder, of Ballyconnor. We were sent a sample from said gentleman's rocks, but not having the proper apparatus, we were unable to analyse it.

Having a strong inclination for farming, we cannot devote much of our time to the tedious pursuits of gold and silver mining, but may, from time to time, point out and locate several rich finds of a mysterious nature.

Mr. John Kincaid, while delivering his milk at the Caintown cheese factory, accidentally struck his leg against the edge of the milk can. This had the effect of rupturing a small blood vessel, which had become very painful and of a dangerous nature. Drs. Hanna and Lane, assisted by R. R. Phillips, on Friday last, after administering ether, made an incision in the leg and removed a quantity of blood which had collected, and inserted a tube for the removal of any future issue. He is now doing well.

A gentleman has been lecturing on the subject of how the Scott Act came to be a failure. We say that the Scott Act has not been a failure but many of the people failed in the enforcement of the Act. The trouble is people vote Scott Act with one hand and drink whiskey with the other. Thus it will be until men become too wise to spend their hard earned money for naught and for that which will in the end bring ruin and desolation.

THE STRAWBERRY INDUSTRY.

Good Prospects for the Crop this Season.—Some of the Principal Growers.

For sometime past we have been receiving letters from different parts of the country, asking as to the prospects of the strawberry crop for the present season, and wishing to get the address of parties who would be likely to have a quantity to dispose of. During the past week we took a drive out through the strawberry district and found the prospects good for a large crop this season, although in one or two localities there were complaints of the depredations of a small insect that was working in some of the patches. This parasite attacks the stem, and one farmer told us that he had found hundreds of stems that were cut off near the ground. This is something that should be looked after by those engaged in the culture of strawberries, as it is possible that something may be done to stay the ravages of the pest, if action be taken in time. The great difficulty with the successful cultivation of strawberries in the Lyn district is the scarcity of pickers. This has been partially met in former years by getting pickers from outside districts and this season Mr. Geo. W. Gardiner purposes bringing 150 pickers from St Regis. The facilities for shipping berries from Lyn are excellent, as the G. T. R. station is only about a mile from the village, while those wishing to ship per the C. P. R. have only five miles to draw to the Brockville station.

Below is a list of all the growers whose names we could obtain, together with the quantity of ground each has under strawberries:—

LYN.	Acres
R. Weeks	2
T. Pattern	0½
J. Dickey	1
R. McCrady	0½
J. Murray	1
Charlie Mott	1
Ira Brown	2
R. C. Brown	4
W. Neilson	2
Albert Gardiner	0½
Norris Gardiner	0½
W. Stafford C.	0½
R. Morrison	0½
Mrs. Preston	1
Hamilton Gunn	1
George Earl	0½
Charlie Salter	1
W. Eaton	0½
George McNish	0½
Abraham Horton	1
George King	1
C. M. Warren	2
H. H. Weeks	1½
Byron Judson	0½
W. H. Clow	1
John Lawson	2
F. C. Purvis	0½
Geo. A. Purvis	0½
G. F. Purvis	0½
James Purvis	0½
Andrew Booth	0½
James Millar	4
Robert McCrady	0½
Kenneth Morrison	0½
John Simson	0½
John Percival	0½
Amos Gardiner	2
Anson McLean	1
D. Booth	1
Erastus Brown	0½
J. McNamara	1
George W. Gardiner	3
CAINTOWN.	
M. J. Connolly	1
John Quinsey	0½
D. D. Tennant	0½
Edward Poole	1
Albert Edgley	0½
Alex. Thomson	1
E. Shipman	1
W. Buell	1
James Buell	1
W. Tennant	0½
Albert Tennant	0½
Fred Tennant	1
James White	0½
W. Powell	0½
MALLORYTOWN.	
Peter Dickey	1½
Forrester Bros.	2
Mrs. Fields	0½
R. Burnham	1½
Archibald McLean	1
Mrs. Whiteman	1
R. R. Phillips	6
Thomas Mallory	1
Charles McDonald	1
GREENBUSH.	
Byron W. Loverin	1

NOTE.—These figures give the acreage actually bearing this year. All the growers mentioned have as large an area, and in some cases more, set out with young plants.

Since writing the above a very heavy shower passed over the district referred to, which, coming at the time it did, will increase the crop fully one third. We understand that Mr. Geo. W. Gardiner has already received two car loads of baskets (representing a total of 214,000 baskets), and he thinks he will have to order more for his patrons in the Lyn district.

REAR YONGE AND ESCOTT COUNCIL.

COURT OF REVISION.

The adjourned session of the Court of Revision was held on the 9th inst., when the following changes were made in the assessment roll:—

Mrs. Melissa Cook assessed as owner of lot 16, block H, Farmersville, in place of Byron Cadwell, and her name erased as tenant of part lots 5 and 6, block E, Farmersville, the same to be assessed to John Wilise, owner.

Dr. J. F. Hart assessed as tenant of part lot 7, block C, Farmersville, for $200, the assessment of Mrs. C. Karley, owner, to be reduced that amount.

Dr. Parker assessed as tenant of lot 1, block E, Farmersville, for $700, instead of C. Rowsome, owner.

Assessment of James Palmer erased, the same being included with S. and F. Scovil's assessment.

Assessment of A. and W. G. Parish reduced $500 and the same assessed to Moles & Ackland, for part lot 4, block C, Farmersville.

H. H. Arnold assessed for part lot 3, block C, Farmersville, for $600, instead of Moles & Ackland.

E. Carson assessed for part lot 6, block F, Farmersville, for $200, assessment of F. Pierce, owner, to be reduced that amount.

Geo. Gordon assessed for part lot 2, block C, Farmersville, for $200, assessment of A. Armstrong, owner, to be reduced that amount.

H. Oaten's name, as tenant of lot 1, block G, Farmersville, erased, and inserted as tenant of part lot 1, block H, Farmersville, for $200, the assessment of B. Loverin, owner, to be reduced to $500.

The name of Mrs. Findlay, as owner, and of Ed. Findlay as landowner's son, were inserted with that of Rich. Finlay, for lots 23 and 24, con. 9, Escott.

Hiram Hawkins assessed as tenant of part lot 7, block I, Farmersville, for $200, Mrs. E. Giles owner, the assessment of Jas. Patterson, tenant for same lot, to be reduced that amount.

The Court then adjourned, and the members organized as a

COUNCIL MEETING.

The following petitions and accounts were presented:—

Petition of N. O'Shea, asking for opening to full width of road across lot 25, con. 6.

Bills of W. G. Parish, for lumber and nails for town hall fence, amounting to $9.36.

Account of D. Wiltse, for labor and posts for town hall fence, $7.40.

Mr. Wight moved, seconded by Mr. Moulton, That this Council ratify the purchase of a piece of land from Wm. Pierce, by the Reeve and Deputy Reeve, said land being necessary for a public highway, in lieu of road taken by the railway, the purchase money to be paid by the railway company. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Berney, seconded by Mr. Wight, That Thos. Moulton be a commissioner to see what is necessary for repairing the road in road division No. 4, and as to opening the concession road across lot 25, con. 6, and report at next meeting. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Moulton, seconded by Mr. Berney, That the accounts presented by W. G. Parish and D. Wiltse be paid. Carried.

The Council then adjourned until Saturday, July 7th, at 1 p.m.

J. H. BLACKBURN, Clerk.

How to Make a Tent.

An exchange gives the following directions as to how to make a cheap camping-out tent:—Buy nine yards of good stout yard-wide cotton cloth and cut into three strips of three yards each. Sew these strips together securely by overlapping, and you will then have a piece three yards square. Make a solution of twelve ounces of lime and five ounces of alum in three gallons of water, and soak the cotton in it for a day. Rinse it in warm rainwater and stretch it in the sun to dry. It will then be waterproof.

Having reached your camping ground place, cut two poles eight feet long, each with a fork at one end. Sink the other ends in the ground about a foot and tread the earth well to keep them firmly in place. These poles should be about eight feet apart. Now cut another pole about nine feet long and put it on top of the other two, resting in the forks. Cut two more poles ten feet long for the sides of your frame, resting one end of each pole on the cross pole and the other end on the ground. Stretch the canvas over the frame and tack it to the poles. You can make the sides of your tent weather-proof with the boughs of cedar and other trees.

This is the simplest and least expensive tent you can have, and it will answer your purposes fully. The interior of the tent, however, would be a little more roomy and comfortable if you would put up a second frame in the rear similar to that in front, say two feet high, and stretch the canvas over that and thence to the ground.

Select sloping ground to put your tent on, so that if it rains the water will readily run off; and also dig a little ditch around the tent with an outlet leading down the incline. As the front of the tent will be open—unless you choose to provide enough canvas to close it—you had better place it with the front towards the north or northwest, for storms, if you have any, will probably come from the south or the southwest.

The rude hut described—for it is little else—will no doubt seem a flimsy shelter to those who have never occupied one, but for perfect rest and the soundest of sound sleeping you will find it superior to the best room in your luxurious home.

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