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MCINTOSH MILLS.

MONDAY, Nov. 21.—Messrs. Chas. Flood and J. Bolger held a pay ball in Columbus hall last week. The attendance was thin. The sum total realized was $5.30; the charge for the hall was $5. The balance was devoted to paying minor expenses.

Robt. Flood returned home from New York a cornetist graduate. He is prepared to give lessons at low rates and to play at balls and concerts.

WEXFORD.

MONDAY, Nov. 21.—Messrs. Thorpe & Hall will hold a prayer meeting in Mr. W. Curtis house on Thursday, Nov. 24.

Pete Flood, son of T. Flood, had a portion of his index finger chewed off by a thresher.

The dinner at the opening of the new church, under the direction of the ladies of the congregation, was a great success.

It is said that Geo. Leeder will soon take to himself a wife.

SHEATOWN.

MONDAY, Nov. 21.—An exciting squirrel chase made up of Jas. Cox, N. Shea, P. Cobey, H. Lewis, T. Bolger, sr., and T. Flood, took place in Mr. Cox's domains last Friday. Jas. Cox started out over the hills as frisky as a lamb and shot the first squirrel. The merry crowd returned at 7 p.m, to Mr. P. Coby's where they were entertained to a banquet. N. Shea gave the toast of the day, to which Mr. J. Flood replied in eloquent words.

Mr. Jas. Cox leaves for Bay City to visit his son. He will be present at the opening of the Democratic parliament.

Mr. N. Shea shipped a number of fine turkeys to Montreal.

LYN.

FRIDAY, Nov. 18.—Richard Percival who had been ill for a number of years died on 14th.

Geo. Brown's new house will soon be finished inside. When painted it will be a snug looking place.

Quite a number of our young men have gone to the States this fall at work on the N. Y. C. R. R. at Syracuse. They report good times over there

John Massy paid a visit to his sons who reside at Troy N. Y. He went in time to help them demonstrate Harrison's victory, but their was no demonstration. John had a good time, however.

DELTA.

MONDAY, Nov. 21.—The streets are in a very muddy condition.

Mr. Jonas Pennock took a lady to Brockville and got married last Tuesday and came home in the night of the same day. We wish them a happy and prosperous life in the future.

The Delta cheese factory is running full blast, while others have been closed in the county.

Mrs. Jackson and her children are visiting her parents in Michigan and will stay there till the World's Fair opens. Deb feels very lonesome since they left.

The Hepburn Med. Co. of Iroquois gave an entertainment every night last week. It was not well attended. It has gone to Seeley's Bay to-day.

Miss Amelia Fulford, of Brockville, is at present visiting Mrs. R. I. Stevens, of this place.

Mr. J. Curtin, of Escott, was here on business last Thursday. He sold a sewing machine to Mr. Torrence Best.

Hickey's Corners.

"The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year," and this fact may be noted on the faces of all our worthy residents, caused by the sudden removal from our midst of Mr. Ed. Agnew. Mr. Agnew, thinking to find a more lucrative position for disposing of his soup, has removed to Brockville, where he intends opening a first class restaurant for the purpose. May he have success in his new calling.

We are pleased to know that our worthy tool maker is to strengthen his standing in the fraternity by occupying the house on Sundown street, lately vacated by Mr. Agnew.

It is with great joy that we announce to the agonizing minds of the community that our deputy bread maker and the prime minister of the West Emporium is happily recovering from that dreaded disease, the measles, under the skilful treatment of our local practitioner, Dr. Mosher.

The plague has broken out in our midst. All are sorrowing, the diseased from physical anguish, the well from mental on their behalf. No deaths are yet reported.

We are pleased to note that our ladder factory is increasing. There is talk of a wholesale manufacture being established.

Wiltsetown vs. Woodbine.

Athens, Nov. 15, 1892.

Editor Reporter.—

SIR,—We are not ashamed of the name Wiltsetown, nor is it dead, though most of the earlier settlers are gone. Still, the name seems sweet, and we would prefer the old name instead of Woodbine. We think the one that started it might be writing something that would be of more importance.

A READER OF THE REPORTER.

A Canadian Lynching.

Ole Mickelson and Julius Schmadt two Norwegians sold their farms in Minnesota and went to Edmonton, N. W. T. Schmadt's dead body was subsequently found, with a bullet through his brain and his pockets rifled. A reward was offered for Mickelson's capture but he escaped at the time. A farmer discovered him 20 miles from Edmonton later on and Mickelson offered him $100 to keep quiet. He refused, gave the alarm and a posse of citizens overtook Mikelson. He opened fire on them instead of surrendering when they killed him instantly with a volley from their Winchesters.

Fatal Shooting at Pickering.

On the night of Nov'r 15th a farm hand named Lingford, employed by Bernard Baker, near Pickering village, shot and killed William Palmer. Baker had been troubled with chicken thieves and had determined to lie in wait for them. On the night of the 15th he saw a light in the hen-coop and, in company with Lingford, proceeded to investigate. As they drew near a man emerged from the building and Baker fired. The man started to run and Lingford fired two shots from his revolver at him. Palmer then turned, and when within twenty-five yards of him Lingford, by the aid of a dark lantern, sent a bullet through his heart. An examination of the body showed that, besides the bullet wound, deceased had received 68 shot wounds. The latter, the doctor says, would not have caused his death. Palmer was well connected, but had always been a ne'er do well. He leaves a widow and several children. Lingford is a young Englishman, son of a Birmingham merchant, who was learning Canadian farming with Baker. Both Lingford and Baker will be held for trial.

Swallowed the Cutlery.

Dr. Clark, superintendent of the Toronto insane asylum, has a peculiar case to deal with. About a month ago a patient swallowed a knife, fork and spoon, and up to the present has felt no ill effects from his strange act, though the Dr. says there is no hope of his living with the cutlery in his stomach. Respecting the matter Dr. Clarke says:—"He was eating dinner at his own table. We had to put him at a separate table for various reasons some time ago. The knife, fork and spoon were missed immediately after his repast, but we searched in vain. According to the custom the articles on the tables are counted after each meal and the patients are searched if anything is missing. This man was searched as were all others without success, and I gave orders for a second search after they went to their cells, with no better luck. Then the man confessed that he had swallowed them and we were surprised to find that it was true. He says that he put the handles forward when he put them down his throat. He is a very tall man, about thirty years old, and possesses a long neck."

Mercier's Triumph.

Honore Mercier, the "Child of the People, Devout Son of the Church, Grand Cross of the Order of St. Gregory the Great, and Commander of the Legion of Honor," has been acquitted by the Quebec courts of boodling for personal benefit, and his reception in Montreal was in the form of a triumphal procession. "And the band played —not 'See, the conquering hero comes,' not the dashing 'Marseillaise,' but one tune, at once triumphant and pathetic—it was 'Home, sweet home.' There were two bands, a coach and four and a wonderful red arm-chair, the latter upheld on a litter by eight braves. Perhaps there was no cheering when Mr. Mercier got upon this throne! He said a few words to the multitude. Then, the 'Marseillaise.' It was sung by hundreds, and many other songs were rendered in chorus by French students; but the evening, it must be said, was closed by Mr. Mercier instructing the band to play 'God Save the Queen.' The throne was lit up in splendor with three flambeaux, torchlights. The throne also had three flags to wave over it. The flag of Canada was there —in the middle—and on each side was a pure red flag, blood-red, as red as the nectic of any Mercierite in the crowd; for this was a Rouge night."

An Evil Spirit.

An incident occured in Simcoe County last week that goes to show that a belief in ghosts is not altogether a thing of the past. John Rowat, a farmer of 75 years appeared before Justice Meredith at Barrie and asked to have a deed of conveyance set aside on the ground that fraud had been practised upon him. He said that he had been living alone on his farm with his nephew, and that one night a "vision" stood at his bedside and said, in answer to a question, that it was his "brother Jim, come all the way from heaven to warn him to prepare to leave this earth," and that he was to "at once deed his farm to his nephew." The old man thought it mas a "sure enough" spirit, and next day drove to Barrie with his nephew and executed a deed of conveyance as directed. The nephew shortly placed a good fat mortgage on the valuable farm and went to Manitoba. His lordship would not set aside the deed, but ordered that the old man be paid an annuity of $800.

General Booth is about to visit Canada in search of a location for a "darkest England" colony. If he is not convinced during the search that some company has a tract of land that it would like to sell for the purpose it will be because he travels in disguise.

The New Movement.

The "Advanced Prohibitionist" movement is rapidly spreading throughout the Dominion. Politicians generally will concede that the temperance people are on the right track and on the only track that leads to the goal of their desires. The path of the candidate for parliamentary honors in future is not to be strewn with roses by the temperance people; in fact, they are preparing something to place in his pathway that he will very likely consider a thorn. Every candidate that presents himself to his constituents will be offered the following pledge:—

"I, _____, of the ——of——, in the county of——, in the electoral district of——, am in favor of the immediate total prohibition of the liquor traffic, and if elected to the House of Commons (or the Legislative Assembly) I pledge myself to introduce, or see that there is introduced, at the earliest opportunity, a resolution committing the Parliament to a prohibitory law, and I further pledge myself to introduce, or see that there is introduced, at the earliest opportunity, a motion of want of confidence, on the prohibition question in any Government which fails to commit itself to the adoption of a law suppressing the liquor traffic."

In only a few weeks over twenty constituencies have been organized to back up this pledge with their votes, and looking at it from a purely political standpoint it is evident that the temperance people mean business and that their present movement contains within it the elements of success.

Obituary.

PECK—At her father's home on October fourteenth, 1892, Annetta Peck, in the twenty-fifth year of her age.

Mrs. Annetta Peck, daughter of William and Thirza Hammer, was born August 26, 1867, married to Elmer T. Peck December 5, 1888; united with the Ashbury M. E. church of Henry county July 17, 1892. A life so young, so beautiful, so sweet, became the victim of that fatal disease, consumption. Mr. Hammer removed to Salem on the 30th of August last, and on the following day the diseased daughter came to take up her abode with them in order to be near the attending physician. The tenderest care of loving parents and sisterly devotion could not prevent the loved one from sinking into the tomb.

The deceased was a grand-daughter of Isaac and Rebecca Benedict, who formerly resided in the township of Bastard. About 42 years ago they moved to the State of Iowa with the hope that some of their children would settle near them. They procured a comfortable home and spent quite a number of years together. and when the death angel came with its sickle they were ready for the harvest.

Adulteration of Coffee.

The Inland Revenue Department at Ottawa has had 141 samples of coffee collected in various parts of the Dominion during April, May and June analysed with the result that 270 per cent has been found to be adulterated with chickory or roasted grain or both. Of 41 samples collected in Quebec 15 were found to be grossly adulterated while out of 60 samples collected in Ontario only three were found to be adulterated to that extent. Two of these were in Kingston and one in Meaford. Minor cases were discovered at Fergus, Gananoque, Owen Sound, Meaford, Kingston, Collingwood, North Toronto, Brantford, Stratford and London. Several samples collected in Toronto were all found to be pure. Those guilty of gross adulteration are being prosecuted.

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A farmer in the Township of Wolford living between Easton's Corners and Merrickville, is very indignant at the treatment received from the authorities of Smith's Falls and vows he'll never be caught in the same trap again. It seems he had a few bushels of apples to dispose of, and thinking Smith's Falls the best market he drove up and disposed of them to the highest bidder without paying the marke fee of ten cents. The result was he was pounced on and fined.

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