NEWS ITEMS.

SEAFORTH has its civic holiday on the 8th of August.

REPORTS of good crops from Muskoka and Parry Sound.

THE early closing movement is being generally adopted in Pembroke.

SETTLERS are following the surveyors into Proudfoot, the new township east of Armour.

THE waterworks by-law was voted down by the people of Kincardine by a majority of thirty.

MR. D. MCKINLAY, of Orillia, dug new potatoes on the 28th June, ten days earlier than last year.

BUSH fires have been raging in the vicinity of Mineswing, and several barns with their contents have been burned.

THE Canadian Flax Manufacturer's Association met at Stratford on Wednesday. Mr. James Livingston was elected president.

GRASSHOPPERS are ravaging the crops in Perth and vicinity. Salt and coal oil are being used to destroy the pests, with alleged excellent results.

THE International Christian Temperance Camp-meeting Association holds its first meeting at the Thousand Island Park from 1st to 6th August.

THE marsh west of Dutton has been overrun with fire, and large quantities of huckleberries destroyed. They would be very abundant but for this visitation.

If liquor demoralizes you when used by the single glass, buy five gallons and carry it home with you. Such is Dunkinite logic.

THE Amherst, N.S., *Gazette* says forest fires have been doing great damage to woodlands and fencings in various parts of Cumberland, and several houses have narrowly escaped destruction.

GEO. CHRISTIE, living on the 12th concession of Dereham, about a mile west of Tilsonburg, shot himself with a revolver on Friday morning as he lay in bed. Mental depression was the cause.

The Anglo-Saxon race may be pursuaded they cannot be coerced. Liberty of action they prize, and no tyrannical law like the Dunkin Act suits their taste.

OVER three quarters of Armour township is taken up. All the Government roads north are under progress. The settlers appreciate the action of the Commissioner of Crown Lands in opening up lands and roads for their benefit.

THE daughter of Mr. Brophy, of Blanshard, eloped lately with one of her father's laborers, named Shaw. The thoughtful fair ran up a $50 bill in her father's name at the village store for necessary articles towards housekeeping, and also carried off from the house everything that would go into a buggy.

A REGULAR examination of Excise officers will shortly take place at Halifax, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and London. All the Maritime Province candidates will be examined at Halifax; all the Quebec men at Montreal; those of the Ottawa district at Ottawa; those of Toronto at Toronto, and the Western men at London.

Liquor by the single class according to the classical speech of temperance orators is "distilled damation," its use by the single glass is sinful but it is the correct and virtuous thing to buy five gallons of it, according to the teachings of the Dunkin Act.

A REMARKABLE natural curiosity may be seen on the farm of Mr. O'Brien, Shanty Bay, and doubtless would be gladly picked up by Barnum if he were made aware of its existence. It is a thoroughbred Devon heifer calf a month old, without a particle of hair on any part of its body. It is well proportioned, lively and healthy. The color is a peculiar buff.

A cow kicked over a Coal Oil lamp and the biggest part of Chicago was laid in ashes, but according to Mayor Williams of Napanee the Dunkin Act muzzles all animals as well as man, and in his opinion no fire will ever occur in his county so long as the Dunkin Act is in force.—*This is Dunkinite logic.*

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Thnrsday, Aug. 2,

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And at Scholes' Hall, opposite the Asylum in St. Stephen's Ward.

Friday, Aug. 3,

St. Patrick's Ward. at Bailey's Hall, Sullivan St. and in St. David's Ward Open Air Meeting, vacant lot near Don Bridge.

Saturday, Aug. 4,

Grand Rally at the Grand Opera House.

The above meetings will commence at 8 p.m sharp.

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