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Henley Regatta was graced for the first time in its long history by the presence of the Sovereign on Saturday, and both from the point of view of the oarsman and of the Henley business man the regatta will be remembered as a very successful one. Cabled accounts indicate that the racing was keen, and the form displayed must have been above the average. Moreover, only two trophies were won by outside challengers, namely, the Grand Challenge Cup, which was captured by an Australian crew, and the Thames Cup, by a French crew This is the fourth time in its history that the Grand Challenge Cup has not fallen to an English crew, and since, as Mr. Guy Nickalls points out, it is only when the foreign oarsmen are supposed to be phenomenally fast that they enter at Henley, the fact that the British crews win so often is remarkable, for the Stewards' Cup has left the country only once, and the Diamond Sculls three times, once coming to Canada. That only one final was won by a non-British crew from abroad will be pleasing to the British waterman, who of late years has heard much about the decadence of his country's oarsmanship.

The Origin of Henley.

It was in 1829 that the Henley course came into notice for the first time through the race between Oxford and Cambridge from Hambledon Lock to Henley Bridge, and six years later the same stretch of water was used for another inter-university race Thes races naturally drew quite a few spectators to the Town of Henley, and the business men of the place profited accordingly. Instead of waiting for other races to be held in due course of time, they called a meeting to consider how the oarsmen and their admirers might best be attracted. They decided that by giving prizes the end might be attained, and so subscriptions were taken up and the Grand Challenge Cup and the Town Challenge Cup were purchased. In 1839 the first Henley Regatta promoted by the town was held. Four races were on the programme, and those present thought they had had a good afternoon's sport. Since then there have been as many as 64 races in one regatta held on the same reach.

The Seven-Oared Crew.

Two years later the Stewards' Cup was instituted and has since become the greatest four-oared race in the world. In 1843 there occurred what was probably the most remarkable race ever seen at Henley. In the final for the Grand Challenge Cup, Oxford and a Cambridge crew came together. Just before the men were to paddle out to the starting point, Oxford's stroke was taken violently sick and could not row. Having no other man to substitute, Oxford decided to row the race with seven men, and, leaving the bow thwart empty, the Oxford rowed to such good purpose that they handsomely beat the Cambridge crew of eight. In 1844 the Diamond Coulls were added. There were eight starters the winner being Dr. T. B. Bumpster, who still survives. Dr. Bumpsted is called the father of English rowing, and he was a great oarsman as well as a great sculler, and won many notable victories at Henley more than 60 years ago.

Sculling and Rowing.

According to Mr. Nickalls it is the rule rather than the exception to find a waterman who is equally at home with a pair of sculls or a single oar. He believes that many of the best scullers in England have not been seen in single races until their prime was past, because a club is much more anxious to win a crew race than a single contest, and usually wants to keep its best men for the pairs, fours and eights. As a rule it is when a man has seen his best days as an oarsman that he takes up the sculling branch of the sport. It has happened, too, that the men who have made sculling a specialty at Henley ave been rather indifferent oarsmen, and therefore not in great demand by their clubs. In fact, this critic does not seem to have a very high opinion of the general class of sculling in England, and says that if a fair sculler will only enter often enough the odds are in favor of him winning in the long run. Exceptions to this rule are not uncommon, and Mr. Nickalls says that on the day F. S. Kelly made the record for the Diamond Sculls there was not a professional in England who could have beaten him. It was this sculler by the way, who was beaten by Lou Scholes, the Toronto boy.

English Watermanship.

One of the features of rowing that distinguishes it from all other sports in which an equal amount of physical force is expended it that men are able to row in good form for many years. In sprinting, it is rarely, indeed, that an athlete keeps at the top of his form for three years. In rowing a man may be first class for ten years longer. A remarkable demonstration of this fact was made in 1908. For two years previously the Belgians had won the Grand Challenge Cup, and it was feared that they would repeat their success at the Henley Olympic. They seemed to have set a new fashion in rowing, and most of the clubs were trying to imitate the Belgian style, but with little success. It was at this time that an appeal was made o a number of oarsmen who had retired, to go into training again and step into the breach for the sake of English watermanship. From among them a four was chosen that handsomely defeated the Belgians and all other rivals, and since that time there has been little talk about the excellence of the Belgian style. British oarsmanship is still the best in the world, and the Henley Regatta of 1912 merely emphasizes this fact.

Notes From Busy Amherst

Several Former St. John People Return for Old Home Week Celebration Here—Other News.

Amherst, Nova Scotia, July 12.—Mrs. E. H. Ramsay, accompanied by Mrs. Marvin, left yesterday for Malpeque, P. E. I. Mrs. Ramsay will remain at her old home in that place during the summer months.

Charles Thornton, of Birmingham, G. B., is on a visit to his brother, H. F. Thornton, of this town.

F. Ditchfield, of the head offices of the Canada Car Co., was in town this week visiting the local office here.

Miss Cassie Parker, accompanied by her brother, Wooten Parker, left this week for the west and will join their brother, Randolph, at Bellingham, Wash. From Portland, Oregon, they will go to Marshfield, where they will spend the summer months, the guests of Mrs. J. A. Parker, Bay Park, Oregon.

A pretty wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse, Adelaide street, Monday evening when Miss Pearl Worth, daughter of J. Howard Worth, of Sydney, formerly of Charlottetown, became the wife of Hector Fraser, formerly of Pictou, but now residing in this town. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Ramsay.

Miss Hilda Roberts, Moose River, is spending a few weeks in town, the guest of Miss Georgie Ore, Albion street.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Curry intend leaving this week for a yachting trip along the North Shore of Nova Scotia and Cape Breton.

Mrs. C. T. Shipley, of River Hebert, was in town this week, the guest of her brother, J. T. Copp, Prince Arthur stret.

Miss Edith Lawson left Monday for St. John to spend Old Home Week the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John MacKinnon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassels Cutton and child, of Shawenegan Falls, Que., arrived in town on Saturday, and are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Chapman, Agnew street.

The Misses Effie and Jessie Campbell, of Berwick, who spent last week in town the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Martin, left Monday for Pictou, from which port they will sail for a trip up the St. Lawrence Gulf and River.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Vail and son, Melville, left Tuesday for a three weeks' motor trip through New Brunswick, Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts. They will spend some days in St. John taking in the Old Home Week celebration.

Miss Blanche Barnes, formerly of the Academy teaching staff, but who has been teaching at Camrose, Alberta, for the past two years, is spending a holiday at her old home in Nappan.

Mrs. A. W. Moffatt and family have moved to Amherst Shore for the summer months.

Miss Johnson and Miss Porpe, of London, Ont., are the guests of Mrs. Hodson, Lower Victoria street.

Dr. Ross Millar, after some months absence in Great Britain, has returned home and will at once resume his professional work.

Mrs. Rice, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. P. Nowlan, Clarence street.

Mrs. Herbert Wetherbee, of Salem Mass., is home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott, of this town.

Mrs. Edward Rodd, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Biggs, left for her home in Moncton on Tuesday.

Dr. G. H. Marvin left yesterday for Halifax to attend the meeting of the Nova Scotia Dental Association in that city.

Rev. and Mrs. James Strothard are spending a few days in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dowlin, Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Willis went to St. John this week to attend the Old Home Week celebration in that city.

Mrs. R. W. Davis is on a visit to St. John this week.

F. D. Stanton is spending a few days in St. John this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dalgle, of New Briton, Conn., are the guests of Mr and Mrs. James A. Briggs of this town.

The death occurred at her home on Croft street yesterday of Mrs. Sylvia F. Murdock, relict of the late H. W. Murdock. The deceased at the time of her death was in the seventy-eighth year of her age. She had been ill for some time and her death was not unexpected. She is survived by her son, W. B. Murdock, of this town. A service will be held at the home on Croft street at seven o'clock this evening, to be conducted by Rev. Hamilton Wigle, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, and Rev. Douglas Chapman. The remains will be taken on the noon train tomorrow to Sherborne, Mass.

THE SACKVILLE NEWS LETTER

Severe Electric Storms all Over County—Trap Shooters Elect Officers — New Concrete Pavement Laid.

Sackville, July 11.—The new Director of Mount Allison Conservatory Choral Class, and teacher of organ, has been appointed in the person of Professor Daniel McIntyre, Musical Bachelor of Durham University, England, a man of high musical attainments.

George J. Trueman, principal of Stanstead College, Quebec, and Mrs. Trueman are spending the summer with relatives here.

Miss Nita Fawcett, of the College musical teaching staff, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Fawcett.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mayer, of Portland, Oregon, are the guests of Mrs. Mayer's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dobson, Bayfield.

Dr. David Allison, of Halifax, was renewing old acquaintances here last week.

Miss Powell, of St. John, is a guest at the home of Governor and Mrs. Wood.

Rev. E. B. McClatchey, of Moncton, a former pastor of Main street Baptist church, filled the pulpit of that church very acceptably on Sunday at both services. The pastor, Rev. H. Cann spent the day in Moncton.

At a recent meeting of the Sackville Board of Trade delegates appointed to attend the Maritime Board meeting at Truro were, C. C. Avard, Fred Ryan, Dr. Borden, A. H. McCready, C. W. Cahill, G. R. McCord, H. C. Read, C. C. Campbell. Alternates, Dr. Copp, W. Turner, H. H. Woodworth, George A. Fawcett, A. B. Copp, George E. Lord.

The Maritime Province Trap Shooting Association which held its first tournament on three days last week, at Port Elgin, proved to be a most successful event. The attendance was large and interest much increased by this meet. The amateur championship of the association was won by E. B. Allen, Port Elgin. The Tobin gun, valued at $75, by W. W. Gerow, St. John. The Dominion Cartridge Company's trophy by Fred Magee and E. B. Allen, Port Elgin. Halifax association cup, by a five man team from Halifax. Commerce travellers' cup, by C. B. Copp, Port Elgin. An enjoyable banquet was held at the Strathcona Hotel on Friday evening. The next tournament is dated for June 19th and 20th, 1913, at St. John. Officers for the year are: President, Col. J. L. McAvity, St. John; First vice-president, G. Arthur Wallace, Pictou; Second vice-president, P. T. Wilson, Halifax; Third vice-president, F. W. Hydeman, Charlottetown; Secretary-treasurer, R. B. H. Davison, Amherst.

Mrs. Thomas Lowerison and daughter, Mrs. Ring and Miss Anna Lowerson, of St. John, are spending a vacation at their old home here.

Miss Elsie Turner, professional nurse, of Boston, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner.

Miss Carrie Atkinson, shorthand teacher at Fall River commercial institute, is visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. Stephen Atkinson.

Mrs. Mariner Hicks left this week for Lunenburg, N. S., to visit friends.

Among those who are enjoying life at Cape Tormentine shore, are Mrs. Alex. Ford and daughter, Captain and Mrs. E. L. Anderson, Mrs. C. W. Cahill and family, Mrs. Amassa Dixon and daughter, Mrs. A. W. Dixon and family, Mrs. Ernest Blenkhorn and family, Misses Marie Desbarris, Mabel Fillmore, G. Hanson.

Main street Baptist Sunday school held their annual excursion to Cape Tormentine on Wednesday, and as the day was extremely pleasant, a large number spent the day at the shore.

Severe electrical storms passed over Sackville and vicinity on Monday and Tuesday. No serious damage was done but several places were struck. The rainfall was small and in consequence vegetation is advancing slowly.

Miss Alice Mahaffey, professional nurse of the State Sanitorium, Rutland, Mass., is visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. Mahaffey.

Mrs. Allen, wife of Dr. M. W. Allen, Port Elgin, who has spent some time in the west, has returned home.

The Presbyterian Church Ladies' Aid at Port Elgin held a successful tea and fancy sale on Thursday evening in Hickman's Hall.

Miss Eliza Avard, of Hillsboro teaching staff, is spending the vacation at her home here.

Charles McDonald, of Edmonton, a student of Kingston Military College is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. F. Allison.

Rev. A. E. Chapman has been removed from Baie Verte to Petitcodiac and is succeeded by Rev. Charles Hudson. Rev. Thomas Hicks has left for Marysville and Rev. W. J. Kirby succeeds him at Point de Bute. Rev. B. O. Hartman in recent years of Dorchester and Baie Verte circuits arrived at Bayfield on Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Hartman.

The marriage of Miss Jennie Thompson, formerly of Sackville, and Stanley Edward Clapp, took place at the home of the bride's brother, Horace Thompson, Dorchester, Mass., last week. Rev. C. H. Daniels, D. D., performed the ceremony. The bridal party stood under an arch of maple leaves and wisteria from which was suspended a wedding bell. The bride was gowned in white lace net over silk, with pearl trimmings and veil caught with orange blossoms. She was attended by the groom's sister, Miss Grace Clapp, while Joseph Thompson, brother of the bride, supported the groom. Guests were present from the provinces and several New England towns. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Clapp will reside at Natick, Mass.

J. D. Munroe, travelling sales agent for the Maritime Coal, Railway and Power Company, is opening a retail business here, selling the coal of the Maritime Co.

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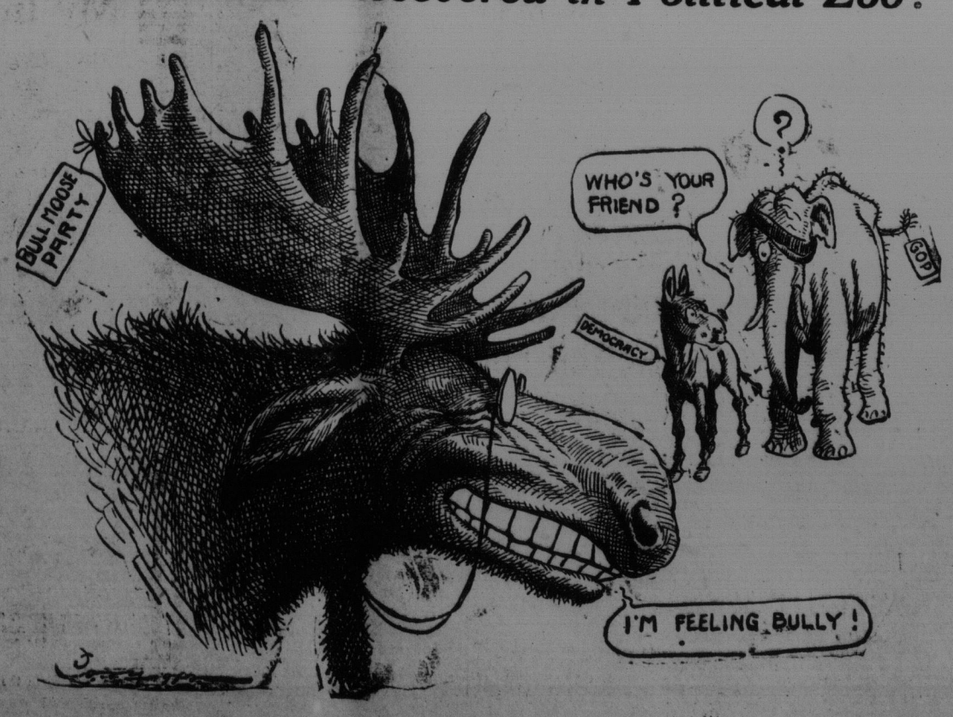

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