

THE REPORTER.

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LOCAL AND OTHER NOTES.

From the Pencil of our Own News-Gatherer.

The walls of Messrs. Lamb & Ross' new brick block are being built up rapidly.

Miss Hales and Miss Morris, of Forfar, were the guests of Miss Brannon last week.

A coat of paint adds very much to the appearance of the Clerk of the Court's office and Thompson's grocery.

The public and high schools open here on the 29th inst., and the model school on the second Tuesday in September.

The annual Temperance Convention under the auspices of the Dominion Alliance will be held in Toronto on September 18th and 14th.

Mr. Geo. F. Donnelly, well and favorably known in Farmersville, is again a member of the Reporter's staff.

A large supplement accompanies this issue of the Reporter, in lieu of the supplement promised for last week, but which we were unable to prepare in time.

Mr. H. Stafford, of the Montreal Gazette, gave us a friendly call yesterday. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. Kilborn, and is accompanied by his wife and family.

The outside wood work of the High School building has just received a coating of paint. Mr. Wm. Webster was the contractor, and the job has been done very creditably.

Great preparations are being made for a Harvest Home supper under the auspices of the Methodist Church, which will be held here on Monday evening, the 5th of September.

The weigh scales have been removed from the front of the old meat market, where they have been an eyesore for years. The scales have been placed in front of Mrs. Green's corner, facing Mr. S. A. Taplin's residence.

Mr. A. F. Witte moved his harness shop yesterday into his new building, next door to Giro's carriage shop. His family have been occupying the upper flat for the past week. The house and shop present a nobby appearance.

Following are the dates of the fairs in which the majority of our readers are most interested:—Unionville, Sept. 14th, 15th and 16th; Delta, Sept. 27th and 28th; Frankville, Sept. 29th and 30th; Lyndhurst, Sept. 29th and 30th; Newboro, Sept. 20th and 21st; Elgin, Sept. 3rd.

The vacancy in the Drummondville High School, caused by Mr. Fenwick's removal to this village, has been filled by the appointment of Miss Fitzgerald, a graduate of Queen's College. This, we believe, is the first time that a lady has been appointed principal of an Ontario High School.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Unionville Fair will be held on Wednesday, the 31st inst., at Unionville. As this will be the last meeting of the Directors prior to the fair, there will necessarily be a large amount of business to transact. All the officers and directors should make it a point to be present. The meeting will be opened punctually at one o'clock.

Posters and dodgers will be issued from this office in a day or two announcing the annual fall races of the Farmersville Driving Park Association. The owners of several fast nags have already signified their intention of bringing their horses, and as the time fixed (the 20th and 21st of September) comes only a few days after the Unionville Fair, it is expected that some of the horses will be brought on soon enough to compete for the purses offered by the local committee of that fair.

The Welland Gazette, published at Niagara Falls, contains a report of a special meeting of the Mechanics' Institute of that town, called for the purpose of receiving the resignation of the Society's secretary, Mr. M. M. Fenwick, who has arrived here to take charge of the Farmersville high school. The members of the Institute unanimously passed a resolution expressing regret at Mr. Fenwick's departure, rehearsing his successful efforts on behalf of the Society, and referring in terms of high praise to the abilities he had displayed as principal of the high school. From all accounts our School Board are to be congratulated upon their selection of a principal.

We have before us a photograph of the centenarian Richard Holmes, taken by R. H. Gamble, of Brockville. The photograph is very life-like, and is the only one ever taken of the old gentleman, excepting the one from which we reproduced the cut in the Reporter of the 27th of April last. Mr. Gamble has a good negative of Mr. Holmes, and orders left at this office will be forwarded at once to the gallery. While upon this subject we wish to return thanks to Mr. Gamble for very fine photos, of some of the leading citizens of this vicinity, including a splendid cabinet size of our popular reeve, J. B. Saunders. Esq. We inspected Mr. Gamble's establishment a few days ago and were surprised at the amount of material and fixtures necessary to carry on the business. As our readers are aware, Mr. Gamble about two years ago purchased the business from Mr. A. C. McIntyre, who had carried it on for a great many years. The purchase included over 25,000 negatives, which have been carefully preserved, so that anyone wishing a photograph of any person who has ever patronized the gallery can obtain one

by sending the number of the negative or calling personally. Mr. Gamble's staff of operators and finishers are well up in their art, and from samples shown we are confident that all favoring him with their patronage will be satisfied. Just now Mr. Gamble is offering the special inducement of presenting all who order a dozen photos, with their choice of some handsome picture frames. We have inspected these frames, and can safely say that they make a splendid gift.

COUNTY NEWS-LETTERS

Received from Our Own Correspondents During the past Week.

Glen Bull.

Mr. John Stewart and wife, of Plum Hollow, paid his father, of Stewart's Crossing, a flying visit the other day.

The old gent up Back Street has been making quite a lengthy visit in the back country. Some thought he would not come back alone, but he did.

Mr. Joseph Hall is laid up with a lame back. Mrs. Wm. How has been very sick for the last two weeks. She is now slowly recovering.

A young gent from Lake Street, who sports a nice top buggy and a big baldy horse, has been making quite frequent visits for a length of time past to our quiet village. As the result, we are to lose the belle of this place.

Mr. C. J. Gilroy has been quite ill during the last week.

Harlem.

Farmers, although mourning our light crops are smiling at the price of cheese.

Buyers are rapidly picking up all the lambs they can get. They pay \$2.00 to \$3.00 for good ones.

Mr. Thos. White has returned from Michigan, where he went last spring. He reports times hard and crops almost a total failure from drought.

The Methodist people of this vicinity will hold a harvest dinner in Mr. Smith's grove, on Sept. 3rd. This is the day of Barnum's show in Brockville,—but all the worse for Barnum.

The base-ball match between North Augusta and Harlem, at the Rock Spring picnic, resulted in an easy victory for the latter club. The score stood 54 to 12. The defeated club sought to allay their grief by stating that the Harlem club had professional-ists to aid them. We will not dispute the point; but as the "professionals" named were Harlem men, the boys will not complain. They deserve the title.

Elde Mills.

Mrs. A. McCormack, of Toronto, was here a few days last week, visiting relatives and friends.

Several of our farmers are feeding their cows bran, with good results.

Mrs. Chas. Johnson, writing home states she had a pleasant voyage on the river and lakes, the same occupied in going to Chicago being eight days. She did not suffer from seasickness. Through the state of Illinois, as seen from the cars, vegetation seemed to be dried up and cattle very poor. In Minnesota the Chinch Bug is destroying the crops.

Mr. Hugh Turkington, who lives in the front of Yonge, on the St. Lawrence, paid our neighbors a visit last week, and bought all the chickens the farmers had to spare. He is Canadian buyer for the Crossman House, Alexandria Bay. This hotel has at present 300 guests, and requires 150 chickens daily. On Wednesday last, from early morning till dewy eve, the road was thronged with ladies, young women and old, fat and lean, sick and healthy; women dressed in white, women dressed in red, and women in black; women walking, and women driving. This is considered a sure sign of rain and during the night and next morning the country was blessed with fine showers, proving that though all other signs may fail in dry weather, this one is certain.

Newboro.

The cool, delightful weather of the past week is a pleasing exchange for the many weeks of burning heat, we have experienced this summer.

Miss Eliza Hart is visiting friends in Kingston.

Judge Senkler and wife of Perth are visiting relatives here.

Charles English and Dan Hanna, Civil Engineers, late of our thriving B & W. R. R. left here for Providence, R. I. a week ago. They are employed on the R. R. works. Tim Bowes and Geo. Bullis left here this morning to join them as assistants.

Messrs. Murray & Taylor of Kingston have opened a dry goods store in Elliott's old stand, and appear to be doing a good trade.

R. B. Holden Photographer and Colorist from Kingston is rushing Switzer's Photo, business while he is on the road viewing for a few weeks.

Newboro has been lively with campers for the last few weeks, a large party from Ottawa, and another from Kemptville broke camp last week.

A young daughter may be found at the house of Chas. English. Born on August 18th.

We are sorry that we cannot send in an item, handed in by a young gent regarding his "best girl", as he does not give the color of her hair or the size of the boots her father wears. These points are indispensable.

At last we have seen the Reporter's "Devil", and find him a much better looking one than we expected, in fact would compare favorably with the balance of the staff, in a group.

A Scott Act case comes up for trial tomorrow, (Tuesday). We think it rather strange that so much fuss is

made over what is supposed to be one days drink, when we know of one man who always takes his "horn" before setting out for his daily walk to the "Raging Canaw", and not a word is said about it. Slocus.

Front of Yonge.

Probably the most of people are not aware of the fact that we are located in an isolated and inland part of the country, composed mostly of farmers, their wives, and their sons and daughters. We are therefore placed at a disadvantage in obtaining all the late news of the day. This is particularly the case at this season of the year, when the farming community as a general thing are busily engaged in securing their crops and preparing for the inclement winters, which are mostly concomitants of this northern hemisphere. We could as a matter of fact visit those great pleasure islands, and the waters of the St. Lawrence to the South of us, and Charleston waters to the north and we doubt not at these localities both real and imaginary news could be obtained and of such a pleasing nature that both old and young would be hilarious enough to toss up their hats, but this would require leisure hours and a plethora of pocket and at the same time the financial affairs of the farm and family would be neglected, and the Bible says that he who neglects to provide for his family is worse than an infidel.

Farmers' purses outside of the cheese trade this year will have very long necks to them.

The Fairview House on the St. Lawrence, kept by T. Leer, is well filled with Scotch families from Montreal.

Mr. Grier, of Charleston Lake, informs us that said place will yet be one of the best pleasure resorts in Canada, both with regard to its scenery and fishing facilities.

...One day last week at Woodstock, N. B., a series of fires broke out without apparent cause. Within twenty-four hours the family were called upon no fewer than forty times to extinguish flames in different parts of the house.

TENDERS WANTED.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to noon on the 27th of August next, for the services of a brass band at the Unionville fair, on the afternoon of the 15th, and during the whole of the 16th of September next. Tenders to state the number of players who will be present, and to pay their own expenses, excepting admission to the grounds. No tender necessarily accepted.

B. LOVERIN, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as manufacturers of and dealers in boots and shoes, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Deloma Witte retiring from the firm and A. C. Barnett carrying on the business as usual, in the old stand. All accounts due the late firm must be paid to D. Witte, and A. C. Barnett will pay all the indebtedness of said firm.

A. C. BARNETT, DELOMA WITTE. August 1st, 1887.

GENUINE

Clearing Sale

THE subscriber has decided to offer all his goods for the next thirty days at actual Cost Price for Cash.

Come and see the goods and enquire prices, and you will find that WHAT we SAY we MEAN.

J. C. SNIDER, ABBISON. August 1st, 1887.

For Extra Value in General Merchandise, go to H. Arnold's. Special prices for the next Thirty days!

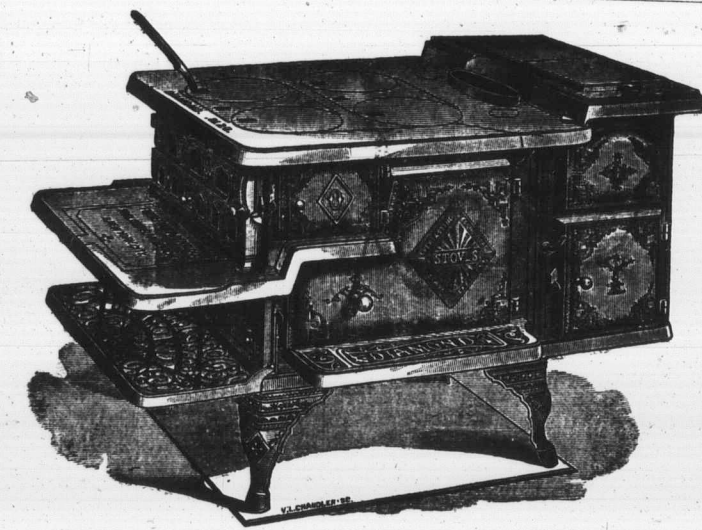
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ALLAN TURNER & CO., KING ST., BROCKVILLE.



Farmersville Store Depot.

In returning thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed since purchasing the stock and good-will of Mr. Percival's business, I beg to say that I have just got in a new lot of

COAL AND WOOD STOVES

From the best makers in the Dominion, which will be sold at Prices to Suit the Times.

We keep on hand a Large Stock of Cistern Pumps and Sinks, as well as a Full Line of Tinware. We manufacture the "Champion Creamer," and have a Full Line of Honey Cans and Honey and Wax Extractors. WIRE FENCING in Stock at all times. EAVETROUGHING AND ROOFING a Speciality. Call and see our Stock before placing your orders. Farm produce taken in exchange. W. F. EARL.

PRIZES GIVEN

R. H. GAMBLE'S Photograph Gallery, Opposite New Post Office, BROCKVILLE.

Persons having a dozen cabinet photos, taken will be entitled to their choice of a gold-gilt frame 8 x 10, a black walnut frame of same size, or a cabinet photo. Case. Come and get your photos, as these inducements will only last a short time. Bring with you any old picture you wish copied, as we do the best work in Canada. R. H. GAMBLE.

HOLD ON, I SAY! EASE UP!



WHOA, THERE! WHOA! I WANT TO STOP AT

T. G. STEVENS & BRO., FARMERSVILLE.

THEY have just got in a large stock of PARLOR FURNITURE, in Plushes, Spun Silk, and Hair Cloth, besides Furniture of all kinds, and, I tell you, that is the place to go to get the work of your money. In the

UNDERTAKING DEPARTMENT

They have everything required—Gaskets finished in Walnut, Burl, Cloth and Cloth Draped Coffins, Burial Robes, and the best Hearse in this part of the country. But the best of all is: THEY SELL CHEAP. Come along and see.

Brockville Cemetery G. T. FULFORD, Brockville.

Grand Trunk R.R. The old reliable Short line and only Through Car route to MONTREAL, BOSTON, DETROIT, CHICAGO, &c., &c.

EXCHANGE BROKER

American Currency Silver and all kinds of un-current monies bought and sold at Closest Rates. American Drafts and Cheques cashed. Drafts issued on New York, current for payment in all parts of the United States.

MONEY TO LOAN on approved endorsed notes. G. T. FULFORD.

FARMERSVILLE PLANING MILL.

E. MIDDLETON, Prop'r. THE Subscriber wishes to intimate to the public that he has fitted up his mill with a lot of new machinery, and is now prepared to do the following kinds of work in a first-class manner and at reasonable rates:

Planing and Rippling, Of all Kinds. Matching. Up to 7 1/2 inches, in all Kinds of Soft Woods. Doors and Sashes. All Sizes and Styles. Mouldings, All Widths, Styles and Prices.

HAVING JUST ADDED A DRYING KILN, He is prepared to take Lumber in Any Condition, and turn it out Perfectly Seasoned.

This will be found a great convenience to builders, as they can now get lumber dried ready for use, without the liability of its being swayed by rain or dampness in shipment.

A Trial Order Solicited. E. MIDDLETON.

My reputation as a first-class workman is now so well established in this section that it is not necessary that I should take up space in recommending my work to the public.

S. M. SWITZER, PHOTOGRAPHER, Newboro. HAS MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO ENLARGE HIS BUSINESS In the Photo. line, and is now prepared to do OTT-DOOR VIEWING in Latest Approved Styl e Photos of Homes, Family Groups at their Homes, Live Stock, &c. All Orders by Mail Promptly Attended to, at Reasonable Rates. Business at the Gallery at Newboro will be carried on as heretofore, Cheap Rates and Satisfaction Guaranteed. S. M. SWITZER, Newboro, Ont.

Look out in this Space next week for the Special Announcement of Dewey & Buckman, GENERAL INSURANCE AGENTS, BROCKVILLE, ONT.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE, FARMERSVILLE. '87. --: SPRING CAMPAIGN. :-- '87.

Bagains for the People! We have just received our spring stock direct from the Best Manufacturers and Wholesale Markets of Canada. We bought for CASH, SPOT CASH, and therefore have secured the Best Discount and Bottom Prices, which goes to show that we can and will give our customers NEWER GOODS, BETTER VALUE, LOWER PRICES, and GREATER BARGAINS THAN ANY HOUSE IN TOWN.

And furthermore, we are bound to sell 20 PER CENT. CHEAPER than any OLD BANKRUPT STOCK or SHELF-WORN GOODS can be sold. LAMB & DAVISON. TEAS AND COFFEES A SPECIALTY. Highest Prices Paid for Farm Products.

Do you want a Pound of Tea? It so it will pay you to get it at THE Tea Store, Brockville. Do you want 5 Pounds of Tea? If so it will pay you to get it at THE Tea Store, Brockville. Do you want a Chest of tea! If so it will pay you to get it at THE Tea Store, Brockville.

All Teas Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction, and can be returned if not liked after trial. T. W. DENNIS, The Brockville Tea Store, Bigg's New Block, Main st.

FARMERSVILLE CARRIAGE WORKS. Establish'd 1860.

From my long experience in the business and after closely studying the wants of the trade, I believe I have on hand for this seasons trade JUST WHAT IS WANTED. and any parties who may see this ad. will not be doing justice to themselves if they do not call and INSPECT MY STOCK BEFORE PURCHASING.

Special attention as usual to Shoeing & Jobbing. Farmersville, March 9th, 1887. D. FISHER.

M'COLL'S :: LARDINE :: MACHINE :: OIL NEVER FAILS TO GIVE SATISFACTION. Our "English" Wood Gil—Something New—Finest in the Market. Our Cylinder Oil—600 fire-test—much superior to Tallow. SOLE MANUFACTURERS, McColl Bros. & Co., Toronto. BUY LARDINE! Sold by G. W. Beach, Farmersville.