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GREY.

From our own correspondent.
Raspberries are ripe.
The fruit crop will not be as large as was expected.

Fall wheat is rapidly approaching maturity. It is a good crop.
Mrs Geo Forrest has returned from Woodstock, where she had been visiting friends for the past two weeks.

All are now busily engaged haying. It is a heavy crop in this section. Spring wheat has an excellent appearance.
A. J. Barker, ex. got a bad tumble off a horse last week, from the effects of which he was laid up for several days.
The Sunday school in section No. 8, held their annual picnic in Geo Shale's, on Friday last. There was a large attendance, and all had heaps of fun.

The Sabbath school at Shine's school house, held their annual picnic in Dalrymple's grove on the banks of the Maitland last Saturday. It was a grand success.

Mr. Ritchie has returned from the Sound district, where he had been prospecting for a couple of weeks. He is not at all favorably impressed with the land or the country.

Joe McLaughlin, a recent graduate of Philadelphia dental college, and who is now practicing his profession near Chicago, is home for a short vacation. He looks as if the climate of Uncle Sam's grove will suit him.

The new gravel, of which, by the way, there was a large amount hauled on the roads during statute labor time, is now being nicely smoothed and rounded off by the implement agents. They follow each other up and down concessions and sidewalks thick and fast this weather.

A man and woman were through this section lately selling lace and other trinkets. Among other things they would exhibit a set of knives, forks and spoons. These they would not sell, but would leave as security for \$6 with the plea that they were in need of money to lift goods out of the custom house, with which they were going to start store in a neighboring town, where the wares must needs be returned and money would be refunded. This is what the sell came in, a few were victimized. They were a slick-going couple. Look out for them.

COLBORNE.

COUNCIL MEETING.—The council met in the township hall, pursuant to adjournment. Members all present; minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following accounts were passed, viz: J. Barker, repairing road at Jones', \$3; J. O. Treble, gravelling, \$10.50; Sam Allan, inspecting, \$1.50; James Jones, gravelling at Boyd's, \$25; Rich Morrow, inspecting, \$2.50; Jno Sands, gravelling, \$50; Hy Fisher, inspecting, \$4; Wm Bogie, gravelling, \$40; Sam Allan, gravelling, \$30; Hy Fisher, inspecting, \$2.50; Wm Peagan, gravelling, \$15; Rich Allan, inspecting, \$2.25; Rich Jewell, road work, \$3; Jno Barker, grading, \$12; Barker, gravelling, \$3.94; Jno Buchanan, inspecting, \$1.50; Sam Potter, inspecting, \$1.50; Jno Morris, gravelling, \$60; D. Morris, gravelling, \$60; Wm McIntyre, gravelling, \$25; A W Young, inspecting, \$50; Jas Towley, gravelling, \$26; Wm Allan, gravelling, \$15.50; Wm Feller, grading culvert, \$1; Jas Horton, stripping hill at lake, \$3.75; Hy Green, carrying sheep, \$20; David Thurlow, weaning culvert, \$50; Jno Clark, wood for Mrs Brindley (charity purposes), \$25; \$2.75; Wm Strachan, gravelling, \$5; R Young, inspecting, \$1; Jas Towley, culvert, \$2.30; Jas Towley, stripping culvert, \$4; Wm Symington, cutting down hill, \$20; Wm Treble, grading on side road, \$10; Rich Rawdon, culvert, \$3.60; Jno Levy, grading, \$6.40; Sam Allan, grading, \$10; Wm Manning, ditching, \$3.00; Wm Collinson, gravelling, \$36.91; E Million, inspecting, \$4.50; Sam Vanstone, inspecting, \$2.50; Thos Young, scraper, \$9. Collected for refund of Alex Shields' taxes. A communication from H Y Atwill was read but no action taken. Peter McEwan was present asking the board for a bonus to assist in erecting a new salt block, stove factory, dairy mill and saw mill in Saltford. Messrs A. Sands, Hy Martin and J. T. Goldthorpe were present in behalf of the granting of the said bonus. N. Johns moved, seconded by A Young, that some time later on a bylaw will be submitted to the ratepayers of the municipality for the granting of a bonus of \$1000, to assist P. McEwan in erecting a new salt block and the associated branches on certain conditions—Carried. The clerk was instructed to notify the trustees of the different school sections to send in their respective amounts required for school purposes on or before the 30th of August. The board then adjourned to meet on August 27th at 2 o'clock. J. H. Richards, clerk.
July 10th, 1890.

DUNLOP.

From our own correspondent.
Mrs Slight, of Hyde Park, is spending a few days here, the guest of her sister, Mrs James Tobin.

G. E. Coombes, of the Free Press staff of London, is rusticating here for a week or so, the guest of his aunt, Mrs James Tobin.

Farmers here are all on the big move in the hay.

LEEBURN.

From our own correspondent.
Miss Maggie McGuire, of Ashfield, is visiting friends here.

Miss Horton visited for several days last Sunday at the Presbyterian church were filled by Miss Macdonald, of Dunlop.

The Band of Hope here will resume its meetings on Saturday afternoons in temperance hall at 3 p.m. A good attendance is requested of its old members with as many new ones as they can bring with them.

Mr Chas Spence, of Goderich township, gave this burg a flying visit this week.

Our far famed summer resort, the Point Farm, is filling up with its usual summer guests, who are all heartily enjoying the beautiful pure air of Lake Huron.

CHURCH NOTES.—Three infants were christened at the close of the prayer meeting in S. S. room, on Tuesday evening of last week. Rev S Jones, who is doing duty for Knox church, Goderich, during the absence of Rev Dr Ure, (who has been granted a month's leave for his health), preached here last Sunday, and at the close of it held a prayer meeting Tuesday evening of this week in the S. S. room, and on Sunday preach a special sermon to the S. S. scholars at 11 p.m. The children will be seated in the front pews. A good attendance is requested.

At the meeting of Maitland Presbytery, Tuesday week, at Wingham, Rev G. B. Howie was chosen moderator for the coming six months. His resignation as pastor at Brussels, was handed in, and will be dealt with at the next meeting of the Presbytery, which takes place in the month of September. Rev Mr Forrest, of Walton, cites the congregation.

On Tuesday last, Mr T. Jackson, of Wingham, left for Glenboro, Manitoba, via Grand Trunk Railway and North Bay; Mr T. Gregory and Miss Marion Gregory, of Wingham, via G.T.R. and North Bay, for Calgary, N.W.T. On Wednesday, Mrs Thos. Wright and family, of Teeswater, eight in all, left Wingham, via G.T.R. and steamer Campana, for Duluth; Mrs G. Ackman and family of three, and Mrs Marsh, of Belmore, via G.T.R. and steamer Campana, for Portage la Prairie, Manitoba.

SAVED BY GOV. HILL.

JOSEPH CHAPLEAU'S SENTENCE COMMUTED.

The French-Canadian Murderer, Condemned to Be Executed, Escapes the Death Sentence But Must Spend the Rest of His Days in Prison.

ALBANY, July 16.—Governor Hill has commuted to imprisonment for life the sentence of Joseph Chapleau, convicted in Clinton county of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be executed during the week commencing July 21. In his decision the Governor says:

"This application for executive clemency is based upon a petition signed by many of the leading citizens of Clinton County, including nearly all the county officials. The County Judge strongly favors the application, the district attorney does not oppose it, the twelve jurymen who rendered the verdict against the defendant unanimously unite in asking for a commutation."

Dr. Chapleau doesn't know him. OTTAWA, July 16.—Dr. Chapleau, brother of Hon. J. A. Chapleau, was born to-day. He says he knows of no cousin or relative of his living in the States. This man may be a cousin, but he would be a very distant one. He says that his near relatives are all residing in the County of Terrebonne, as far as he knows.

FRYE TO BLAINE.

The Maine Senator Asks for Information Touching Reciprocity.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Senator Frye, in reply to Mr. Blaine's letter of July 11, wrote as follows:

"Your letter leaves me in some doubt as to facts. I assume that your views are as contained in what is known as the Hale amendment; that you know for instance what the Latin republics will receive of ours free from duty in compensation for free sugar. I assume that that amendment was the result of thorough investigation. The difficulty about it is this: The amount of sugar to be received from those states would be comparatively small and the consumers of sugar would receive no benefit from it. Your letter to me extends this idea of reciprocity to Cuba and Porto Rico. I admit if sugar is received free from those islands, as well as from the Latin republics, the people would be benefited and sugar would be practically free. But will Spain admit into those islands free of duty the list of articles named in that amendment? Of course we could not enact a law more favorable to Spain than to the republics. Do you know what Spain would exchange for free sugar and can you give a list of the articles she would receive? The better way, probably, would be to make the list she would receive the controlling one for all these countries."

Losses Caused by Flames.

CHICAGO, July 16.—The steam scow Two Henry, a freight boat, was burned off shore about three miles from South Chicago at noon to-day. The crew escaped in the yawl. Loss \$5000.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 16.—A fire this afternoon, which started in Cronley & Co.'s junk store, threatened to make bad havoc, and did destroy several buildings, entailing a loss of \$25,000.

VALPARAISO, Ind., July 16.—The residence of John Hamlet near here was burned this morning. Mrs. Hamlet and four children, the eldest about 8 years old, were burned to death.

BOSTON, July 16.—A serious fire started in the Congregational Church at Rockland this afternoon, and spread rapidly to adjoining buildings. The fire was caused by a gasoline lamp. The total loss will reach \$100,000.

To Reduce Grain Rates.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has decided that it will issue an order making a reduction in grain rates from Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri to St. Louis and the Mississippi River and to Chicago. Food product rates east of the Mississippi and not involved in other suits before the commission are not found to be excessive.

Failure of the Delaware Peach Crop.

WILMINGTON, Del., July 16.—President Mills of the Delaware Railway has furnished the annual estimate of the peach crop. The total estimated shipments are placed at 12,375 baskets. This is the smallest yield in the history of peach growing with two exceptions: 1868, when the shipments were 23 carloads, and 1881, when 78 carloads were sent to market.

Winnepeg Wirelets.

WINNEPEG, July 16.—A telegram from Rapid City says a special train passed over the Great Northwestern Central Railway to-day.

Henry Battell, one of the oldest residents of the Moosejaw district, died here last night, the 12-year-old son of Dr. McLean, the well-known Indian missionary, were instantly killed by lightning last night while eating their supper at Battell's home.

The Carolina Race War.

BLACKVILLE, S. C., July 16.—The arrival of the military prevented further trouble at the Keaz settlement. Most of the military have left the place, as no further trouble is anticipated. The negroes have all returned to work. Eleven negroes who ambushed several young white men have left the county. If possible they will be arrested. Several white men were wounded, Mr. Keaz probably fatally.

The Drouth Broken.

LINCOLN, July 16.—Good rains fell in most parts of eastern Nebraska Monday and yesterday. Farmers are greatly encouraged.

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., July 16.—The scorching drouth from which this section has been suffering for many weeks has at length been broken. The rainfall which began at midnight and continued for about three hours was tremendous.

The "Gold" Watch Racket.

EMERLA, July 16.—Several well-dressed, smooth-tongued rascals have been "doing" the townships of Woolwich and Peel and have succeeded in swindling a good many of our farmers. Their specialty is gold watches which they claim they have been obliged to take on a bad debt. Their story was so well told that many of our farmers fell victims to their snare and paid from \$10 to \$18 for watches which are worth less than \$5 each.

Here's de Score.

PLAYERS—Boston 19, Buffalo 0; New York 3, Cleveland 5; Brooklyn 15, Pittsburgh 3; Philadelphia 7, Chicago 15.
NATIONAL—Boston 3, Cleveland 4; New York 12, Cincinnati 8; Chicago 2, Brooklyn 7; Philadelphia 15, Pittsburgh 3; Boston 8, Cleveland 4.
AMERICAN—Columbus 9, Brooklyn 2; Toledo 8, Rochester 10; St. Louis 8, Athletics 7; Syracuse 8, Louisville 3.

THE SEAWING'S VICTIMS.

Thirty-one Bodies Recovered Yesterday—Capt. Wethern Arrested.

REDWING, Minn., July 16.—The bodies of 31 victims of the Seawing disaster were recovered to-day as follows: Mrs. Merritt Owen, Julia Persig, William Adams, William Jorgensen, Fredrick Christ, Peter Olson, Miss E. J. Crawford, John Adams, Ira Fulton, Edna Way, Mary Skoglund, Louis Lillybrad, Ed. Merritt, Henry Schulenberg, Henry Newton, James Wilson, Louis Brunnan, Johnny Strouse, Randal Olson, a small son of Peter Gorkan, Charles Peterson, Albert Blake, Mattie Elynn, Ella Adams, Augustin Iro, George Hartman, an unknown, Mamie Schulenberg, Martin Echerf, Mrs. Creamer and Joseph Carlson.

The bodies recovered thus far number 100. It is thought there are still about a dozen not found. The bodies found last night and to-day were bloated and blackened beyond recognition so that clothing, jewelry and papers were the only means of identification. The warm weather and shallowness of the water, together with the fact that several large steamers sent up heavy swells to-day as they passed up the river, brought the bodies to the surface very quickly. It is stated Captain Wethern of the ill-fated Seawing had been arrested at the instance of United States officials and taken to St. Paul.

Another Minnesota Cyclone.

ST. PAUL, July 16.—It was reported to-night that Stillwater, Minn., had been visited by a cyclone, but later reports report the place as all right. The tornado seems to have struck Marine, a small town six miles north-east of Stillwater, near Lake, Wis., and New Richmond. The wires are all down.

There was a storm in Southeastern Minnesota to-night with reports of cyclones in various places. These reports have not been confirmed. Considerable damage to farm property is reported. The wires are now working to Stillwater. There was damage to property but no loss of life at Marine.

DID THE POPE RIDE OUT?

The Question Which Is Now Agitating the Sacred City—Catholics Notes.

ROME, July 16.—The clerical newspapers deny that the Pope rode outside the Vatican yesterday. The Riforma maintains the truth of the statement that the Pope drove out and that the curia at the mint saluted the papal carriage.

A Congressional Council.

LONDON, July 16.—Dr. Dale has accepted the presidency of the International Council of Congressionists to be held in July, 1891. Rev. Dr. Storrs of Brooklyn will deliver an inaugural sermon.

Hot Weather in the Alps.

VIENNA, July 16.—Intense heat prevails in Central Austria and in the Alps from Grandbenden to Lower Austria. The melting of the snow on the mountains has caused the affluents of the Danube to rise. The inhabitants are greatly alarmed. Much damage has already been done.

Floods and Pestilence.

VIENNA, July 16.—The Danube has overflowed near this city. Several bridges have been swept away near Freiburg. The villages on Schutt Island are inundated. The Board of Health here has been informed that cholera has reappeared in 31 communes of Valencia and Alicante, Spain.

THE CASE COLLAPSED.

Hamilton's Abduction Sensation—A Missing Butter Merchant.

HAMILTON, July 16.—The McGillivray abduction case collapsed this morning. Counsel informed the magistrate that, acting with the sanction of the persons interested, they had come to an arrangement which was mutually satisfactory. The mother was to retain possession of the child and the father was to be permitted to see it whenever he desired. An agreement was signed to that effect. In view of this turn of affairs the magistrate consented to a dismissal of the charges of abduction against Mrs. Dr. McGillivray and John Littlehales. There was less difficulty in coming to this conclusion when the County Crown Attorney had delivered himself of the opinion that the prosecution could not be sustained. The charge anyway, as against the mother of the child.

Robert Bessey, the butter and egg dealer of this city who was arrested last week and taken to Caledonia, was allowed to go on his own recognizance to appear for trial by Judge Upper. Now he is wanted, but cannot be found. The police in Hamilton want him and a warrant has been issued in Cayuga for his arrest there. He is also wanted in Dunnville, Smithville and Grimsby.

William McCawley of the postoffice department in this city died yesterday. He leaves a widowed mother and only brother (Mr. R. J. McCawley, of Ford & McCawley, Toronto).

TORONTO TOPICS.

A Verdict of Manslaughter Against C.P.R. Section Foreman Roach.

TORONTO, July 17.—The World says that R. M. Wells, Q.C., ex-M.P., ex-Speaker of the Ontario Legislature, and solicitor of the C.P.R., will soon be called to the Senate. Mr. Wells is a Reformer.

Mr. Ballantyne, M.L.A. for South Perth, will probably be the choice for speaker of the Ontario Legislature.

Rev. Dr. Samuel Rose, one of the leading figures in the Methodist Church for the last half century, died yesterday morning at the age of 84, after a long illness.

The coroner's jury which has been investigating the disaster on the Canadian Pacific Railway, near Locust Hill, by which five men lost their lives returned a verdict last night of manslaughter against Section Foreman Roach.

At Bolton yesterday little Willie Griffin was playing on some logs in the creek and while standing on one it turned beneath him and he slipped into the water. His grandfather, William Griffin, after whom the lad was named, sprang to his rescue. Although 80 years of age he jumped into the water, but his strength was not equal to the task, and both sank to a watery grave before assistance could be given.

Hon. Oliver Mowat states to-day for the White Mountains, where he will spend three weeks.

Oleomargarine is Shut Out.

OTTAWA, July 16.—It was learned at the Department of Inland Revenue that a bulletin would soon be issued in connection with the charge that oleomargarine was being imported into Canada and sold as butter. Mr. McFarlane, chief analyst, has had tests made of samples of butter from all parts of the Dominion and it was found that while some of an inferior character was sold to the public still there was no oleomargarine discovered.

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