

OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

SUSSEX.

Sussex, July 23—Councillor Orin Hayes left yesterday on a western holiday trip, expecting to be absent about two months. He will visit the larger towns of Manitoba and the northwest.

Mr. Vavroun, of the Fredericton post office, was in Sussex today.

The Bank of Nova Scotia is having an asphalt sidewalk laid round its new building.

Mrs. George Cougle, who has been living for several years in Worcester, Mass., has returned, and, with her daughters, Misses Mary and Maud, has taken a house for the summer.

There is very little improvement in the condition of Charles Morrison, who had an operation performed a week ago for appendicitis.

Sussex, July 24—The death of R. D. Robinson, of the R. D. Robinson Publishing Company, occurred on Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mr. Robinson was 67 years of age and a native of Albert county. This journal has made one of the leading weeklies of the maritime provinces by his ability, honesty and integrity. Mr. Robinson was a man of high position and respected by all who knew him. He was a Liberal in politics. The funeral will take place on Friday at 10.30, the interment being in Kirk Hill cemetery.

A. Lancaster, M. P. for Lincoln and Niagara, arrived in town today and is the guest of George W. Fowler, M. P. N. D. Black has purchased part of the Sheriff Free lot from Patrick Doherty, of Charlottetown, and has commenced to lay out the foundation for a storey building which he will jointly use as store and dwelling.

Charles Morrison still continues very low.

Sussex, July 25—J. D. O'Connell, who recently returned from a trip to the United States, gave his annual picnic to the school children of the school on his beautiful grounds. Fifty or 60 children gathered on the hillside and enjoyed all kinds of games and sports and were afterwards splendidly entertained by their host, Mr. O'Connell.

Stipendiary Magistrate Morrison is holding an inquest today in the Brampton-Armstrong shooting case. The shooting is alleged to have taken place at Waterford on Tuesday last.

J. U. Leafe, of Brewer, Me., specialist in optics, is in the village.

CAMPBELLTON.

Campbellton, July 22—Dr. James Haney has been here for a long time collecting information for his government book on the resources of the several counties. On Saturday evening, he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Murray, at an entertainment in his honor.

A large sporting party of 145 and 150 left this morning for the morning for the Kegwick. Among the members will be Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carver, of St. John.

A small portion of the sewer system has been laid on water street.

Miss Buckleberry and Miss Jesse Harris left this morning for E. J. Leafe's house to attend the funeral of his brother Herbert left this morning for the Upperford for an eight-days' trip salmon fishing.

BAYSWATER.

Among the guests at Mrs. McCre's this week are: Miss Josephine, Miss Bartlett, Captain Matthew Adams, Arthur Adams, Mr. and Arthur Adams, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Miss Selma Sheppard, Robert Stewart, W. McAuliffe, Miss May Thomson, Walter Logan and George McLaughlin.

Sunday last was a very busy day at the hotel, over 30 guests shared the hospitality of the genial hostess.

Walter Crank, of the steamer State of Maine, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Warden.

Yesterday Miss Duffell was the guest of Mrs. Sandall at Oak Grove, and Miss Fairweather was the guest of Miss Sandall.

Miss McDonald was tendered a genuine surprise at Oak Grove Monday, in the form of a birthday party. The affair was a great success and thoroughly enjoyed by the large number of young people present.

There was a large register list at Oak Grove Sunday.

Henry Hugh and William Morris left Monday for their homes in Glenside. They arranged to attend the funeral of their father, the late Michael Morris who was buried on Sunday last.

Raspberries are making their appearance, but shipments are few. The raspberries are yet small. The farmers report good prospects for a fairly good crop.

Blueberries are scarce today on the coast of the county as yet, none have come over so far. It is the impression that the frost in early June damaged the blueberry crop considerably.

These are the holders shipped yesterday a load of Puritan potatoes. They were the best that had crossed the bay for some time.

Miss Mary Croxson was the guest of Mrs. Thomas Croxson, Kennebec Island yesterday.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, July 23—(Special)—At a meeting of the governor general's reception committee this afternoon the programme arranged for last night's meeting and outlined in this morning's Telegraph, was approved. A committee was appointed to arrange details for the reception as follows: Mayor Crockett, Ald. Everett, Rossborough, Farrell, Clarke, Merrifield and Messrs. Fred H. Edgewood, George Y. Edgewood, P. S. Hildesley and J. H. Barry. The luncheon to be given by Governor McClellan will be entirely of an official nature.

Fredericton, July 24—Supt. James Osborne, of the C. P. R., tomorrow morning in company with Alex. Gibson and Capt. Holen, will make a trip over the Canada Eastern railway by special train. J. N. Sutherland, general freight agent of the C. P. R., will also be a member of the party.

John Patterson's house at Blisville, Sunbury county, was destroyed by fire Sunday. Chas. Patterson was severely burned while saving furniture.

Rev. G. H. B. Macdonald, ordained by Bishop Kingston at Bathurst Sunday, has been appointed rector of Southampton, and will take up his residence at Temperance Vale, Sept. 1.

The Robinson mill, at Robinson's Point, was sold this afternoon at auction to Geo.

W. Allen for \$325.

Fredericton, July 25—(Special)—Patrick Howell, of Brunswick street, fell down a flight of stairs at his home Tuesday evening and fractured several ribs. He is under the care of Dr. Steery and is doing as well as can be expected.

The Free Baptist Sunday school of Woodstock will run an excursion to this city on Tuesday next, to give Woodstock people an opportunity to see Lord and Lady Minto.

Dr. J. R. Inch, superintendent of education, will leave tomorrow for Rimouski, where he will take the Allan liner Tunisian for Liverpool, Eng. Dr. Inch will be away for two months. He will represent the Fredericton Methodist church at the Ecumenical Council, to be held at London, and will represent the University of New Brunswick at the one thousandth anniversary of the death of King Alfred, which anniversary will be celebrated at Winchester. Dr. Inch will also visit Paris and other continental cities.

Letters patent have been issued incorporating J. W. Binney, R. A. Borden and Lucy Binney, of Moncton, and Geo. E. Stodford and Lucy Stodford, of Edmundston, as the Shearwater Coal Company, Limited, with a capital stock of \$30,000.

The exhibition building is going up at a rapid rate. The frame work is about completed and the roof and sides are being closed in.

WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, N. B., July 23—(Special)—The Pan-American circus exhibited before large crowds here yesterday, and a couple of the men succeeded in getting into trouble. During the afternoon some one entered a house near the circus ground by a shed, removed the screens from a window, and stole \$20 and a gold watch belonging to Miss Lizzy Tracy. Mr. Ford, one of the managers, suspected a couple of his men and passed them over to the town officers. They were before the police magistrate today and requested a trial under the speedy trial act, when one confessed to the theft and the case against the other was dismissed. The watch and \$13 were recovered. The guilty one will be sentenced tomorrow.

Harry McLean, one of the South African soldiers, had his watch stolen while on the circus grounds. This watch is valued very highly, as it was a gift from the citizens after his return from the war. Today Marshall Harvey received a dispatch from Mr. Ford, dated Anderson, saying the watch had been recovered from one of the men and would be sent by express. The managers of the show are glad that they have a tough crowd of tent men.

CHATHAM.

Chatham, N. B., July 24—(Special)—The success of the proposed new pulp mill, to be erected at Morrison's Brook, Chatham, is now assured as far as the preliminary steps go. The promoters of the enterprise are now seeking incorporation under the name of the Chatham Pulp & Lumber Manufacturing Company, Limited, with a capital of \$1,000,000.

Among the names of those associated with the enterprise are John Marvey, Robert A. Murdoch, Jas. Robinson, M. P., and Wm. Richards. It is likely that work on the erection of the plant will be commenced this summer. The new enterprise will be a great boon for this town, especially the west end.

The Chatham World furnishes the following information additional to what the Telegraph's dispatch gave Monday morning: The mill will be built on the site of the old mill, and will be a great boon for this town, especially the west end.

Mr. P. E. Winslow, as agent for the mortgages, the Royal Trust Co. of Montreal, took possession of the Mill site on Saturday. The mortgage was for \$500,000, and was given to secure the payment of bonds issued by the company. Mr. Winslow said the mortgage is for \$500,000, taking the men assignments of their claims, and kept the machinists at work on repairs that had been begun. It is likely that operations will soon be resumed under new management. There are a good many large local claims for lumber. Mr. D. Sullivan's is about \$60,000, being \$20,000 over \$40,000, and Mr. Foley's of Barnaby River, \$1,400. And there are many others. Writs of replevin have been issued for the purpose of trying to recover some lots of logs that have been delivered.

MILLIDGEVILLE.

A large party of young people started on a pleasure trip on the Grand M., yesterday. The yacht, with the exception of the Grace M., are all lying at anchor, and nearly all are receiving a general clearing after the cruise.

Mrs. S. K. Tobin, of Millidgeville, spent two days with Mrs. George McLaughlin in this week.

The shingling of the club house is about completed, and the tower is now being finished, and altogether the building rapidly approaching completion. It is expected it will be ready for guests about the last of August.

Repairs have begun on the Millidgeville road and that portion of it along the Caribou plains, is being macadamized.

E. J. Hildray, who has been visiting Miss Tobin, returned last night to his home at Port Blaigne.

HOPEWELL HILL.

Hopewell Hill, July 24—In St. John's Episcopal church here, on Monday evening, His Lordship Bishop Kingston, administered the rite of confirmation to six persons. An address was given by the bishop and Mrs. M. Dixon sang a solo during the offertory. There was a large attendance. The church and altar were very tastefully decorated with flowers.

Prof. Ganong and S. W. Kain have made visits to the "Cape Rocks," Shepards mountains, and other local points of interest of the section. They have also been making investigations concerning the old French settlement.

Leander C. Wallace, of Lower Cape, and Lewis, who returned yesterday from Nova Scotia, were warmly welcomed by the young people who treated the happy couple to a good old-fashioned chivvatie.

Miss A. Grace McCoomer, of this place, is visiting relatives at Moncton.

Miss Lavina Decker, who recently underwent an operation for abscess, is now much improved.

Upland hay is now well under way and some of the farmers have started in on the machines. 25000 upland and marsh grass will be a good crop.

GAGETOWN.

Gagetown, July 25—The exhibition of moving pictures last evening under the auspices of the Methodist church, was the best ever shown in the town.

The farmers are busy haying. If the River weather continues they will finish in another week.

A great many visitors are in town. Among them are Mrs. R. A. McLaughlin and daughter of Halifax, N. S., R. H. McAdo and daughter, of St. John; Miss Ida Simpson, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. McKein, of St. John; Mrs. J. R. Alexander, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Alexander of Winnipeg.

A heavy shipment of cheese was sent from the factory here last week.

Jasberries and blueberries are not so plentiful as in former years.

The water lilies have never been so abundant as they are this year. Mount Creek is white with them.

MONCTON.

Moncton, July 25—(Special)—The I. C. R. employees have decided to hold their picnic this year at Derby Junction, provided cars can be produced.

A stranger, giving the name of John Arnold, aged 30, hailing from Chipman Brook, Queens county, N. S., is being held by the police here for identification. Arnold is about five feet six inches high and has a rough appearance.

DIGBY.

Digby, July 23—The new stern schooner Alexandria, recently launched at Weymouth, arrived here last night in tow of tug Marina. She will load lumber at Bear River for the West Indies, shipped by Clarke Bros.

Digby, N. S., July 24—Barquentine Frederica arrived here last night from St. John in tow of tug Flushing, and left for Annapolis this morning to load lumber for Cuba.

Big Harry Stewart, after being thoroughly repaired at Bear River, was towed to Annapolis today to load lumber for Centagoes, shipped by Clarke Bros.

The new schooner Clarence Shaffner arrived here today from Annapolis for the West Indies.

Schooner Oriole is at Turnbull's wharf discharging hard coal for New York for W. E. Van Blarcom.

Schooner Dorothy, which struck Gull Rock last winter and was beached at Westport, has been hoisted and towed to White's Cove, where she will be placed on the marine slip for repairs.

Schooner Lizzie, Capt. Wyman, which was detained off Digby for want of a number of seamen, sailed yesterday for the West Indies.

Schooner Lizzie Wharton, Capt. Holmes, arrived here yesterday from Boston and sailed to Annapolis.

Barnes W. W. McLaughlin is due here from the Miramichi to load lumber at Annapolis for Buenos Ayres.

AMHERST.

Amherst, July 25—In the probate court yesterday, the final accounts in the estate of the late Nelson Forrest, of Amherst, was passed. The statement of the executor by Sasiderra from the Church of St. John, was \$22,800. After expenses of settling, a balance of about \$22,000 left to be equally divided among the nephews, nieces, grand nephews and grand nieces of deceased and decedent's wife.

Blanche, the daughter of the executors, Hon. W. T. Pipes, proctor, C. W. Robinson, M. P., of Westmorland, was present in behalf of some of the New Brunswick heirs.

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MICHAEL KELLY DEALT OUT DEATH WITH REVOLVER

Insane Man Ran Amuck in Premises of a Lumber Company.

HE SHOT SIX PEOPLE. One Fell to the Office Floor, and Four More Shots Were Fired Into Prostrate Body--Wounded Five Other Men Before Police Put a Bullet in His Neck.

Leavenworth, Kas., July 24—Michael Kelly, an insane man, today at the office of the Robert Garrett Lumber Company, in the business district, shot six people, killing one, probably fatally wounding another and more or less seriously wounding four others. He was himself finally killed by the police.

The victims: John R. Garrett, aged 40, president of the firm of Robert Garrett Lumber Company, died at hospital.

Michael Kelly, aged 30, died after being taken to police station.

Dr. Chas. McGee, aged 30, shot in back and probably fatally wounded.

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Joseph Faltinger, policeman, shot in hand, wound slight.

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FOR THE TILLERS OF THE SOIL.

BROODER CHICKS.

How to Care For Them to Make Them Large and Strong.

One of the most necessary appliances connected with the poultry industry is an A. No. 1 brooder, even though a hatcher is not in use. It is an easy matter to find a number of sitting hens and by placing in the brooder the chicks hatched by them you will avoid feeding the chicks feed to the hens, and they will soon begin laying. The chicks can be cared for and raised safely, no matter what weather prevails outside the brooder. They are free from vermin and if the brooder is kept clean they will not be troubled with lice. There is no need of losing a chick if properly cared for. They will be much more tame and easier handled than those raised by hens.

For from 50 to 75 chicks a run of 20 feet is sufficient for one to two weeks, after which the chicks should be placed in a larger inclosure or allowed to run at large. It is better to have a large range, as chicks confined in small inclosures very seldom develop well, but often do develop out colored feathers in plumage, which nature provides against if they have large range. The run may be made of boards 12 inches high, a portion of which may be covered with cheesecloth. This will afford protection from wind and storms, also from the sun. It is better to have a large range, as chicks confined in small inclosures very seldom develop well, but often do develop out colored feathers in plumage, which nature provides against if they have large range. The run may be made of boards 12 inches high, a portion of which may be covered with cheesecloth. This will afford protection from wind and storms, also from the sun.

A good brooder, of an abundance of the right kind of food coupled with a fair amount of common sense, will bring good results.—W. F. Brace in Reliable Poultry Journal.

Dora Stephenson, in Wisconsin Farmer, says one reason why geese are not used more in this country is because so many do not know how to dress and clean them. She has often found the remark that geese is not fit to eat, but a young goose properly cleaned is a dish fit for a king. To clean, take common wash boiler, putting two bricks in each end, and pour in a gallon of water. Make a frame of lath to fit on top of the bricks, then when the water is boiling lay your geese on the frame and put on the lid to the boiler. Steam it for about three minutes, or till the feathers come out, turning the geese when it has been in the boiler about two minutes. The feathers must pull easy, as they do when a chicken is scalded. Now get a thin sack of any kind and pick your geese into it and hang them up to dry, when they will be fit to use the same as dry picked ones. To roast, prepare the same as any other fowl. One of the patent roasting pans is best. When your geese have been hanging about two and a half or three hours, take the pan out and skim off all the fat that is melted. If the geese is young, it should be tender in four hours. The geese should be steamed over 100 last winter and sent them to the Chicago market, saving all the feathers.

Fancy and Utility. The following extract is taken from The Inter-State Poultryman, and we use it for the good common sense it contains: The poultry publishing business has advanced the progress of the poultry industry of the country. There are nearly 100 poultry journals printed in the United States, and there are many more very able papers devoted to this particular industry. These papers are of the best quality, and the improvement of stock more for utility in meat and egg production than the particular marking for feathers, combs, ear lobes, etc. As the breeding of thoroughbred poultry advances this theory will prevail. It is our opinion that the time is not far distant when poultry must take its place on the pedigree list the same as horses, cattle, hogs and sheep. Certain general markings will be required, but the main points to be reached will be quantity and quality of meat and eggs. We suggest that the leading breeders of the country turn their attention in this direction and let America be the first to place the poultry industry in the catalogue where it belongs.

Too Much Fat. Texas Farm and Ranch says: It is our experience that chickens cooped to fatten, if liberally fed, soon begin to lose appetite and will eat less and fatten the longer they are confined, just as a man would or any other animal. The hens will remain in the condition they are in when the appetite fails, but will hardly take on more fat. By the way, fowls do not handle too fat, just as a hog can or a beef can. This is all right if grease is what is wanted, but all wrong if flesh is wanted. Hereafter we shall not coop fowls to fatten, but place them where they can have ample exercise to insure good digestion, good health and good appetite. When an animal is too fat, it is diseased. Without exercise the effete matter cannot be eliminated and passed off, the pancreas are overstimulated, the liver overworked and congested, and we don't want that sort of animal food.

HOW TO SELECT GOOD COWS

The Milk of Every Animal Must Be Weighed and Tested.

It needs no argument to show that it requires good cows to secure a profit in dairying, says an old dairyman in American Agriculturist. Now cows are selected and maintained in dairy herds almost universally on the judgment of the dairyman. If a cow pleases her years usefulness are over. He does not inquire about her record, as no records are kept. It does not occur to the dairyman that there may be a great difference in the individuality of the herd thus secured, a difference so great that some individuals only will yield a profit and others will be kept at a loss. If this question is raised, not one dairyman in a thousand takes the trouble to weigh and test the milk of each cow in order to satisfactorily answer the question.

Four years ago we secured a herd of 25 cows. None of these cows having a record, they were purchased on the judgment of the men who selected them. A committee of Jersey breeders sent us three Jerseys. In the same way three Guernseys and four Ayrshires were selected. The remainder of the herd were graded and others purchased. An accurate record was kept of this herd. Each individual cow was charged with the food she consumed at market price and in addition with the cost of labor expended in her care. Credit was given on for the butter produced and for the skim milk. The variation in the individuality of these cows was shown by the year's record. In the production of milk the range was from 3,500 pounds to 3,141 pounds; in butter from 500 pounds to 165 pounds; in net profit from \$42.20 profit to \$18.63 loss. The six poorest cows were kept at a money loss of \$97.47 and the most profitable were the first to call attention to this, says Joseph Meehan in Country Gentleman, and I was certainly not the last, and it has been kept before the public for many years. It is a pleasure to find the practice now general, where, as some years ago shrubs were pruned in winter or early spring, and with it went most of the shoots which would have given flowers. Now a good cutting back is given as soon as flowering is over. Strong young