

The Country.

An Epitome of Events
Gathered by
ADVOCATE REPORTERS

BATHURST.

The weather during the past week, while leaving a little to be desired, was not too bad for our farmers, and although the grain suffered considerably from the wind and rain storms, it is to be hoped the harvest will be quite up to an average. At the same time it is a pity to see beautiful fields of wheat and oats knocked down and twisted so that it is doubtful if they can again hold up their heads. As far as we can learn the root crops are fairly good and the potatoes, which are of course the staple crop, will be quite a fair average yield.

In the spring the young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love and in the autumn it naturally turns to horse racing or hunting according to the locality. The successful meeting at Bathurst, probably given this sport a fillip, for great interest is being taken in the races at Chatham on Labor Day. Bathurst and other points on the North Shore have gone to Chatham and we congratulate the management in advance and hope nothing will interfere with their intention to have a real good day's sport.

Already preparations are being made for an early start at logging, and the wily contractor is picking up his men. We understand fairly good wages are being offered this autumn and there should be no reason why our strong young men should seek employment away from Gloucester. In some cases, we hear that the men are asking too high wages and if this is true it should be avoided. Any good friend of the working men will tell him to figure out things for himself and he will find the employers inclined to pay a the wages they can afford. As things are here in Gloucester at present, there are worse places to live in, and solid men know pretty well when the limit of wages is reached.

We were sorry to see so many of our best young men go away to Manitoba and elsewhere on the Harvesting excursion but we trust they will all, or nearly all, return before Christmas. Of course a few may accept permanent positions but we think the bulk of them will come back.

We hear that a valuable lead in iron-ore is being opened up by T. M. Burns, M.P. P., on one of the tranches of the Nepisiguit. Mr. Burns has several men at work clearing off the upper works and hopes in a few days to be able to judge regarding the value of the ore body. There are several deposits of red hematite and specular iron in Gloucester and quite a heavy body of magnetite iron on the Millstream brook in Beresford which have received some attention but the trouble seems to be they are all too far away from the railway.

The state of our sidewalks leaves some thing to be desired. Couldn't they be cleared off now?

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Pipes of Dorchester, Mrs. Miller and Miss Gillespie of Chatham are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert.

Mr. Harold Girvan of the Royal Bank of Canada is also visiting his mother, Mrs. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Chase of New York who have been visiting Mrs. Chase's father, T. D. Adams, Esq., at the Pines have returned home as has also Mr. Thomas Adams Jr.

Miss Joe Burns has returned from visiting friends in St. John.

Mr. E. J. Johnston of the Park of Montreal who has been in the West, has been in the city for the Halifax Branch.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Draper were pleased to learn that the injury to their little girl by falling from a wagon was slight, and that she will soon be all right again.

Mr. Benson of Chatham, is visiting Mrs. D. G. Johnston.

Mr. Fred Lindsay, watchmaker, is away on a holiday, visiting Toronto, Montreal, etc.

DOAKTOWN.

DOAKTOWN, Sept. 3.—The home of Mr. Henry Sain was the scene of a very pretty wedding yesterday, when his oldest daughter, Elma, was led to the altar by Mr. Walter S. L. Freeze. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. J. Fowler, uncle of the groom, in the presence of about fifty relatives and near friends of the contracting parties. The house was tastefully decorated for the occasion and at five o'clock, to the strains of the Wedding March the happy couple took their places beneath a beautiful floral bell.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked lovely in a gown of white crepe de chene, with applique trimmings, and a large bouquet of white roses and maiden hair fern, and was attended by her sisters, Minnie and Margaret, with little Florence Fowler as flower girl. Miss Minnie wore a dress of silver grey of the same material as the bride's, and Miss Margaret a pretty dress of blue muslin. The groom was supported by his brother, Arthur. The young couple are deservedly popular, and start out on their matrimonial journey with the good wishes of the community. Though their prospects appear chilly, we hope otherwise, for as the immortal William says, "What's in a name?" The bride's presents were numerous, valuable and useful. Mr. and Mrs. Freeze will reside during the winter at Mrs. Robinson's.

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Cummings, has lately had a large furnace put in his store. The work was done by Mr. Hurley of Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Betts arrived from Minneapolis last week to spend some time with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Fowler and family are visiting Mrs. Fowler's mother, Mrs. Robinson.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Fowler and Miss A. H. P. of Newville are at Mr. Samuel Freeze's.

Miss George Foster and Miss Dora E. L. and Mrs. Annie Foster of Boston are at Mrs. Murray's.

Mr. J. J. O'Brien of Fredericton was in the village yesterday on business.

A little two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lyons died on Tuesday. This is the third child they have been called on to part with at about the same age—Glenora.

SEVOGLE.

A large assembly of friends and relatives gathered at the residence of Mr. Thomas Norton of Sevoogle on the afternoon of Wednesday, Sept. 2nd, the occasion being the marriage of his elder daughter, Nellie, to Mr. Richard Allison of this place.

Early in the day the bridal party drove to Sevoogle to the residence of Rev. Mr. G. G. where the nuptial knot was tied, and returned home about five o'clock in evening when their many friends were waiting to receive them. After congratulations were over a sumptuous wedding supper was served, to which all present did ample justice. The bride wore a beautiful costume of steel grey trimmed with cream satin and applique in gold, and was attended by her sister Miss Annie Norton who wore a pretty costume of cream-colored tulle with lace garniture. The groom was the picture of happiness and joyfully supported by his friend Mr. Kiah Corp. The presents were numerous and useful showing the esteem in which the young couple are held.

The kind expressions and wishes of this community follow Mr. and Mrs. Allison in their new path of life.

GOING IN TO DINNER.

How the Methods Differ in France, England and America.

In France they walk into the dining room, the lady and her maid, and the two chairs, equal one to the other. In England John Bull goes first, the following mock and demure. In America Mrs. Jonathan enters triumphantly, leading the way, while her dear old spouse follows.

In France men and women walk with equal assurance. When they meet on the street the men pay their respect to the women and the latter show their deference to the men by the way in which they salute one another. Your natural conclusion is that such men and women go through life on the same equal footing.

On the contrary, John Bull has the air of a lord of creation. He leads the way a little haughtily perhaps and not overpleasant looking. He is duly sensible of the fact that he is a master—the master. He is of course polite and deferential to women, but it is with a slightly patronizing air, a condescension of his lofty lordship. He feels his supposed superiority, and he cannot help showing it. Among the middle and lower class people the man is master and enters his house before his wife, mother or daughter.

In the United States the woman walks like a duchess. She is mistress of all she surveys. She stands erect and queenly, and her eyes are frank. For her, man exists. He pays her court. She is indeed a queen.

Self Convicted.

"Say, pa," queried small Bobby, "what is gossiping, anyway?" "Gossiping, my son," replied the old man, "if we get right down to the plain, unvarnished facts, is lying. But why did you ask?" "Because," answered the young investigator, "ma says you do a lot of gossiping every time your business keeps you late at the office."—Exchange.

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6 Next Neatest and Best Written Tiger Tea Letters, \$10 each \$60
20 Next Neatest and Best Written Tiger Tea Letters, \$5 each \$100
100 Next Best Written Tiger Tea Letters, a Tea Set, \$1 each \$100
300 Next Best Written Tiger Tea Letters, a suitable gift for Xmas, valued at \$1 \$300

128 Prizes, valued at Nine Hundred Dollars.

Conditions of Competition.

1st. Any boy or girl, 6 to 16 years of age, can compete by writing a copy of the Tiger Tea letter as below.

2nd. Each letter must be accompanied by 12 of the square cards found inside of the 1lb. and 1/2 lb. packages of blue and white labelled Tiger Tea.

3rd. Award of prizes December 1st 1903, by Mr. S. L. Kerr, of St. John Business College. Letters to be sent to us by Nov. 1st 1903.

5th. Neatness, style of writing and age of competitor will be considered in awarding prizes.

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I am very glad to send you this letter about Tiger Tea, and if you wish I might send you a sketch of a tiger which would perhaps be better than the tiger on your label. The rich cherry color of Tiger Tea pleases everyone, and I hope that you will always keep the quality of it as good as it is now. I enclose the 12 cards required and tell you truly this is my own handwriting.

Every Canadian should buy a 1 lb. packet of Tiger Tea, for, besides the good quality, we know that the work of blending, labelling, boxing, packing, etc., is all done by Canadians in St. John.

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Be sure and sign letter giving full address.

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