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R. Prat,

Aug. 29th, 1889.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., AUG. 30, 1889.

Local and Provincial.

DUCK.—Our local sportsman, Mr D. R. Munro, has our thanks for a nice, plump wild-duck, handed in on Tuesday morning.

OUT OF SEASON.—Mr Maxwell Davidson, of Greenfield, brought into our office on Thursday afternoon a full blown apple bloom.

Go to Payzant's for Dentistry.

DIKE MEETING.—The annual fall meeting of the proprietors of the Grand Pre dike is to be held this afternoon at 2 p. m., in Evangeline Hall, Lower Horton.

Best Lime, $1.50 per Cask.
R. PRAT.

EXCHANGE.—Rev. Mr Dawson, of Canard, preached in the Presbyterian church last Sunday afternoon, the pastor, Rev. Mr Ross, filled his pulpit at Canard.

Try Shredded Codfish. Choice Table Butter, 20 cts. R. PRAT.

BIG TREE.—On the farm of Mr J. Oscar Harris, of Lower Wolfville, there is a willow-tree which measures four feet from the ground 21 feet around. The tree is an old one, probably one of those planted by the old French settlers.

A full line of Brushes of all kinds at WALTER BROWN'S.

HOME MISSIONS OF THE DIOCESE OF NOVA SCOTIA.—The offertories on Sunday last, Aug. 25th, in the Parish of Horton for the Board of Home Missions were as follows: St John's Church, Wolfville, $19.25, St James' Church, Kentville, $28.00.

BEST ON EARTH.—The new Wire Clothespin at R. PRAT'S.

PEACHES.—Mr W. C. Archibald, of this place, recently sent several baskets of fine peaches to Mr Mitchell, fruit merchant, of Halifax, who pronounced them a pleasant surprise, both in flavor and color. Mr Archibald is proving that peaches can be successfully grown in Nova Scotia.

Wire Fencing, plain and barbed, an posts at WALTER BROWN'S.

PARISH OF HORTON.—On Sundays, Sep. 1st and 8th, there will be service in St John's church, Wolfville, at eleven a. m. In the mission room, Grand Pre, at four p. m. The services on Sept. 1st will be taken by the Rev. Clarence McCully, M. A., assistant in St Luke's cathedral, Halifax. The services on Sep. 8th will be taken by the Rev. W. B. King, M. A., rector of St Luke's cathedral. On Sundays, Sept. 1st and 8th, services as usual in St James' church, Kentville, at eleven a. m. and at seven p. m. They will be taken by the rector of the Parish.

Peas, Corn, Tomatoes, Blueberries, Clams, Mince Meat, 15 cents. R. PRAT.

Berwick Notes.

Mr Bligh, of Lakeville has bought the Burke farm.

H. N. Shaw, of Acadia, is visiting friends in this village.

Mrs Chick and family are spending a few weeks with the Woodworth's and other friends in and around town.

The hay crop has been above the average and a large harvest of oats is being gathered in excellent condition. Apple crop light, but maturing well.

Fred M. Shaw, since teachers' examination, is spending the remainder of his holidays at Weston, working on the farm with his brother-in-law, S. V. Sanford.

In the absence of Pastor Reid, attending convention, the Rev. D. O. Parker kindly consented to fill his pulpit last Sunday morning. Text, Mat. xi, 28. Mr Parker's sermon was highly appreciated.

The *Berwick News* editor arrived in town on Saturday evening. His wife and other members of Dr Masters' family from Boston have come to visit the old home. Mrs Dr Masters is still in a very weak state of health—her recovery is not expected.

The Fair at Waterville on the 28th inst. was a grand success. A great deal of live stock changed hands, besides furniture, wagons and farm utensils of various kinds. Dinners were served on the grounds by the ladies of the Episcopal and Presbyterian churches. Judging from the interest taken in these Fairs. It is believed the institution has "come to stay."

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Port Williams Excursion.

All the night of Monday, the 19th, tranquilly sleeping in the mud of Wolfville creek, lay the steamer *Acadia*, chartered to carry on Tuesday a picnic party from Port Williams and a few persons from Wolfville who had resolved to enjoy the day. As it was high water at 6, a. m., and the boat was supposed to be in at the Port at that hour, of course those going from Wolfville had to bestir themselves at an early hour for embarking, which embarking was finished when nine persons had taken their places on board,—then we steamed up the river for the picnickers. After a short voyage the *Acadia* reached the Port and was moored to the pier; then the platform was pushed out connecting the two and the party began to embark. In a short time the steamer was loaded, some persons being unhappily left behind, then we were unmoored and started on our excursion in good earnest.

After leaving the mouth of the Cornwallis river the shore scenes began rapidly to change. Long Island, instead of appearing a point, as it appears from Wolfville, appeared as a long, low shore on our right, and shortly after Oak Point, or Kingsport now called, undeceived us as to its true form, showing itself not to be a point at all but merely the beginning of a peninsula extending back to Perceaux river. I had imagined that from this point Blomidon would appear pretty close, but instead I found it to seem as far away as ever, and it was not till we had steamed ahead for an hour and a quarter longer that we reached it. As we steamed past it too changed form, proving itself to be merely a turn in the North Mountain, which range terminates down the Bay at Cape Split.

At the head of the Cape the water which had all along been like a mirror became less peaceful and the roller dashed against the side of the boat, only to be sent back again in a cloud of spray. The water continued thus till we had passed the Minas Channel and gained the lee of Spencer's Island, then in a few minutes we were moored at "The Snag," as it is called, and a better name could not be found for it. Situated here are two dwelling houses and one hotel.

Soon all the party were disembarked, the Port Williams picnickers going down the beach "to spread their tables and enjoy their feast," while most of the other excursionists, those of Kentville, Greenwich and Wolfville, took the cabs (???) in waiting on the pier and drove to Parrsboro, about three miles distant.

Parrsboro is situated on a creek some two miles long, whose direction inland is eastward. The town contains about 3000 inhabitants, who seem to be a prosperous and energetic people, doing all they can to make their town a great centre of trade. Six fine hotels, five large churches and twenty-five shops attest the enterprise of the place. Among the latter is one bookstore which I do not believe has an equal, or at least a superior in King's county in the extent and diversity of its stock, embracing almost everything in the line of books that can be named. The principal street of Parrsboro runs east and west, forming a pleasant and interesting walk for the visitors, the best dwelling houses and most of the stores and hotels being here situated; and here, I might mention, some one told me there is more liquor sold on this street than on any street outside of Halifax in the Province. A great deal of the trade of Parrsboro is in deals, thousands of feet of which were piled on the wharves, of which there are twelve along the bank of the river. The large ships used in this trade are anchored in the deep waters of West Bay, about five miles to the westward of Parrsboro, and the lumber is carried to them in lighters.

After strolling about the town till the hour of 2, p. m., we proceeded to return to the *Acadia*. After a tiresome walk of three miles we reached her and found that many of the picnic party had already returned, and by the time an hour had passed all were aboard and we steamed away, the blowing of the whistle at starting causing the ladies to scream, as is their wont, with great gusto.

In a short time we reached the Cape, sailing up quite near so as to give all on board a clear view. After passing it the water was without a ripple, and as the steamer dashed away the rising spirits of the party burst forth into song, and the strains of our boyhood days, "The Swanee River," "Nellie Grey," etc., rang sweetly across the waters, while as it seemed the pulsation of the engine kept time to the tunes. (Excuse me) the ladies, every one, of Port Williams Division, are real nightingales for singing, and the listeners were entranced as their melodies poured forth, and certainly so much musical talent I have never seen in the same number of persons. Port Williams may well be proud of her singers. But all beautiful things must have an ending, so almost before we were aware we were steaming up the Cornwallis past Town Plot and soon after we landed at Port Williams amid the inspiring strains of "Pull for the shore, Sailor." Our walk to Wolfville was soon accomplished and we arrived home bearing remembrances of a delightful day. Yours truly, E. B,

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Vacation Jottings.

ACADIA MINES, Aug. 20.—"A tea-meeting at Bass River to-day," comes in answer to the inquiry as to what is the cause of so many carriages being on the move so early in the morning. We are informed that the Bass River people know how to get up a tea meeting and that this one is to be of unusual interest as a baseball match is to be played. And then our informant attempts to portray the beauties of the picnic grounds, which overlook the Cobequid Bay, etc. All this information tends to awaken a desire within us to do the Bass River tea-meeting, but being unable to find room in any of the carriages going there, we had to bide at home and send a hand. Our representative leaves Acadia Mines about 2 o'clock, p. m., in company with several others and the following is the report brought back in the evening:—

Since the road known as the River Road to Great Village has been washed out in places, the only road open to travellers is by way of Lonevale and Portaupique Rear. So, of course, we had to take this route, and it is particularly rough in places. If the Local Government has any doubts as to Colchester's great need of money on its roads and small bridges, we would suggest a trip from Acadia Mines to Bass River, and we think all doubts will be removed.

After a pleasant drive of about two hours we reach the furniture factory of Union Furniture and Merchandise Co. The stream here has to be forded on account of the bridges removed by the recent flood. After winding up a hill a short distance the grounds are reached, but not the same place we once before attended a similar gathering in this village, and we are not a little disappointed on account of the change, the other site being a very magnificent one, a view from which would amply repay one for the trouble of going. We were told that the place where the crowd assembled to-day was actually the poorest place for a picnic in the entire neighborhood, but it had been chosen on account of the baseball match being played there and it was thought best not to divide the crowd.

Had any doubts existed in our minds previously as to the place of gathering, they would immediately vanish as we rounded the last curve in the road for there we beheld the huge box-swing. This great invention of modern civilization seems inseparable from a large outdoor gathering. We never see one of these swings in operation but our sympathies are drawn out for the poor men who turn the crank. What self-sacrificing creatures they are! How hard they labor in order to give a little comfort to others. It looks like slavish work to turn the crank to keep the swing in motion, but we were told that the hardest work is to stop it. The baseball match was finished a few minutes before we reached the grounds, but we were in time to hear the shouts of victory that arose from the contestants in the "tug of war," which fully made up for our loss of not seeing the match. Had we got nothing else but that shout our remuneration was ample for the jolts over stones. This was between the married and single men. We did not inquire who was victorious, but presume the former were, as it would hardly seem possible for the later to win.

One of the first things that attracted our attention was a very beautiful head of hair on a young lady. The young lady. The young lady was rather below the average height and her hair came down to within about twelve or fourteen inches of the ground. It was fine and silky in appearance and was the subject of much comment and admiration. Tea was served on the grounds. The Acadia Mines brass band was in attendance and discoursed sweet music which was really the most interesting part of the whole affair.

After doing good justice to tea we began to retrace our steps homeward, and just as the shadows of night were closing in we came in sight of the coke oven fires, which, viewed from the top of the hill, presented a beautiful picture in the fading twilight.

H. S. D.

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MCALPINE.—Passed peacefully away, at her late residence in Louisburg, C. B., on the 17th inst., Mary Margaret, widow of the late Charles McAlpine, in the 85th year of her age, leaving two sons, three daughters, eighteen grandchildren and three great-grand children to mourn their loss. (County and Halifax papers please copy.)

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Mantle Cloths in Black and Colored!

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