

THE REPORTER.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE.

At the request of a large number of our subscribers, we have consented to change the time of publication, and in consequence next issue, the REPORTER will be printed on Tuesday morning in time for the noon mail, and will be sent to all the principal towns and cities and kindly send in all M. S. for the review on Saturday. All Adds. & local notices must be in by 10 A.M. on Friday. We would soon ensure their appearing in that week's issue. As this change is made wholly in the interests of our subscribers, we hope that they will, for us, get to speak a good word for the REPORTER, and assist us in a pecuniary point by helping to increase our subscription list.

LOCAL AND OTHER NOTES.

From the Pen of our Own News-Gatherer.

Set of single harness, nearly new, for sale, cheap, at P. Wiltse's, Farmersville.

The Rev. Jas. Pultar's subject of discourse on Sabbath next will be "Sister's Last Sleep."

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. E.A. McLean, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is slowly recovering.

Mr. John Kilbourne, of Newboro, one of the early pioneers of Leeds, is visiting at Mr. John McCarthy's, Jasper.

Over three hundred people attended the Methodist Sunday School picnic last week. Financially and otherwise it was a big success.

N. H. Fields, of Lyndhurst, has been appointed cheese instructor for the Eastern District of Ontario, in place of Howard Bissell, who lately resigned.

Mr. Wm. Dowsley, of Frankville, has received notice that his tender for the position of mail-driver on the route between that place and Jasper has been accepted. His duties commence about the first of July.

The long pending divorce case by which Dr. Laval, of Smiths Falls, sought to obtain a divorce from a girl to whom he was married some five years ago, has just been decided in the Senate in his favor without a vote being taken.

The county authorities have arranged Leeds and Grenville into three school inspectorships, and have appointed the Principal of our High School as the third Inspector. We congratulate Mr. Johnston on his appointment.

The Rev. Mr. Rogers preached a public sermon in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning. The discourse was eloquent in praise of Her Majesty's good qualities and was marked by many and sincere respect for the sovereign.

The closing entertainment of the Farmersville High School Literary Society will be held in the High School on Thursday afternoon, 30 inst., commencing at three o'clock. At the close of the entertainment there will be served for pupils in the lecture room Mr. Will Lewis, president of the society, will occupy the chair.

Information was laid before P.M. Judd last week against Adam Armstrong, F. Pierce and J. P. Lamb, of this village, and E. Donald, of Charlton, for violation of the Scott Act. All the parties excepting Mr. Lamb are reported to have settled by paying fine, but Mr. Lamb proposes to fight the charge against him through the court, and the case is to be tried this Wednesday morning at 10 a.m.

The attention of the Eliz. Inspecto[r] for Charleston Lake is called to the fact that fishermen are reporting that the sawdust from the two mills situated on the creek emptying into the lake is seriously injuring the fish in those waters.

In conversation with one of the oldest fishermen on the lake a few days ago, he informed me that he had caught several salmon lately, which showed unmistakable signs of being injured by swallowing sawdust. Our lakes and creeks are being rapidly depleted of all kinds of fish he is determined to join the Salmon Fishery Association, and it is high time that those having charge of these matters should take steps to stave off as long as possible, the time when the beautiful lakes in this vicinity shall cease to be noted for their fine fishing grounds.

A lively runaway occurred near the Plum Hollow cheese factory on Friday morning last. A son of Samuel Hollingsworth wanted to get to the factory with his load of milk before some of his neighbors, and turned out to run by them. The horses were turned into the ditch, which being quite deep, caused the cart to upset and also threw the boy off. He now got caught in the wheel and he was drawn under the carriage, when one of the wheels passed over him. The horses ran some distance in a furious manner. In crossing another ditch near the factory they fell and piled up in a heap at the side of the road. Fortunately no serious damage was done to horse or boy, but the almost providential escape of the lad from being killed or very seriously injured, should be a warning to other boys and men who are in the habit of running horses.

Strawberries took a fall on Thursday last, at least a Church street resident lost a couple of baskets drop earlier in the day.

One Lowicker was up street, and finding some fine flavored, big baskets he purchased a couple and started for home. When nearly opposite the Reporter office, a small boy from the same street started to run past him and unfortunately stepped on the end of a strawberry basket in the sidewalk. Up went the little end, and down came the basket, like a bomb, rolled pronouncing loudly to itself on the loose and perhaps it exploded. There is need for

streets just now getting thoroughly filled with a good spirit, and having a clear head and conscience, before starting out for a walk around town. The sidewalks are getting in a very bad condition, and we think it high time that our commissioners should be putting them in as good a condition as the state of the finances will allow. Just here we might be allowed to observe that in our opinion a serious mistake has been made by our overseers and commissioners in not procuring a different class of stringers for the sidewalks to that formerly used. From a personal inspection we believe that fully one third of the sidewalks are put down upon small tamarac poles or very poor scantling. These only last a very short time and the plank is soon lying on the ground loose, and is speedily split and broken, before half the actual wear is got out of it. The commissioners should get supply of good cedar stringers during the winter, and have them ready to put in whenever and wherever the old stringers become defective.

COUNTY NEWS-LETTERS

Received from Our Own Correspondents During the past Week.

Elgin.

A very serious accident occurred to Mrs. Fuller Stevens, while driving last Sunday evening. The horses became frightened at some sheep and turned around in the road, throwing her and her little girl out. Kind friends were immediately on the spot and rendered all the assistance necessary. She was conveyed home and a doctor sent for. She received a severe cut on the head and other injuries. The little girl escaped unharmed.

Miss Helen M. Dargavel has just returned from the Ladies College Ottawa, where she has won the gold medal, besides other first prizes.

Mr. C. V. Pearson leaves this week for London.

The young people of Elgin held a jubilee picnic at Jones Falls, on Saturday last and it rained as usual.

Mrs. S. A. Coon is visiting her mother this week. We miss the boy.

Hartem.

Crops are looking well. H. A. Derbyshire has finished the carpenter work on H. Smith's house.

Several of our people are having buildings painted. John Ball is the work.

A. C. Giles' new barn is progressing finely. It is a monster.

Several of the boys are at Ottawa fitting themselves for the defense of our country.

W. H. Lyre has purchased a farm near Lyndhurst.

John Ball, it is said, lost between \$30 and \$40 last week. He thinks he dropped it, when paying a pedlar for some purchases and the pedlar picked it up.

Hay will probably be commenced this week. \$8 on pieces of light grass about fit for the machine.

No base ball this summer and consequently our little village is quite dull.

Glen Buell.

Our school is coming along nicely under Miss Neat's charge. The four pupils who passed the entrance examination in December last, have been going to school here since and have made rapid progress in their studies. The teacher has given them extra lessons after school, which causes them to remember her kindly.

Will Howe has sold his brown horse reliable for a fancy price and bought a one-year-old colt. He will probably make the boys hustle this fall. Success to Willie.

Abner, at Paul's Point, has been on the look out for some time past for a good single driver and safe family horse. He struck a Lyndhurst man last week and got the critter so much desired. He traded the white mare, that he got from Young Monthly last fall.

An old gent, from Spring Valley, who is the second time a widower, is determined to join the old again.

He passed through Glen Buell the other day, supported by a friend, called on a very fine young lady and was well received. He will probably call again and so mote it be.

Mr. Sam Hollingsworth of Plum Hollow, who has been boarding with his uncle, O. F. Ballis, for the past year and a half and going to school here, will leave at the close of this term. He takes with him the best wishes of the whole school and especially the teacher. The senior portion of the neighborhood all join in saying Sam is a nice boy. He leaves behind him a little sugar plum, whose hair is beautifully braided.

Mr. James Moore has put up a very fine building, which adds much to the appearance of his place as well as to the convenience. It is intended for stable purposes. It stands on a wall laid up in mortar, and in the basement rooms will be stored. There is a very high loft that will hold a large quantity of hay. If my Horton of Dublin has the contract and is sparing no pains.

My young master looks as if he had been to the Odeon, and so does Young Charlie, of Mad Creek.

Sturboro.

Fine weather, fine prospects for a celebration in Newboro on the 26th day.

Hayden McLeod from Marquette, Michigan, is visiting his home here.

Capt. Nason of Ridgedale, spent Saturday late with friends.

J. L. Webster has leased J. T. Gobillot's photo gallery, Diamond-street, for a stove dealer, where stoves, ranges, furnaces, &c., are at this time in great demand. There is need for

two dentists here, for we will

have a good many patients.

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visit of late.

Dr. G. Thompson, the reliable

has been here for a few days. He left for Westport to-day, Tuesday.

John Wight and son left for Kingston on business yesterday, will return this eve.

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A trot took place in the park one

evening last week, between a Perth

horse, and one from this place.

Owing to darkness setting in, judges

could not decide which won the purse

of \$06.

The goblins of Mrs. John Roselli,

were buried in the homestead lot last

Sunday, she died of consumption after

a lingering illness.

A well-to-do and much respected

farmer from near here, visited West-

port last week and wishing to get a

glass of something prohibited by the

Scott Act, found it impossible to do

so under ordinary circumstances.

A friend advised him however to get a

tooth extracted if he had a useless

one, and he could then get a doctor's

order for a quantity. It is needless to

add that he found the troublesome

grinder which was sacrificed and the

"O be joyful" accordingly purchased.

He now declares that he never will

want for a drop, as long as he has a

tooth left in his head.

The Westport Presbyterian excur-

sion and picnic to Jones Falls, on Sat-

urday last, was a success. Many went

from here on the Steamer Olive.

The Methodist Sunday School, of this

place, are talking of an excursion to

the same place at an early date.

SLOCUS

(Remainder crowded out until next week.)

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES & DEATHS.

Married.

At Forfar, on the 22nd inst., by the Rev.

Mr. Wright, William Potter, of Gananoque, to Miss Georgia Morris, of For-

far.

Died.

Near Farmersville, on the 26th inst.

Alma Beach, beloved wife of Henry

McLean, in the 30th year of her age.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Province of Ontario.

United Counties of Leeds and Grenville.

I, Justus Smith, of the village of Charleton, in said United Counties, do solemnly declare that I have been publicly accused by Edward Duffield, of the

same place, of having been the person who gave the information about his selling liquor contrary to the Canada Temperance Act, whereby he said Duffield was summoned and fined. I deny the said statement emphatically and say that I know nothing whatever as to who gave the information, on which said charge against Duffield was made. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the act respecting extra-judicial oaths.

JUSTUS B. SMITH.

Declarer Before me at Farmersville, this 27th day of June, 1887.

B. LOVERIN, J.P.

FARMERSVILLE PLANING MILL.

E. MIDDLETON, Prop'r.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to intimate to</p