GLASSVILLE.

Our little eity has been very quiet of late, the circulating medium has lately been rather scarce, and generally speaking, times have been dull, 'The glorious twelfth of July' passed off very quietly, our local Orangemen having gone to one of their annual celebrations at another county lodge. The young people of our locality however, were not to be entirely done out of their customary enjoyment, and got up a ball in the Caledonian Hall at night, a scratch band was found and our local 'Paganini' sawed away till near daylight, when they dispersed, and they say, thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Our farmers are now busy getting in their hay, and most of them complain of light crops the result of the long continued dry weather. The old fashion idea about St. Swithin and his rain, seemed about to be verified for once ; and some of our farmers began to look blue and to talk lugubriously. With some people it is a fixed belief, that if it rains on that day-supposed to be the anniversary of the commencement of the rains that deluged the earth in it's early days-there will be rain (more or less) for forty days. We have observed this phenomena for a number of years (we were nearly saying a hundred years) and can confidently say it does not happen, and from this may conclude that St. Swithin, or his proverbial forty day's rain is a myth.

Although the weather has not been all that could be desired for hay-making, the rains that have impeded the first harvest of the year have been of incalculable benefit to other crops ; it would be hardly possible to imagine more luxuriant erops of oats and buckwheat, while root crops and garden produce promise well.

Since writing the above the weather has eleared up, and now the most inveterate grambler cannot find fault with it for hay-making. The rattle of the mowingmachine is heard from morning to night and everybody seems up to their eyes in business. It is quite true that crops are light for we noticed a field near Gordonsville which was being cut with a mower and it would require a powerful microscope to discriminate between the parts already cut and those remaining to cut.

The Pic-nic season, like the rest of the seasons, seems to have come earlier this year than usual ; we have heard of a few of these gatherings in our neighbouroood but the information has always been one day too late, we feel sorry for it because unfortunately, we are marked with such assemblies, the result of early maternal impressions.

We hear that the "Royal Templars of Temperance" (by the way is the title not a misnomer?) are contemplating to hold a pic-nic, to pepularize their own particular principles. We wish them the most unbounded success, but we cannot help saying : that we think it is a pity that a little more consistency, and a little more' honesty is not associated with the other principles of reform they make so much of ; we know of so many backsliders, still remaining members, that we lose faith in the genuineness of the whole.

Still, we should remember, the Great reformer of Nazareth said : What is that to thee? Follow thou me.

Haying in our own immediate locality is now finished, and genial showers are Helping other crops immensely.

HARTLAND.

Our little town is still booming, new buildings are springing up in all directions, money seems more plentiful and business is brisk. The new waterworks are progressing

favourably. Mr. C. Humphrey Taylor's new brick

building is growing fast and promises to be the finest building in the town.

The Forester's fete which came off on the 10th inst, was a brilliant success, the day was fine and a very large concourse of visitors from all the surrounding districts attended to honour the annual pic nic of Court Walostook. The day's enjoyment passed off with great eclat.

In the evening a Grand Concert was given which was well patronized, as it deserved to be. An attractive programme had been prepared and the entertainment was carried out in such a manner as to reflect great credit on the ladies and gentlemen who devoted their time and talents to secure it's success. We give the programme in full.

 Instrumental Music, . . . Duett. Mrs. W. T. Kerr, & Mrs. W. D. Keith,
Recitation The Old Man Janet McMillan,
Solo Sweetest Story ever told, Mrs. Kerr,
Duet My Old Kentucky Home, Bessie Nevers, & Chester Richardson,

Bessie Nevers, & Chester Richardson, 5. Piano Solo . . . Miss Keswirk, 6. Solo Who will buy my Roses red Mrs. Curtis, 7. Banjo Selection . . . Mrs. Mason, 8. Solo Ancitored, Wallace Ross, 9. Recitation Bridge of the Tay Etta Thistle,

 Solo Lullaby Song, Janet McMillan,
Duett . . . Mrs. Curtis & Mrs. Keith, Fly Away, Birdling.
Character Song . . . Miss Keswick, OPERETTA "Grandpa's Birthday,"

OPERETTA "Grandpa's Birthday," By Ten little Girls, assisted by David Aiton.

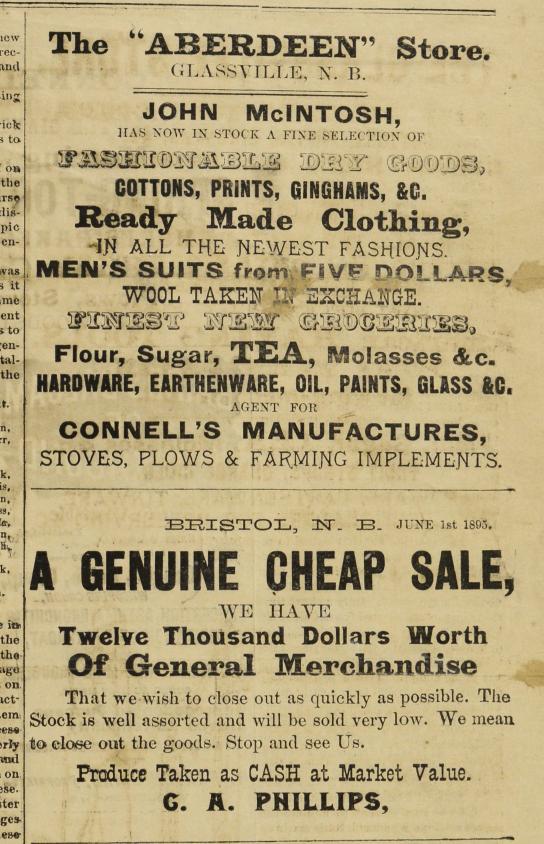
We have sampled the Cheese made in the Glassville factory, and have not the slightest hesitation in pronouncing the quality superb only requiring a little age to make them perfect. We notice that on. each cheese is the date of it's manufacture, we would like to keep one of them in the old Swiss-fashion. In the cheese region of Switzerland a custom formerly prevailed for the friends of a Bride and bridegroom to join in the presentation on their wedding-day of an elaborate cheese. This cheese was used as a family register and heirloom, on which births, marriages and deaths were recorded. Some of these 'old cheeses'' date back to 1660. We are afraid that a Glassville Cheese would'nt keep as long in our establishment.

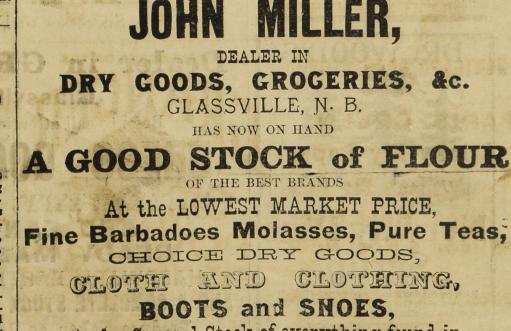
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