

ORANGEMEN AT GAGETOWN.

A Large and Enthusiastic Gathering and an Enjoyable Day.

Speeches by Grand Master Wallace, Sam Hughes, M. P. and Others.

The Visitors Welcomed to Queens by County Master J. de Veber Neales.

The L. O. A. picnic at Gagetown Thursday was a grand success, although the Fredericton contingent was not nearly so large as was expected, the steamer Florenceville leaving here with less than one hundred excursionists including the Orangemen and the 71st band which accompanied them. The David Weston, however, arrived at Gagetown about noon, loaded to her utmost capacity, and having on board the 62nd battalion band. After dinner had been partaken on board the Weston by the distinguished visitors the grand officers went ashore, the lodges forming in the following order and marching to the grounds of J. de Veber Neales, where a platform had been erected for the accommodation of the speakers:

62nd Battalion Band.
Trinity Preceptory of St. John, Wm Rogers in charge.
Baronche containing Most Worshipful Master, N. Clarke Wallace; Grand Lodge Officer of Grand Lodge of B. A., Major Hughes; Grand Lecturer of Grand Lodge of B. A., James Kelly; Past Grand Master Major A. J. Armstrong, and Grand Lodge Officer Chas N Skinner.
Sunbury County Lodge
Mr. Wilmot M. P., in charge,
71st Battalion Band,
Mr. H. H. Pitts M. P. P., in charge,
The director of ceremonies was Mr. J. M. Chappell of York county.

The counties of York, Sunbury, Kings and St. John were well represented in the procession, while there were many from other places. On arriving at the grounds the platform was at once taken possession of by the head men of the order. P. G. M. Armstrong occupied the chair. Alongside him sat Hon. Clarke Wallace the grand master and Sovereign of British America. Major Sam Hughes, M. P. of Lindsay the grand auditor of British America, James Kelly, the grand lecturer, H. H. Pitts, M. P. P., county master of York, J. de Veber Neales, county master of Queens, R. D. Wilmot, M. P. of Sunbury, Hon. C. N. Skinner; another of the grand lodge officers. John Corbett, P. G. M. of Queens, Robert Wills, P. G. T., Aid. Geo. R. Vincent, P. G. S., A. C. Smith, M. P. P., and several others.

Major Armstrong opened the ball. He said it was a great compliment to be called upon to preside at such a gathering, where the speakers included so many distinguished members of the order. He regretted that several of the gentlemen who had been expected to be present had been prevented from attending. A letter had been received from Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, P. G. M. of British America. That gentleman was now on his way to Australia on important government business. E. F. Clark, M. P., the deputy grand master, was kept at home by pressure of business. Col. Tyrwhitt, M. P. and the grand master of Nova Scotia had also been expected. Letters received from them showed that it was impossible for them to take part in this demonstration. It was to be regretted that Grand Master Fowler of this province was detained in Kings county by legal business. The major extended to Messrs Wallace and Hughes a hearty welcome. The chairman, after some further remarks, called upon

Hon. Judge Skinner.
Mr. Skinner began with a reference to the beauties of the place in which they were assembled. The valley of the St. John was as fine a piece of country as could be found in Canada or in any part of the world. It was said by some that Canada could not become a great country because it was alongside of United States. Others said Canada would never amount to anything because it was only a colony of Great Britain. There was nothing in these statements, Canada could go ahead as it had in the past. He said our farmers were ahead of the city people. They could eat all they could not sell. People did not have to go abroad in order to be happy. They could find as much pleasure and happiness here as anywhere else. He urged them to stay at home where they will become an integral part of a great country.

He was followed by Major Sam Hughes M. P., who expressed great pleasure at meeting so many New Brunswick orangemen. He said he could not help admiring the fine, stalwart men and the handsome maidens he saw before him. He thought Gagetown was a very pretty as well as being a historic spot. He dwelt at some length on the use of the Orange order, showing the principles of the institution if carried out, to be a benefit to the country and the people, civil and religious liberty going hand in hand with the advance of orangism. He referred to Mr. N. Clarke Wallace's speech at Kingston at the close of his address.

Mr. DeVeber Neales then read the following address:—
To the Honorable N. Clarke Wallace, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of British America:—
In the name and on the behalf of the County Lodge of Queens county, west, I

extend to you and to the distinguished brothers who are with you a warm and hearty welcome to Queens county.

We recognize the honor you confer on us by coming amongst us on this occasion and feel confident that your visit will be productive of much good, as well as being the source of the greatest satisfaction and pleasure to your brother Orangemen of this county.

We have experienced honest pride in your noble conduct and fearless and manly attitude in regard to the home rule bill and the efforts of our brothers in Ireland to preserve unswerving their privileges and connexion with the motherland as established by our illustrious patron William Prince of Orange. And the sentiments expressed by your speech at Kingston and reiterated on the floors of the house of commons of Canada are in touch and sympathy with the feeling of every true Orangeman in this county.

We trust that you have enjoyed your your sail up the noble river St. John and that your short stay with us may be pleasant and enjoyable and that you will carry away with you happy reminiscences of this occasion.

J. DEVEBER NEALES,
County Master Queens, West.

Mr. N. Clark Wallace then stepped forward and was greeted with great applause. After referring to the beauties of the St. John river and the recognized ability of New Brunswick gentlemen, he paid a tribute to the honesty and integrity of all true orangemen. He said the history of the orange order is that of the progress of civil and religious liberty. The Lord has always been on the side of his own peculiar people and has cared for them. In this connection he instanced the Arnauld, the Gunpowder plot and the time of James II, when the Prince of Orange was raised up to save the country from an apostate king. The liberties then acquired have been given to the world, and those liberties Orangemen sought to hand down unimpaired to their children. The order is to-day one of great influence and power and one which shall sway the destinies of the empire in the near future.

Mr. Wilmot then made a few remarks and was followed by Mr H H Pitts, who stated he had been orangeman before he was a conservative—he evidently forgot how short the time is since he joined the orangemen and his opinion of them when he was requested to publish Rev Mr Mowatts sermon—and should a Catholic governor be placed over this province he threatened to leave the conservative ranks. He concluded his remarks by moving a vote of thanks to Messrs Wallace and Hughes, which was unanimously given and heartily responded to by both gentlemen.

The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, Clarke Wallace and Major Hughes.

EVENTS AROUND US.

Happenings of the Week Throughout the Province.

The water in the river still remains low.
A. O. H. excursion to Calais on Monday.
Boots, shoes and Slippers at the Stone Boot.
The Algonquin hotel at St. Andrews will close to-day.

Crews are already getting ready for the lumber camp.

The St. Croix cotton mill has been shut down this week.

The Sardine factories at Eastport are now running full blast.

The Slipp equity case has still been going on at Hampton this week.

Nearly three hundred students have been enrolled at the Normal School.

Mr. S. K. Nason of New Maryland, dropped dead Monday morning of heart failure.

Rev. Mr. Sykes, of Keswick Ridge, occupied the pulpit in St. Paul's church last Sunday.

Regular meeting of the K of P next Tuesday. We were a little previous in our last issue.

The Women's Aid Association held their quarterly meeting in the Church Hall, Thursday afternoon.

About four hundred excursionists came over here from Chatham on Thursday. They returned the same day.

Dr. Paton, formerly missionary in the New Hebrides, addressed a meeting in St. Paul's church Thursday evening.

The Florenceville took about sixty excursionists to Gagetown, including the Orangemen and band, on Thursday.

William E. Seery wants two coat makers at once to help make some of the new goods he has just received. He will pay the highest wages to good hands.—Adv.

The Harvest Festival meetings will commence in the Salvation Army barracks this evening. The building has been tastefully decorated for the occasion.

Only thirty-two out of the seventy-five students who underwent the supplementary examination for admission to the Normal School succeeded in passing.

The rain Thursday evening prevented a great many persons attending the social in the Free Baptist church vestry. It was repeated again last night.

Mrs Geo. W. Hoegg entertained a number of friends at her residence Monday evening. The party was given in honor of her brother, "Fleet" Atherton, who was here on a visit.

Mr. Lewis Perley, while hurrying down Charlotte street Tuesday afternoon to catch the train for Montreal, dropped unconscious upon the sidewalk. He is now able to move around again.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen drove to Spring Hill Wednesday afternoon where they spent a most enjoyable evening.

The F. O. M. W. club orchestra furnished music for dancing. The party returned to the city about midnight.

The Cathedral organ is receiving a thorough overhauling. The work is being done by Mr. Peters of St. John. The interior of the Cathedral has been repainted and now presents a very pretty and tasty appearance. The work was done under the supervision of Mr. John Payne.

The chairman of the fire committee has been authorized to sell the old "Silsby" fire engine for \$1,000, and is negotiating with Mr. W. T. Whitehead, who intends buying the engine as a speculation. The first cost of the machine was between four and five thousand dollars.

The steam pipe of the steamer Rustler burst on Tuesday, while returning from Bartibogue to Chatham with the Catholic picnic. Misses Morrison and Landry lost their lives and a number of others were fatally injured. An action has been brought against the captain of the boat.

At St. Ann's church Wednesday morning at six o'clock, Thomas E. Dyer, of St. John, and Miss Frances R. Maxwell, daughter of John Maxwell, of this city, were the principals in a very pretty and interesting event. Miss Maxwell was attended by a younger sister, while the groom was ably supported by Mr. R. H. Buchanan. Rev. Canon Roberts officiated. The happy couple left by boat for St. John followed by the best wishes of their many friends.

RACES AT SAINT STEPHEN.

Two Days of Good Trotting at the St. Stephen Driving Park. A Good Field for Calais Track.

The opening races at the St. Stephen Driving Park on Tuesday were characterized by surprises and fast time. While the day was pleasant, there was a stiff breeze blowing across the track.

The attendance was not over large. In the judges' stand were Jas Osbourne, starter, assisted by Al Smith, Houlton, Me., and W. F. Todd as judges; and D. W. McCormick, proprietor of the Victoria hotel, St. John, and Geo. A. Murchie, Mayor of Calais.

At 1.30, p. m. the horses were called for the three minute class, purse \$150.00.

After a few times scoring they went away with a very even start. Maud M. led for nearly three-quarters of a mile, when Lady Jane C. held an argument with her, drawing away on the stretch and getting the heat in 2.34 1-5. E LeRoy Willis had no trouble in winning the next three heats and the race.

SUMMARY.

3 Minute Class—\$150.00.
Roline by Roland, Willis 3 1 1 1
Lady Jane C. by Edgardo, Cleland 1 4 4 dis
Maud M. by Allright, Slipp 2 2 2 2
Pembroke by Jay Bird, Hill 4 3 3 3
Time, 2.34 1-5, 2.35, 2.33, 2.36.

The special for 2 32 trotters had four starters, with Rose L. (Johnson) at the pole, Harold M. (Carroll) 2nd, Lyeurgus (Hill) 3rd and Heck (Slipp) 4th. While Heck, the handsome half brother of little Sea King, was the ladies' choice, the talent would have nothing but Harold M.; but Seward Hill with Lyeurgus by Lumps, that nobody would bet buck-wheat on, went out and not only won in straight heats but beat the track record of Edgardo and the race record of New Brunswick—and, to the disgust of Harold M's backers, Rose L beat him out of second money.

SUMMARY.

{Special Race—2.32—\$200.
Lyeurgus by Lumps, Johnson 1 1 1 1
Rose L. by Olympus, Johnson 4 2 2 2
Harold M. by Dr. Franklin, Carroll 2 2 3 3
Heck by Melbourne King, Slipp 3 dis.
Time—2.29, 2.25, 2.30.

The second day of the trotting, while warmer, brought a stronger wind to contend against and a dusty track. After a vigorous protest from the drivers the track was sprinkled, making it more pleasant for the spectators. The attendance was considerably larger than on the previous day.

The judges were Geo. A. Murchie, of Calais, and Al Slipp, of Houlton; timers, Fred Watson, of St. Stephen, and D W McCormick, of St. John; James E Osborne, starter.

In the 2.40 class, the horses took position as follows:—Rose L. (Johnson) pole, Kittie D. (Doyle) 2nd, Nettie (Slipp) 3rd, Jack (Murchie) 4th, Nonpariel (Gautreau) 5th, Helena B. (Stockford) 6th, Lady Jane C. (Cleland) 7th, Thorndale Echo (Watson) 8th. Lady Jane C, being lame, was withdrawn with the consent of the judges.

SUMMARY.

2.40 Class—\$200
Rose L. by Olympus, Johnson 1 1 2 1
Jack, Murchie 2 3 3 3
Nonpariel, Gautreau 4 2 6 5
Thorndale Echo, Watson 3 4 1 6
Nettie B., Slipp 5 5 4 2
Helena B., Stockford 6 6 5 4
Kittie D., Doyle dis.

Time 2.35, 2.35 4-5, 2.34 3-5, 2.37.

'Dave' evidently struck faster company than he expected.

The horses for the free-for-all were given the following positions:—Speculation (Carroll) pole, Brazilian (Slipp) 2nd, Minnie Gray (Willis) 3rd, Helena (Bowen) 4th.

SUMMARY.

Free-for-all—\$300.
Brazilian, Slipp 1 1 2
Speculation, Carroll 2 2 1
Helena, Bowen 3 3 4
Minnie Gray, Willis 4 4 3
Time 2.34 4-5, 2.25 2 5, 2.27.

This race was the fastest race ever trotted on the St. Stephen track and the fastest race for the province of New Brunswick.

At the conclusion of the third heat of the free-for-all, it was found that the tire of Brazilian's bike was burst; and Slipp anxious for a postponement, played for time. After a delay of an hour, Peter Carroll came to the rescue and loaned A his bike; but it was then so dark that the race was postponed until Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

The Calais association give a day's trotting over their track next Monday Sept 11, and the races should be hot and exciting. The entries to the 2.38 class, purse \$150 are, Pembroke, Kittie D, Vichmont, Lady Jane C., Rose L, Helen B, and Thorndale Echo; while the entries to the 2.32 class, purse \$200 are Harold M., Lyeurgus, Rattler, Heck, Nonpariel and Deceiver.

Coming and Going.
"Fleet" Atherton, who has been spending his vacation at his home here, returned to Ottawa Thursday.
Mr. Kent McPherson arrived here on a visit this week. He will leave again to-day.
Mr. T. G. Loggie went to Bathurst this week on mining business.
Mr. A. G. Edgecombe left Tuesday on a trip to the World's Fair.
Mr. A. G. Blair, Jr., was in the city this week.
Auditor General Beek is away on a short vacation.
Professor Duff left this week to fill his position in Pardu college, Lafayette, Indiana.
Mrs. Lel. White and Mrs. Thos. Crockett of St. John, spent a few days visiting friends in the city.
Mayor Beckwith and Mrs. Beckwith went to Montreal this week.
Prof. Bristowe returned home Wednesday.
Mr. Joseph Purdy expects to leave to-day on a trip to New York.
Frank Miles, for some time junior clerk in the Merchants Bank here, left Monday for Fargo, Tex., where he has secured a situation. He was accompanied by his uncle, Mr. Yerxa, of that place.
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DIED.
McAdam—In this city the 2nd inst., a cholera infantum, Gladys L. infant daughter of Henry and Achshah McAdam, aged 4 months and 17 days.

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