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A GREAT BIG CROWD HERE.

Orangemen's 12th July Celebration Goes off Well.

Excursions From all Points.—Maine Sends a Large Contingent.—St. John, Fredericton and St. Stephen Move up Here. Longest Procession Ever Seen in Town.

There had been great preparations made for the celebration of the 12th of July in Woodstock. It was expected that Orangemen would be present, in large numbers not only from all parts of the province, but from the adjoining State of Maine as well. And they did come from the north, south, east and west. Before seven o'clock in the morning the teams were pouring into town, and long before the excursion trains arrived there were hundreds of outside people within the town limits. At eight o'clock the boarding stables were about filled up, and people from the country had to look around for a chance to put their horses up.

The rink where many of the Orangemen had their meals was artistically and neatly decorated. Red, white and blue were conspicuous on all hands, and the tables arranged in the neatest of white linen were waited upon by lady friends of the order.

The Houlton contingent was the first body of visitors to arrive, and headed by the American flag they marched to the headquarters on Orange Hill. They were met at the station by a large deputation of the Woodstock lodges proceeded by the Woodstock band.

The excursionists from St. John and Fredericton arrived in twelve cars between twelve and one o'clock and about the same time seven car loads of St. Stephen people rolled in. The Carleton band accompanied the former and Ryder's band was along with the St. Stephen delegation. The rink was the popular resort for dinner though the hotels and restaurants were well patronized. About noon the sun came out warm and the streets were fairly lined with spectators waiting for the big procession to pass. It was somewhat late in getting started. About 2.30 Director of Ceremonies Lockhart gave the word to advance. The route was from the hall to Green street, down Green to Connell, along Connell to Main, down Main over the bridge, up Broadway, around by Houlton road, up River road and across the bridge again, down King street, up Carleton, along Queen, up Main to Chapel, up Elm street, to Main and down Main to the County grounds. It is estimated that there were between 1200 and 1500 men in line including the bands. Major Armstrong, S. D. G. M. of B. N. A. rode a white horse near the front of the procession. Well to the front was the Houlton and Maine contingent, preceded by the Stars and Strips and Union Jack. York County made a fine display, while the delegations from Hartland, Jack-sonville and upper parts of the county looked well. The Meductic lodges in their Soudan helmets looked imposing and received quite a cheer. The banners were many and elaborate and altogether the procession was a pretty and well arranged affair. Six bands of music were interspersed among the various lodges. The procession took about twenty minutes to pass a given point, and was well on to a mile in length. Near the rear was a wagon containing the veterans of '46. It was about four o'clock when the County grounds were reached. Three cheers were given for the Queen, the visiting members from Maine, and the bands struck up the National Anthem. Then the order was given to disperse.

Shortly afterwards address were delivered from the band stand. County Master Wiggins presided, and first called up Mayor Hay.

His worship said that as he was not a member of the Orange order, he must be pardoned if what he had to say was not quite up to the stand from the point of Orangeism. He had learned of the order, that an obligation of every member was a belief in the existence of a Supreme Being. Again every Orangemen was bound to pay allegiance to the government under which he lived. The order, he was informed, had a provision for attending to the wants of the widows and orphans of the members. Any organization founded on three such principles was deserving of a welcome from any town which they visited. He therefore extended a hearty welcome, and especially to the friends from over the border. This is an age of combines and organizations and a vast amount of good was, he was certain, being accomplished by secret organizations, the grand idea of the brotherhood of man was being worked out. He had never seen a time when Woodstock had such an immense crowd, and when there

was no sign of drunkenness and disorder as there was today. He must congratulate the order on this feature of its celebration. Again he welcomed them to Woodstock. (Applause).

Major Armstrong in responding to the welcome humorously touched upon the Mayor's acknowledgement of his ignorance of the order. A man could know but very little of Orangeism who had not seen the goat. (Laughter). He felt that it was a great compliment indeed to receive such a welcome from the mayor of the town, and he thanked him very much for it. They had had a very fine parade, one of the largest he had ever taken part in. Referring to the visiting friends from Maine, he said a short while ago, there were no Orangemen in the United States. Now lodges were being rapidly formed. They were glad to spend this 12th in Carleton Co. The whole province was proud of this county. More militia men came from Carleton than from any other county. Only a day or two ago nine of the best companies returned from Sussex to their homes in the county. We have walked the streets today. Not an angry word has been said to us, nor have we even noticed an angry look. Everybody was admiring me, particularly. (Laughter.) Although it was well to let bygones be bygones we might recall that it was not always thus. Just 50 years ago a different reception was accorded to a body of Orangemen. However, that was all over. Since the Orangemen had won the respect of the public. It was in their obligation that every citizen was to be regarded as a brother. They were told to be more friendly with their Roman Catholic brethren than even with their Protestant brethren. Never had the order received better treatment than in the town of Woodstock. It was the first address of welcome he had ever received in these lower provinces from a mayor, and he thanked His Worship heartily for it. He could assure His Worship that if the Orangemen were to stay a fortnight, there would be no danger of their behaving differently than they had today.

Rev. C. C. Phalen, of Westbrook, Me., Grand Master of the State, was the next speaker, and he made a forcible and eloquent address. He had come 300 miles to be present and to take part in the parade. They had paraded through the splendid streets and had taken part in this magnificent procession, and he wished to say that he was glad to be on the soil of the Dominion of Canada on this occasion. Remarking about the intimate relationship between the State of Maine and the Province of New Brunswick, the speaker was loudly applauded. He was comparatively a new-comer into the order. It was only one year and four months ago that he was rocked in the cradle of orangeism. (Laughter.) But now he was so well grown that he could help rock another fellow. Recently three lodges had been organized in the city of Bangor, and one was about to be completed in Presque Isle. He was ready at any time to take off his hat and say God Save the Queen, and the British Empire, and God save the President and the United States. Side by side these two great nations should work for the progress of humanity. And let everyone remember that if the British Empire and the United States should sink away, down would go liberty with them. He did not wish to say much about 1690, but it would be well for his British friends to remember that if there had been no King William in 1690 there would have been no diamond jubilee for Victoria in 1897.

On the platform were Rev. D. B. Phelan of Houlton, Me., brother of the previous speaker, and Ald. McArthur of the St. John S. D. G. M. of N. B.

By this time it had come on to rain quite heavily and there were no further speeches. The various excursion trains left on good time, and the general verdict was that the day was a great success.

Horse Races.

The horse trotting at the park was about the best exhibition ever seen in Woodstock. Unfortunately the rain in the latter part of the afternoon seriously interfered with the speeding. The result was as follows:—

2.50 Class.
Venus, W D Ballach, Centreville, 4 2 4
Topsy R, R B Burleigh, Houlton, 6 5 2
Kitty Clyde, J F Watson, St John, 6 6 6
Ben P, G F Saunders, Woodstock, 3 4 3
Honest Farmer, F Duncanson, Fairville, 2 3 5
Is So, Taylor & Willard, Presque Isle, 1 1 1
Time 2.38, 2.35½, 2.37.

2.33 Class.
Earl Dufferin, J R Murphy, Woodstock, 3 2 4
Molly W, John Conlogue, Houlton, 2 1 1
Rodigo, S H Ryder, Danforth, 5 3 4 5
Amberline, E Chambers, Houlton, 4 4 5 3
Tom O'Haley, H McLean, Woodstock, 1 2 3 5
Time 2.37½, 2.32, 2.31½, 2.39.

2.28 Class.
Dandy Lumps, J T A Dibblee, Woodstock, 4 3 2
Mary Mac, J F Watson, St John, 3 2 4
Almont Charter, T Raymond, Fairville, 1 1 1
Mattie C, Claud Knapp, Presque Isle, 2 4 3
Ray Wilks, Keys Bros, St Stephen, distanced
Time 2.27, 2.30½, 2.33.

Match Race—best 2 in 3 ¼-mile heats.
H N G, H W Grant, 2 2
Dottie G., Hillman, 1 1

GULLENS AND GRAHAM

Stand Their Trial in the County Court.

A Case Against Inspector Colpitts.—Woodstock Boy Charged With Forgery, to be Tried in Houlton.—How the Battery Boys Spported.

County Court opened at Upper Woodstock yesterday morning, Judge Stevens presiding. The principle case is the Queen vs. Gullens and Graham. The circumstances on which the charge is based are fresh in the minds of all readers of THE DISPATCH. Osborn Rodgers of Tay Creek, York county, alleges that on the evening of May 19th he was assaulted by Duncan Gullens, a barber, and Israel Graham. Gullens was arrested the following morning. Graham disappeared for some time but was finally arrested by Town Marshall Gibson, in Maine, and allowed to be brought over her for trial. Another case is a civil action by Burns Lloyd of Kent against Banford B. Colpitts, Scott Act Inspector for illegal seizure of a horse.

The grand jury found a true bill against the prisoners Gullen and Graham and their trial was going on as we went to press. Stephen B. Appleby represents the crown and F. B. Carvell appears for the prisoners.

Charged With Forgery.

Wilfred Embleton was arrested on Saturday afternoon charged with a very serious offence. Frank E. Gray cashier of the 1st National Bank, Houlton, arrived in town during the afternoon accompanied by another official and they sought Marshall Gibson with whom they laid a complaint against Embleton charging him with forgery. Town Marshall Gibson had little difficulty in finding Embleton, who was walking down Main street when intercepted. When accused of the crime he made an immediate denial. The Houlton bank people consulted with Mr. A. Connell Q. C. and after tea they all appeared before Police Magistrate Dibblee. The charge laid against Embleton is that he forged the name Mellin Pierce & Co. of Bangor on a cheque and the indorsal of David L. Park of Houlton. The cheque called for \$125.00 which the bank allege they paid to Embleton at Houlton. The young man consented to waive extradition formalities and went out to Houlton where he will undergo his trial. He claims that it is a case of mistaken identity.

A later report from Houlton says that Embleton failing to find \$1000 bond, was put in goal. He states that another party gave him \$21.00 to get the check cashed.

Civilians Again.

The Field Battery and the 67th Batt. have once more beaten their swords into pruning hooks, and returned to the peaceful pursuits of a law-abiding community. Before breaking up, the Battery entertained the public with a fine exhibition of sports on Thursday evening last. There was a very large attendance and the sports went off in good shape. It was quite a revelation to the public to learn that the battery contained so many athletes. The cornet band was on hand and discoursed appropriate music during the manoeuvres. The entertainment opened with a musical ride, and among the other features were the following:

Hurdle Jumping and Tilting at the Rings.
Sword Exercise.
Scaling ladder.
Sinking Pyramid.
Hanging of the Horse Thief.
Wrestling catch as catch can.
Wrestling on Horseback.
Sparring and Tumbling.
Tommy Atkins' Experience.
Songs and Choruses.
Blanket Toss.
Tug of War.
Gascoigne's Bonfire.

The affair was most successful and enjoyable and hearty credit is due to the battery boys for getting up such a creditable exhibition. On Wednesday and Thursday Col. Montzambert of Quebec was present and put the battery through the annual inspection. He told THE DISPATCH that the battery had done well. The 67th arrived here from camp early Saturday morning. They say that the camp was enjoyable and instructive.

A conscience apart, a morality apart, a religion apart! These things, by their very nature, cannot be private.

One very good reason why a man should tell the truth is that it is not a tax on his memory, that a lie would be.

In the bicycle race, Bailey won with Dickenson second, Sullivan, third.
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