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Will Grand Falls be Famous From This Out.

Prospects of a Boom for the Old Town to the North.—Company Have Secured the Desired Property.—Is Sabbath Saturday or Sunday?—Question for Students.

For some years past we have heard a good deal of the Grand Falls' boom, but, up to date, there has been something of a hitch. The trouble in perfecting arrangements is now over, and Grand Falls' future is about assured. The great project is to utilize the water going through the falls for the purpose of supplying electrical power for all manner of purposes.

A company interested in the development of this power is formed, and in the company are Sir Wm. Van Horne, Senator Proctor of Vermont, and Mr. Alger, secretary of the navy. These are good names, and anything undertaken under their patronage should be almost certain. The difficulty, hitherto, has been in securing the property on the west side of the river below the falls. It was known as the Hayes lease and those in possession valued it, naturally, pretty high, in view of it being a necessity to carry on the works. This property has been secured for the company, at a reasonable price, and there is nothing, now, to prevent going right on with the development. It is expected that by an expenditure of \$20,000, a 40,000 horse power may be secured. Electric power will then be supplied from Grand Falls to points as far north as River du Loup, and certainly as far South as Woodstock. Pulp mills will probably be established near the Falls. Great power is required to conduct pulp mills, and the great power required will be at Grand Falls. It certainly looks as if the town had a future ahead of it. There is some talk of trying to secure the terminus of the Restigouche and Western Railway at Grand Falls, instead of at St. Leonards. The distance from Campbellton is the same from either point. By having a direct route to Campbellton, Grand Falls will be within 115 miles from a seaport. It is also, only nine miles to the Bangor & Aroostook Railway, at Limestone. Thus, it will be seen that Grand Falls is not at all out of the world, but that with a little railway building and extension it will be easily accessible from all sides. There has been some trouble about the acquisition by the company of the "common" a large tract of land comparatively useless to the town of Grand Falls, but most necessary to the company which proposes to build up the town. One would fancy that every resident at the Falls would do all in his power toward aiding the company in any reasonable way towards acquiring this property.

The Gospel Tent Meetings.

Sunday was a good day for the tent as large congregations assembled to hear on the Sabbath question, some people coming from twelve miles outside of town. At ten o'clock a. m. Elder H. J. Farman spoke on the Institution of the Sabbath, showing that Christ was the active agent in the creation, that "all things were created by him, and for him." Col:14-17. Therefore the Sabbath was made for both Christ and man, because Christ rested upon that day, sanctified and blessed the Sabbath day and said he made it for man. Mark 2:27. Christ made the Sabbath out of the seventh day because that "In six days the Lord made heaven and earth, and on the seventh he rested and was refreshed." Ex. 31:17. It, the seventh day being the Sabbath, marked off the weekly cycle and became a memorial of the creator's work. As such it must forever remain the Sabbath.

In the afternoon at three o'clock Elder D. A. Corkham took for his theme "the Christian Sabbath," showing that Christ kept the Sabbath of creation and that he himself said, that "Every plant, which my heavenly Father hath not planted, shall be rooted up." Therefore the Mohamedan rest day, Friday, was a plant not of the Father's planting, and therefore to be rooted up; likewise the first day of the week sometimes wrongfully called the Christian Sabbath, was an earthly plant of human origin, having no divine authority and therefore should be rooted up.

In the evening Elder Hersum dwelt upon the "Change of the Sabbath." He showed that there was no divine authority for such a change, that the disciples and the early church kept the seventh day Sabbath till long after Christ, that no change of days was ever intimated by Christ or the apostles. It was further stated and reputable historic authority was read showing that the first Sunday law that we have was from the

Roman Emperor, Constantine, in A. D. 321 and that this law only effected the "judges and town's people," but the country people went about their usual work on the first day of the week until more rigid Sunday laws were made and the apostasy had defaced the whole structure of Christianity and the dark ages set in.

Many questions were asked concerning the Sabbath question and will be answered during the week, while the different phases of the subject are discussed. Services each evening but Saturday, at 7.45, Sabbath service at 3 p. m., and Sunday services at 10.30 a. m. and 3 and 7.45 p. m.

From Montana.

DEWEYS, MONT. July 11th. 1898.

To the Editor of The Dispatch:

DEAR SIR.—If you will allow me space in your valuable paper, THE DISPATCH. I will make known to some of my old Carleton County friends where I am. I am at Dewey's Flat and this place is as flat by nature as it is by name. The business portion of this place consists of two stores, two saloons, two hotels and a blacksmith shop, all of which are doing a lively business. I left home the 26th of April came by way of Montreal on the Canadian Pacific up to Winnipeg and through the Rocky Mountains to Mission Junction changed there for Seattle Wash., then took the Great Northern, or more correctly, the Great Northern to Havre, then the Montana Central to Butte, then took the Oregon short line to Divide. I am at the Mammoth Hotel where we partake of everything usually served in a first class hotel all kinds of fruit, strawberries and cream, cigars on the side. The weather here is quite variable. A Canadian that felt loyal to his country might have celebrated July 1st., Dominion Day on snowshoes for we had eighteen inches of snow. The mornings and evenings are cool generally, but the middle of the day is very warm, often it is 90° in the shade. The town of Dewey's is built on the bank of the Big Hole river. This river is very famous for fish. The wages are good here generally but the most of the working class don't seem to be inclined to keep anything not even the Sabbath day.

Well Mr. Editor arriving at the conclusion that everybody will think this enough for me at this time and thanking you for space I will subscribe myself

Yours truly,

J. W. CARMONT.

WHAT THE DEED SAYS.

It Looks As If The County Owns The Land.

In connection with the question to be decided at the meeting of the County Council on August 2nd, about erecting a new gaol on the county land in the town, there is an important point as to the deed of the land on which the court house and gaol, at the Corner, now are. The land was deeded by Col. Richard Ketchum, and some people hold, that, if not used for the present purpose, the land would revert to his heirs. In Mr. R.K. Jones' office the other day, THE DISPATCH saw, what is evidently the original deed of this property. It appears to be without any conditions, no mention being made of the use to which the land is to be put. It is dated 8th June, 1835, and is from Richard Ketchum and Charlotte, his wife, to the Justices of the Peace of the County of Carleton, and in consideration of the sum of ten shillings, land containing six acres is deeded to the Justices, their "heirs and successors" forever. This, it will be seen was before the corporation of the county, hence the deed to the justices of the peace. The witnesses to this deed were John Bedell and F. B. Dibblee. The signature Rich. Ketchum, is at the foot. Charlotte Ketchum, his wife, does not appear to have signed the document. While the land deeded was at Upper Woodstock and the amount is six acres, the description does not seem on first sight actually to coincide with that now occupied as the county property.

Another original document, the charter of incorporation of the county was also seen. It is handsomely written on parchment, is dated 17th of March 1852, and bears the inscription "Ed. Head," Sir Edmund Head, then being governor of the province. J. R. Parletow signed this document as registrar.

"How will you have your eggs?" asked the waiter. "Make any difference in the cost o' em?" inquired the customer cautiously. "No," "Then cook 'em with a nice slice o' ham," said the visitor greatly relieved.

I wonder why artists are always so careful to sign their pictures? Possibly so's the public can tell the top from the bottom.

Miss Minnie B. Sharp, of Victoria, B. C., is in Woodstock, visiting her father and mother.

CENTREVILLE ARSON CASE.

A Judge And Jury Will Again Make a Try.

Two Juries Disagreed, What of the Third? Notes of the Beulah Gathering of the Reformed Baptists.—Officers Elected.—Business and Pleasure Combined.

This afternoon, Melvin and Chalmers Crabbe, will, for the third time, face a jury on the charge of setting fire to Sidney Lloyd's house and barns at Centreville, last October. The circumstances of the case are so well known to the public of this county as hardly to need repetition. As has been said the prisoners have stood two trials. In the first trial, ten jurors were, it is said, for conviction, and two for acquittal. In the second trial, eleven were for conviction and one for acquittal. How it will be this time nobody knows. Chief Justice Tuck will preside. The attorney-general assisted by Mr. Frank B. Carvell will prosecute, and the prisoners will be defended by Mr. Stephen B. Appleby and Mr. A. B. Connell, Q. C. A great deal of interest is taken in the trial throughout the county, and the proceedings today and tomorrow, for it will occupy two days anyway, with the jury's finding, will be anxiously looked for. There are over fifty jurors from which the selection to try the case will be made.

Reformed Baptists.

This young but thriving denomination has lately held its yearly meeting or Alliance and Camp Meeting at Beulah, on the St. John river, 20 miles from the city of St. John. This place is beautifully situated, and here they have a large hotel capable of entertaining a large number of guests, a large and pleasantly situated dormitory of 28 rooms, a beautiful tabernacle, capable of holding 1000 or more in which all the meetings are held, besides a dozen or more of pretty cottages scattered along the river bank and in the grove, presenting an attractive appearance from the river steamers. There are seven or eight different steamers passing these grounds hence they are free of access.

Their Alliance or yearly meeting lately held, shows that they are in a prosperous condition. The following officers were duly elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. H. H. Cosman, of Marysville; Vice-President, Rev. G. W. Macdonald, of Sandford, N. S.; Recording Secretary, Rev. W. B. Wiggins, of Woodstock; Assistant Secretary, G. B. Macdonald, of St. John; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. S. A. Baker, of St. John; Treasurer, E. Cosman, of Hotel Ottawa, St. John, and Auditor, A. J. Marsten, of Woodstock. The total additions this past year were 127. Present membership about 1600. Total amount raised for all purposes, about \$9,000. Total value of property, over \$40,000. Two new churches have been completed during the year and two brethren have been ordained to the ministry. During the first ten years of the history of this denomination, thirteen ministers have been welcomed to its ministry. There was considerable important business done such as making provision for the training of young men for the ministry and sending Rev. H. C. Sanders and wife, as missionaries to Africa &c. Their denominational organ "The King's Highway" which is at present published at THE DISPATCH office by Rev. W. B. Wiggins as editor and business manager has prospered under his management, as, there was a debt of over \$126 when he assumed control, but now there is a balance in its favor. Its issue is 1000 copies, and it has a very wide circulation extending from Halifax, N. S., on the east, to California and British Columbia on the west.

The camp meeting that followed the Alliance was attended by hundreds, and much good was done.

Rev. H. C. Morrison editor of "The Pentecostal Herald" Louisville Ky. was present and added much to its interest by his earnest and eloquent addresses. Rev. G. N. Ballantine and Rev. A. Hartt from Massachusetts were also present besides several ministers from the Methodist and other denominations. Altogether it was a very prosperous and blessed year with them.—Com.

"Remember the Gaol."

As will be noticed in another column a special meeting of the County Council will be held on the Second day of August, to consider the offer of the town council of \$1000 bonus, if a new gaol and court house are built within town.

He—Perhaps you think I'm too pressing? She You must be thinking of some one else. We have never even sat on the sofa.