

Weldford. JUNE 13.—About two o'clock this afternoon a heavy wind sprang up from the north and a terrific fire swept through the woods, and if assistance had not reached here from along the line Mortimore and Weldford would have been completely destroyed.

Robert Kellogg's house and barn on the Big Fork of Salmon River, were destroyed by the forest fires last Monday. At Mortimore the fire caught in several of the buildings, but as there was a good supply of water on hand and a large number of men ready and willing to run all risk in order to save property the fire was kept under control.

Mrs. Buckley, of Rogersville, spent Sunday here with her mother. J. C. Miller, Esq., of Millerton, spent Sunday at Mortimore.

Mr. Robert Saulnier returned home from Nova Scotia last week, where he had been spending a couple of weeks with his mother and friends.

We are all very sorry to hear that Mr. D. P. Clark is going to leave this place and return to his native home on P. E. Island. During Mr. Clark's stay among us he has made a great many friends and will be greatly missed, but as I understand he has accepted a very remunerative position there I hope he will be pleased with the change.

Ex-councillor S. S. Briggs was in Weldford Tuesday.

Wm. Creed, of Fredericton, H. C. R. of the court of Independent Order of Foresters of New Brunswick visited Weldford court of Foresters Tuesday evening. E. B. Buckenfield, Esq., boarded the Quebec express Tuesday night en route to England.

Canadian natural gas has been introduced into Buffalo residences up to this time to the number of 350, displacing coal for heating and cooking at this number of homes. New connections are being formed at the rate of six to eight daily.

This is an addition to manufactories and the water works, the latter requiring Canadian gas to the extent of \$50,000 a year from the provincial company.

A Terrible Slaughter. On the Mönchen Stein Basle railway, Switzerland, Sunday, through the collapse of a bridge, beneath a heavily loaded excursion train, sixty persons were killed outright and hundreds injured. All the trainmen were killed.

Further reports from the scene of the railroad accident which occurred Sunday at a village near Basle, state that the number of persons who lost their life is placed at 120, with hundreds more or less injured. The victims are mostly leading citizens of Basle and neighboring towns.

She Sheds Her Bones. A woman seventy-one years of age, who has twice exfoliated or shed many of the bones from her body and had new and sound ones grow in their stead, has, through mediumship of Dr. Bell, of Parrottville, Tenn., set the East Tennessee Medical society guessing as to how and why she does it.

This exfoliation marvelous as it may seem, has included the shedding twice of Miss Lees entire jaw bone, yet all the teeth but two in her new jaw are intact. During the last twenty-one years she has twice shed in addition to the jaw, the bones of the hand and forearm, arm and shoulder blade, and this without leaving any deformity and without suppuration and with entire consciousness of the change on the aged patient's part.

A Marriage Lottery. Here is an ingenious method of bringing bashful lovers to the scratch:— A short time since, at a wedding in South Carolina, a young lawyer moved that one man should be elected as president; that this president should be duly sworn to keep entirely secret all the communications that should be forwarded to him in his official capacity that night; that each unmarried gentleman and lady should write his or her name on a piece of paper, and under it place the name of the person they wished to marry, then hand it to the president for inspection, and if any gentleman and lady had reciprocally chosen each other, the president was to inform each of the result, and the names of those who had not been reciprocal in their choice were to be kept entirely secret.

After the appointment of the president, communications were accordingly handed up to the chair. It was found that twelve young ladies and gentlemen had made reciprocal choices, and eleven of the twelve matches were solemnized.

The World Over. The wife of Lieut. Peary is the first woman to start out on a North Pole expedition. Mrs. Livingstone accompanied her distinguished husband to Central Africa, but there are less perils to be encountered in the African jungles than in the frozen seas of the Arctic region.

Seventeen out of twenty farms sold by the sheriff in Cowley county, Kansas, last week, had been mortgaged for more than they were worth and abandoned.

Three splendid St. Bernard dogs, costing \$12,000, were landed at New York on Sunday. One of them stands about three feet high.

The Raikwals, a learned community of Brahmans in Ahmedabad, India, have held a meeting and decided not to permit their daughters to marry before the age of twelve.

The number of cattle in Australia is estimated at 8,600,000, and increase of more than 2,500,000 in the last fifteen years. Sheep have also increased from 53,000,000 to 90,000,000. The people of England view these figures with great satisfaction, inasmuch as they indicate an increased meat supply for the mother country.

An incident of the Jewish persecution at Vienna is reported by a correspondent of the London Standard as being well vouched for. A Jewish horse dealer in the suburbs was preparing to go to market, when he happened to look under the box seat of his cart and was startled to find there a little boy about five years old, huddled up in a narrow space between a number of iron spikes so arranged as to threaten him with serious injury whenever the cart was put in rapid motion.

An eleven-year-old Kansas boy has been granted a teacher's certificate.

MARRIED. McLEAN-MILLER—At the manse Campbellton, by the Rev. Thomas Nicholson, on the 10th inst, Mr. Robert McLean, of Archibald Settlement, to Miss Flora Elizabeth Miller, of Jaquet River.

DIED. WILSON—At St. John, on the 11th inst, Martha, beloved wife of Walter Wilson, leaving three sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a fond and faithful mother.

HAY—At Chatham, on Thursday the 11th inst, Mr. George Hay, aged 64 years.

Trotting Races KINGSTON KENT COUNTY DRIVING PARK!

ON— JULY 8. Wednesday, \$150 IN PRIZES TO BE AWARDED. \$150

1st.—Open to all horses that have never beaten 2.40. Purse \$100. \$60 first; \$25 second; \$15 third. 2nd.—Open to all horses owned in Kent County that have no record. Purse \$50. \$25 first; \$15 second; \$10 third.

CONDITIONS.

The above Races will be mile heats, best three in five in harness, and be governed by the National Association Rules. Entrance fee will be 10 per cent. of the purse, which must positively accompany the nomination; if nomination is made by telegraph, draft payable to Secretary must follow by first mail.

Admission to Park, 25 cents. Children, 10 cents. Carriages Free. A. B. CARSON, SECRETARY.

WEDDING RINGS

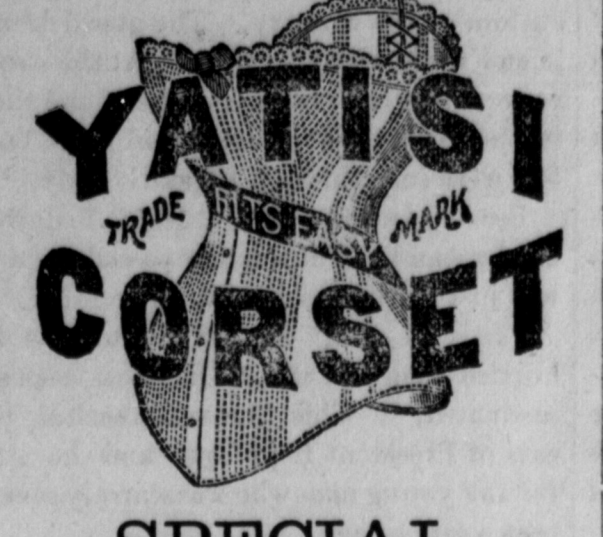
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