

THE ANDOVER NEWS

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

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SUMMER AT THE POLE.

Lieutenant Peary, who is about to start on his second expedition to the frozen regions of the north, has made an interesting suggestion. "If I should have the good fortune to reach the North Pole at midsummer," said he, "and it should happen that the North Pole is on land, I should expect to find considerable vegetation, grass growing, flowers blooming, muskoxen grazing and myself enjoying the scene dressed in about the same quantity of clothes that I would wear in the spring or fall at home. This is not the popular conception of the North Pole, perhaps, nor would it be a true one except for a short time in July and August. At Bowdoin Bay, on the west coast, in 78 degrees, north latitude, I have seen grass growing as high as my knees, and poppies and other quick growing flowers in bloom. Vegetation is forced by the constant sunlight, and plants grow and reach maturity with extreme rapidity."

This picture of life at the pole is calculated to bring about a general reconstruction of ideas on the subject. If the lieutenant's notion is correct, what a place it would be for a summer outing! The guests of the Glacier house, or the North Pole hotel would not only escape the torrid atmosphere which makes most of the usual summer resorts hardly habitable during certain portions of the year, but they would be diverted by surroundings totally different from any to which they have been accustomed in this latitude.

It would be daylight all the time, and noon almost all day. Consequently the principal meal would be luncheon; and this would be made tempting with muskox steak, fried walrus blubber, whale oil and other delicacies of the region, forming an agreeable variety of diet.

The pleasure of gardening, too, in a place where nature is so active that there would be no time to dig up the poppy seeds to see if they had sprouted, would be trebled.

Coasting, skating and snow shoeing all the year round would not be among the least of the attractions offered by the arboreal bonifaces.

As soon as Lieutenant Peary has verified his theory he will have plenty of followers. Such attractions as he suggests cannot be resisted by a novelty seeking generation.

A new line of six day steamers to the North Pole during the summer season would doubtless be quickly instituted by enterprising and adventurous capitalists.

INDEPENDENCE NEWS.

A Universalist Association will be held at the church in Whitesville Thursday and Friday of this week.

Landlord W. W. Wilson of the Wilson hotel, Whitesville, gave a ball the night of the ever glorious Fourth.

The factory at this place manufactures 17 cheese per day.

It is reported that a daughter of Theodore Cobb of Spring Mills, is seriously ill and not expected to recover.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Potter attended the Hall-Parker reunion in Wells-ville last week.

John B. Cottrell, son of Rev. J. L. Cottrell of Shiloh, N. J., a former resident of this place, was in town last week.

Mrs. Dennis Woodcock, from Pennsylvania, is visiting friends in town.

It is said this place boasts of a "peeping Tom," who prowls about nights listening at doors and windows. He had better take care or he may run his proboscis against a "snag."

GUMPTION.

Parker and Hall Reunion.

On June 22d there came together in Wellsville park, perhaps one of the most notable gatherings of the season. It was a reunion of two of the oldest families of the towns of Independence and Willing, the older generations having come to these places in the years 1823 and 1824. There were about two hundred present. An excellent dinner was served to which full justice was done. The North Hill band gave them most excellent music. Four generations were present, Mrs. Joanna Fulmer (nee Parker) of Andover, and Mr. Luther Parker of Independence representing the oldest of the Parker family now living, and Washington Cate of Staunards Corners and Mrs. Saphina Rice of Hallsport so representing the Hall family. Mrs. Rice is the mother of farmer O. T. Perkins of Willing and Mrs. L. D. Davis, well known to Wells-ville ladies as an earnest W. C. T. U. worker and lecturer. Mrs. Eugenia LaBee of Port Allegany, another W. C. T. U. worker and President of the Pennsylvania W. C. T. U. was also present. A fine literary program was rendered, which was greatly enjoyed by all present, some of the selections being given with unusual ability.

The first reunion of the Parker and Hall families was a success, and it is the intention to meet again next year. E. M. F.

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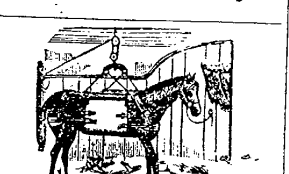
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