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Correspondence.

Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

Mill Settlement.

Maugerville.

Nov. 21.—The river here is almost clear of ice, the tug "Bismarck" being taken to St. John this morning. The snow is also gradually disappearing.

The many friends of Mrs. Charles Brown will regret to hear that she is lying critically ill at her home, here. Miss Tweedie of Victoria Hospital is in attendance.

The condition of Mrs. Wm. Magee is somewhat improved.

Miss Emma McElroy of Bath, Car. Co. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Addison McGrath.

Mr. H. H. Roach of Wolfville, N. S. spent a few days last week with his sister Mrs. C. Ashley Harrison.

Congratulations are in order to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thurrott upon the arrival of another daughter.

A meeting in the interest of the Liberal-Conservatives is to be held in the Upper Temperance Hall on Monday 27th. The meeting will be addressed by J. Douglas Hazen, M. P. P., Parker Glasier M. P. P. and others.

Upper Mills.

Nov. 21.—Owing to the constant driving, the roads in this vicinity are almost totally bare, notwithstanding the fact, that snow, the depth of 18 inches, fell here on Sunday, Nov. 12th.

The sudden change in the weather affected the health of many of our people. Among the sick are: Mrs. Patrick Welsh and Messrs. John and Isaac Murray.

Miss Ethel Murray recently paid a visit to Big Forks.

Mr. Michael Welsh was at Welford last week.

Misses Ethel Murray, Leonore Barton and Cynthia Barton were the guests of Mrs. William Murray on Sunday last.

Mr. Dougall Fulton had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly, some time ago. We are glad to report that he has almost entirely recovered.

Miss Agnes Fulton, who has been spending the summer at her home, has returned to St. John.

Miss Sarah Fulton paid a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fulton, recently.

A party of young people gathered at

the home of Mr. James Fulton, on Nov. 10th., and spent a most enjoyable evening.

A number of young ladies intended visiting the camp of Mr. Geo. Fulton, sr., on Saturday, Nov. 18th, but on account of the river not being frozen, they were unable to cross, and the trip had to be postponed. They hope for better luck next time.

Mr. Matthew Glen and son, Emmerston, have gone to Woodstock, to spend the winter.

Mrs. Robert Fulton, of Big Forks, was the guest of her brother-in-law, Mr. George Fulton, one day last week.

Mr. Duncan Austin, who is working in the woods with Mr. Edward Smith, of Fulton Brook, spent Sunday at home.

Chipman.

The new hall at Brigg's Corner is now complete on the outside and a coat of white paint adds much to its appearance as well as durability.

This week men are engaged upon the flue and when this is finished and a double floor laid a large stove, with the necessary pipe, stands ready to be placed in position for heating purposes during the approaching winter.

Encouraged by the past the hall company contemplate holding another entertainment during the coming Xmas holidays, and with the consent of the ladies are ordering a number of posters from the GAZETTE office announcing the following program:—

Merry Xmas!!!

A grand box social will be held in the new hall at Brigg's Corner,

On Tuesday evening Dec. 26th, in aid of building fund.

The ladies one and all are cordially invited to attend with well filled baskets and boxes, decorated in their best style.

And the gentleman agree To pay a handsome fee For baskets nice with tea Enough for two or three.

A choice variety of refreshments will be provided for the occasion and the floor committee will spare no pains to make the evening a pleasant one to all present.

Doors open at 6 o'clock.

H. HENDERSON, R. RITCHIE, D. FOWLER, B. STILWELL, Committee.

Now that the Supreme Court has sustained the decision of the magistrates court in the case of Ackerman vs. Boyd

nobody who feels aggrieved with our local justices' ruling after this need appeal to a county court as Justices Parkhill and Fleming will forestall him and come off victor in the end. Mr. Boyd is preparing to move his family to St. John.

All the pews of the new Baptist church at Chipman remain free to everybody who attends the house of worship. This seems to be appreciated by the large audience that assemble there every Sabbath evening, who are evidently in touch with the modern theory of free pews, free grace and free salvation for all.

The needs of a public cemetery in close proximity to the new church is much felt and a movement is on foot to secure a suitable location near by which shall obviate the necessity of going long distances elsewhere for interment. As an eligible location for a burying ground is understood to lie a short distance back of the church which can be obtained on reasonable terms, if not scot free, immediate steps should be taken in the premises.

There is neither good sleighing nor wagoning at present.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or liver trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at any Drug Store.

Cody's.

Nov. 27.—One of the best concerts ever listened to in this Parish was given in the schoolhouse in Salmondale on Friday evening the 24th inst.

The building was handsomely decorated, with evergreens and Union Jacks. On the side of the school house, behind the platform, was a massive British flag which added greatly to the beauty of the decorations.

The concert was gotten up by Miss Maggie Patterson, the popular school teacher in that District, assisted by the scholars of her school.

The following is the programme: The Welcome—Judson Perry and Lilly Bernard.

Dialogue, "Off to Idaho," Frank Kincaide and Arthur Jenkins. Recitation, "Can you guess what's in my pocket," Ida M. Kincaide.

Comic Irish Song—James McBriarty. Dialogue, "Playing Big Folks," Bertha Bernard, Mabel Bernard, George Kincaide and Pratt Perry.

Two Little Temperance Girls—Ethel Bernard and Ella M. Kincaide. Song, "From a baby to a Grandmother," Bertha Bernard.

Recitation, "I thought when I had learned my letters," Geo. Kincaide. Irish Song, "The Agricultural Irish girl," James M. Briarty.

Recitation, "What not to do," Judson Perry. Dialogue, "A Warm Reception," Bertha Bernard, John Kincaide, Charlie Patterson and Mable Bernard.

Tableau, "Chimney Sweeps," Bertha Bernard and John Kincaide. Dialogue, "The house that Jack built," Mabel Bernard and Pratt Perry.

Recitation, "Clam Ups," Charlie Patterson. Tableau, "The sick baby," Charlie Patterson and Mabel Bernard.

It's only a small bit of hunting—Charlie Patterson, Pratt Perry, Judson Perry, Geo. Kincaide, Bertha and Mable Bernard. Dialogue, "Aow to cure a Growler," Geo. Kincaide, Bertha Bernard and M. E. Patterson.

Tableau, "Home Sweet Home." Recitation, "The Rubber Kitten," Pratt Perry.

God Save the Queen. Herb. Hickson furnished violin music between each piece.

The above programme was well carried out by those who took part and spoke well of the ability of Miss Patterson as a teacher. Many of the recitations, dialogues and songs were greeted with tremendous applause and laughter.

A nice sum of money was raised which goes towards getting maps and other things for the school house.

Mouth of Jemseg.

Nov. 28.—The weather during the past week has been very mild for time of year. The river is frozen over in many places, and a few nights of real cold weather would make the ice bridge passable from one side of the river to the other.

The meetings held in the Baptist church last week were largely attended, and resulted in the baptism of twelve people on Sunday last. Rev. John Bennett Anderson will continue the meetings this week.

Mrs. James Sutton, of Michigan, U. S. A., is visiting her cousin Mrs. Geo. F. Nevers. Mrs. Sutton find she has many relatives in Jemseg and intends visiting them all before leaving for her home in Michigan.

C. Huestis and sons have a contract for three hundred cords of steamboat wood for Mr. Glasier.

Rockland wood trade is blocked, there being no demand. Baptist church was filled to utmost capacity last evening. Three preachers were present—Revs. Messrs. Anderson, Ganong and Springer.

Fighting in the Soudan.

CAIRO, Nov. 25.—Lord Cromer, the British minister here, has received the following despatch from Gen. Kitchener: "Wingate's force came up with the Khalifa's force seven miles southeast of Gold and attacked it. After a sharp fight we took his position. The Khalifa, who was surrounded by a body-guard of Emirs, was killed and all the principal Emirs were killed or captured except Osman Digna, who escaped. The dervishes were utterly defeated, their whole camp was taken and thousands surrendered. A large number of women, children and cattle also fell into the hands of the Anglo-Egyptian forces.

The Khalifa referred to as being killed in battle is Abdullah el Taishi, the great chieftain of the Soudan, who has given the British so much trouble. It may be said that the power of the dervishes is probably crushed. He was one of the three Khalifas who in 1882 helped the famous Mahdi to overthrow the government of Egypt in Eastern Soudan and establish the despotism of the Mahdi in its place. At the battle of Omdurman, Sept. 2, 1898, General Kitchener utterly defeated the forces of the Khalifa with tremendous slaughter, but the Khalifa, with his harem and Osman Digna, the most famous of the Soudan generals, escaped and have since been fugitives. There may be some further trouble for the British in the Soudan owing to the fact that Osman Digna has escaped. He is a man of undoubted courage and remarkable military skill.

Because it Cures.

"Yes," said Mrs. John McKeen who keeps a general store at Kingarth, Y. Co., "we sell more of Cook's Sure Cough Cure than all our other cough balsams combined; in fact we can only sell it, after a person once purchases a bottle. It has got the name in this locality of giving relief to a cough or cold where nothing else will." This old English Remedy is sold by all dealers at 25 cents per bottle. Large Pottle.

Dam Carried Away.

GRAND FORKS, Mich., Nov. 21.—A dam across the North Forks at at Kettle Piver, two miles above the city, containing from one million and a quarter to two million and a half saw logs, the property of the Grand Bay Company, gave way on Sunday night, carrying with them the dam under construction and two bridges. The construction of the smaller dam will be delayed a month. The loss is heavy.

A PUBLIC PIT-FALL.

Shubenacadie Man has a Dangerous Experience.

Fooled by an Imitation of Dodd's Kidney Pills—Took two boxes of the spurious remedy—Found out his mistake in time.

SHUBENACADIE, Nov. 27.—Alfred Miller, of this town, narrates an account of a dangerous experience of his own, which is liable to occur to anyone who doesn't keep the sharpest kind of a look out. The pit fall into which he fell lies gaping open to be stumbled into by the public at large.

It is a well-known fact that Dodd's Kidney Pills are the first medicine that ever cured those formerly incurable maladies, Bright's Disease and Diabetes. Dodd's Kidney Pills are likewise famous for curing Rheumatism. They have a marvellous reputation for curing Heart Disease, Dropsy, Bladder and Urinary Disorders, Female Complaints and Blood Diseases. That anyone could be deceived into taking another preparation for Dodd's Kidney Pills is on first sight incomprehensible, in view of the reputation they enjoy.

This reputation, however, is just the point. Unscrupulous imitators trade on that reputation to push their own nostrums on the public. Read what Mr. Alfred Miller, of Shubenacadie, Nova Scotia, writes about his experience with imitations of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Having been troubled with a weak back and suffering this long while with severe pains occasioned by some kidney trouble, I purchased two boxes of a pill similar in name to Dodd's. I had determined to get some of Dodd's Kidney Pills, but when I asked for Dodd's I was persuaded to take this other remedy. I used them with absolutely no effect. I was about to give up in disgust when it struck me I'd better try the genuine article. I then got a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills, refusing to take any others, and that first box cured me completely. So far the pain has not returned."

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cts at any Drug Store.