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very objectionable, and not by any means without remedy, to which we respectfully invite the attention of our representatives. Many fair promises have been made by candidates on the eve of election but the people have tired of the shadow and now desire the substance.
Aug. 5th, 1899.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Olier of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents a bottle, every bottle guaranteed at any Drug Store

Gaspereaux Station.

August 8.—Mr. Maurice S. Kirkpatrick of this place has received word that he has successfully passed the Normal School Entrance examination for first class. When it comes to be considered that of 195 applications only 21 succeeded in passing the severe test, Mr. Kirkpatrick is deservedly receiving many congratulations, standing 6th among the successful.

Much credit is due Mr. D. P. Kirkpatrick, the efficient teacher in our school for the thorough manner in which he has brought our school into the front rank.

This district has turned out some of the best known of the teachers in later years. Henry F. Perkins, Ph. B. of McAdam, N. Foster Thorne, of Boiestown, who led the first class candidates in the entrance examination in 1895, D. P. Kirkpatrick, a highly successful teacher, and H. W. McCutcheon, may be mentioned as some of the more successful of our sons.

Blueberries are plentiful and prices are quite low.

About 20 of the Indians from St. John river vicinity have arrived to participate in the blueberry harvest.

N. Foster Thorne is away at Elgin, Albert county, visiting his father Rev. I. Newton Thorne.

Duncan Kirkpatrick is away spending his holidays on a bicycle tour through the province.

J. K. Howard, Henry Washburn and William H. Kirkpatrick are doing a rushing fruit business this season.

Shirley.

Aug. 9.—The weather for the past few days has been exceptionally fine and the hay makers are rejoicing.

Messrs. Dunn and Reid, of Gagetown, passed through here to-day from Fredericton en route to their home.

Emery Lindsay, of the tug "Lily" has returned home here after his season's work.

Messrs. Crothers and Dingee with their crew of men returned to Upper Gagetown to-day. They have been summer logging at Fredericton Junction the past few weeks.

Mrs. C. Howard Merritt, of Auburne, is expected here Saturday for a few days.

Gussie, the youngest child of the late David Shanks is seriously ill at Mrs. E. Shanks's and little hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Mouth of Jemseg.

On Thursday last Mr. Glasier's Stmr. Flushing arrived at this wharf with about two hundred excursionists from Fredericton and various points along the river, accompanied by the Fredericton brass band. After remaining about three hours the Stmr. left at 4.30, all being well satisfied with the day's outing. They purpose returning in the near future, having been pleased with the pretty village of Jemseg with its mighty elms, which affords shelter from the hot sun during the day.

Mrs. Johnson and her aunt and Miss Johnson arrived by Stmr. Saturday from St. John and are occupying Mrs. Wm. Porter's house. They purpose remaining a few months.

Mr. Day arrived Saturday and spent Sunday with his wife and children, who are stopping at Lakeside.

Mr. Andrew Lattie of New York, U. S. A., formerly a resident of this place, spent a few days last week with his friends.

Miss Sinnott arrived last Saturday and has taken charge of the school.

Misses Chase and Boyd, of Upper Gagetown, are visiting friends in this village.

Stmr. Victoria did not arrive on Sunday the day being very dark and cloudy. Quite a number gathered from the surrounding villages to meet their friends but were disappointed.

Last week was another fine week for the hay-men and many tons have been stored.

All grain crops are looking fine throughout this section of country.

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Chipman.

The mammoth Box Social held last Wednesday evening, in aid of the new hall being built at Briggs' Corner was an unqualified success; as a monetary enterprise and social entertainment it will ever be memorable as a pleasant event in life's history to those who were present on that occasion. The very large attendance of ladies and gentlemen not only from the immediate neighborhood, but also from a distance speaks volumes for their generosity and kindness of heart in responding so nobly to the short notice given. To the fair sex, in particular, is due the crowning success of the social, in that they furnished so large a number of boxes and baskets well filled and gracefully ornamented which enlivened the sale at good prices.

Mr. Daniel Fowler acted as auctioneer and was kept pretty busy for an hour in disposing of the enticing parcels offered for sale. The bidding was lively and sometimes grew exciting as two or more rivals were in quest of the dainty basket or its owner. In this manner one of the baskets brought \$9.00, and the lowest sold for 45 cents.

The total amount realized from the sale of the baskets was \$70, and a further sum of \$38.80 was taken at the refreshment stand, making the total proceeds of the evening \$108.80.

This will about clear the hall of its present indebtedness; but the outside as well as inside will require considerable expense before the hall is finished. The committee of arrangements would embrace the opportunity of hereby tendering their sincere thanks to the ladies and other friends who aided in making the social such a crowning success.

The railroad bridge across the Washademoak at Cody's is impassable and trains are despatched from both ends of the Central line and meet at opposite ends of the bridge where passengers are obliged to change cars for the present.

James Flewelling, the local barber, has lately taken charge of the edger at which he is doing very good work in the King Lumber Co. mill.

Miss Mary Keith of Kings County has arrived here and to-day takes charge of the school at Briggs' Corner.

Mr. James Langin who left here about twenty years ago for Duluth is back on a visit to his friends.

Miss Sadie Langin is also back from Boston where she has been engaged for the last three years as a trained nurse.

A young daughter was added to the home of Mr. Hazen Henderson of Briggs' Corner, last Friday night, and Mrs. Williams, of St. John is taking care of mother and child who are doing well.

The last ten days of fine weather came at an opportune time for the farmers to get in their hay in good condition; but the present cloudy spell is hindering this business and may bring on the rust if it has not done it already.

Miss Annie Dohaney left today for Sea Dog Cove, Kings county, to resume charge of the school in that locality.

Miss Alice Dohaney has charge of the school in her own district this term.

White's Cove.

Wm. A. Farris has about completed painting the Hall and it looks well, and adds to the place.

Hon. G. W. White, of Centreville Car. Co., spent a few days with C. W. White last week, he called on several of his old friends.

Most of the farmers have their hay gathered in, it has been a fine crop.

Miss Tamar Gunter left on Saturday to take charge of the school at Young's Creek. Gordon B. Knight has the school at Mill Cove.

Miss Mary Orchard will take the school here for another term, she gives good satisfaction.

Dr. C. M. Hay of Philadelphia made a short visit at the Hon. L. P. Farris' last week.

Wm. McAuly of St. John is visiting his sister at Mill Cove.

Miss Johnson who has been visiting Miss Annie Gunter returned to her home at Brown's Flats on Thursday.

Miss Kierstead who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Farris and family left today for St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cromwell of the Narrows are visiting friends at the Cove.

Mrs. T. Foster and two children of St. John are visiting at H. E. White's.

A lot of Indians are camping on Taylor's Point.

Rev. Calvin Currie held service Sunday afternoon at Mill Cove.

Cody's Station.

Aug. 13.—While the train was crossing the bridge over the Washademoak the main span gave away, the crash was heard by the driver, Mr. John Duncan, and by rushing his engine over prevented what might have been a terrible accident. While the bridge is being repaired the Central is obliged to have a transfer across the river, thus making two trains a necessity.

While M. B. Dunham was cutting kindlings on Sunday morning his axe glanced and inflicted a severe cut in the wrist of the left hand. The wound was dressed by Dr. J. E. Hetherington of Chicago, who was obliged to take a number of stitches in it.

The annual picnic of the Baptist Sunday School of Thornetown will take place on Sept. 7th. A good time is anticipated.

Miss Autheretta Branscombe of the G. P. H., St. John, is home on her vacation.

Mrs. Robert Perry, of Portland Maine, is visiting at F. J. Perry's, Salmon Creek.

Manitoba's Grain Crop.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 12.—W. W. Ogilvie, the big miller, stated last evening that he had been over the province every year since 1876 and had never before seen anything to equal the prospects of the present time. If the weather is favorable for the next two weeks the yield will average twenty-five bushels to the acre, or fifty million bushels.

MARRIED.

ALLEN-SMITH.—At the Episcopal church, Oromocto, on July 27th, by Rev. A. E. Dibblee, W. K. Allen, secretary of the Fredericton Boom Co., to Cora B., daughter of Charles Smith, of Burton, Sunbury Co.

WASSON-ELLSWORTH.—At the residence of Eddington McLean, Cumberland Bay, Aug. 2nd, by Rev. L. J. Wasson, Fredrick S. Wasson to Mrs. Sadie A. Ellsworth, both of Cumberland Bay, Queens Co., N. B.

DIED.

VANVART.—The death occurred at Hampstead on Tuesday afternoon, August 1st of Alice Lillian VanVart, infant child of Annie and Samuel VanVart.

She was a bright little child and was seven months and one week old.

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Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

Mill Settlement.

Aug. 4.—A large number of friends attended the funeral of the late Mr. McFawn, Wed. morning. Mr. McFawn was for many years deacon of the F. B. Church here and will be much missed by the community. He was in his eighty-third year and leaves two sons and four daughters. The funeral was held from the F. B. Church and among those in the procession were members of the Orange Lodge. Rev. O. N. Mott preached an appropriate sermon from the words "For me to live is Christ, to die is gain."

Mrs. Hennesey of Boston is spending the summer at Henry Knorr's.

Miss Amelia Whaler of Boston is the guest of Miss Ada Shanks.

The blueberries are quite plentiful in this section and some of the people are doing a rushing business.

Miss Nellie Shannon is spending a few weeks at F. Byers's.

Miss Effie Fowler, of Cambridge Mass., is spending the summer at her home.

Rev. W. H. Perry will occupy the pulpit here on Sunday.

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Summer Hill.

Aug. 11.—The last two weeks have been very favorable for haying operations and a large amount has been housed, farmers in this vicinity are about through.

The most pleasant and enjoyable event of the season was the lawn social held at the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Corbett, of St. John, at Dunn's Corner on Tuesday evening, 8th inst., about fifty invited guests were present and spent the evening in various games and amusements. The party broke up about 11.30 after singing "God be with you till we meet again." All expressed themselves as having spent an unusually pleasant evening.

Miss Lorne Corbett left today to take charge of the school at Queenstown.

Rev. C. D. McIntosh (Presbyterian) will hold service in the Methodist church here on Saturday evening, 19th inst., at 7.30. Service in the Kirk next morning

at 10.30.

The annual missionary meeting in connection with the Methodist church will be held on Friday evening, 18th inst.

The blueberry trade is very dull here owing to scarcity of berries and low prices.

Clones.

Mr. Alfred Scott, of Head Line, and Miss Maggie Mitchell, of Clones, spent Sunday at Welsford, with Mr. Scott's uncle Mr. George Scott.

Mr. Harry Cooper of South Clones and Miss Millie McKinney of Summer Hill, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney, of Gagetown.

Mr. Gilford Appleby, of Lawfield, spent Sunday in Clones.

Miss Eveline Mitchell has returned home from Boston.

Mr. Nathaniel Stockford spent Sunday in Lawfield.

Mrs. Gorham, of Gagetown, spent Sunday with Mrs. Perry, of Lawfield.

Mr. L. Duun, of Dunn's Corner, spent Sunday at Armstrong's Corner.

Mr. Andrew Norwood has returned home from Portland, Maine, and is at present haying with Mr. Russell of Summer Hill.

Miss Maggie Johnston of Summer Hill, is spending a few weeks in St. John.

Wickham.

A few items from Wickham may be of interest to the readers of the Queens Co. Gazette.

The farmers here are, as elsewhere, busy haying. The hay crop in this locality is much above the average. Owing to the prevailing wet weather it will be difficult to gather the hay from the marshes and low-grounds. Crops in general make a pleasingly prosperous appearance.

A very severe thunder-storm passed over this place about a fortnight ago. A barn owned by Mr. Geo. Webster was struck by lightning, but the flames were extinguished in time to save the building.

Mr. Biard Logue has completed and painted his new residence, which now presents a charming appearance, inviting to the young ladies of the place. We congratulate Mr. Logue on his success in this enterprise.

Operations on the house of Geo. E. Montieth have been suspended until after haying.

Dr. M. H. McDonald is building a fine residence at Hampstead, where it is rumored he will reside after the present year. We regret to hear of his intended depart-

ure, as he and his family will be greatly missed in the social circles of the community.

Stmr. Hampstead which has been disabled recently, arrived here again last night.

Miss Minnie Foster has been ill of late. Dr. McDonald is attending her.

Mr. Geo. P. McCrae is suffering from a sprained ankle.

Miss Minnie McCrae has returned from Boston where she has been spending her vacation. She will take charge of a school, it is said, in a neighboring district.

Mr. W. W. Wright passed through here on his wheel, recently. He is travelling in the interest of the St. John Gazette.

Rev. O. W. White, evangelist of N. S. will hold divine service on the afternoon of Aug. 6th. Mr. White who has labored with the Wickham churches before is a welcome and esteemed guest at the homes of the community. We wish him Godspeed in his labor of love.

Miss Susie Brooks, of Gagetown, has been visiting friends at Bald Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, of New York, have moved to their summer residence at this place.

THE QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE is a welcome guest in many homes of this community. Newspapers in general are a great source of comfort and enjoyment as well as of education and enlightenment to those who are wise enough to avail themselves of them. They awaken an interest on the part of the reader, in the world around him, by bringing him in touch with regions beyond his reach; they carry him through the whole world explaining its wealth, physical and intellectual; letting him down to view the beauties and wonders of nature and of art, exposing and opposing fraud and corruption in the administration of the affairs of the political divisions of the earth; they make it possible for the people to establish and maintain free institutions; and although they are not always in harmony with truth, their influence is, in the main, as beneficial as world-wide. It is a shame that so many people deny themselves and their children this great gift of civilization—yet not always altogether without excuse. For it is a regrettable fact, that in some parts of our country, people do not subscribe for papers because it is so inconvenient for them to reach the Post Office.

To go no further than Wickham there is a large community called Bald Hill, having some twenty-five families residing therein, having no post office nearer than Wickham Corner, a distance of from three to five miles. This is a state of things