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Correspondence.

Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

Little River, Elgin.

Nov. 7.—Mr. Walter Wilson of this place has gone to Boston to work during the winter.

The farmers are quite busy at present ploughing.

The Sabbath school will continue till Xmas.

Mrs. W. Beaman is dangerously ill.

A very successful pie-social was held at Little River, where the sum of \$33.00 was raised for the support of their pastor, Rev. I. N. Thorne.

Rev. F. Beaman, who was visiting friends at this place, has returned to New York to spend the winter. He will return in the fall to China where he has been a missionary for the last five years.

Mr. Warren Jonah, music teacher, has got quite a number of scholars in this place.

2nd Moncton church has been revived after a series of meetings, lasting two weeks, by the pastor, Rev. I. N. Thorne.

The farmers of this place are busy waiting on the threshing machines, that are separating their large crops of oats, wheat and buckwheat from the straw.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Sold by all Druggists, large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

Flowers Cove.

Nov. 9.—Winter is fast approaching and nearly all the young men have departed for their homes in the forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Maloone who have been spending their vacation at her parents, have left for their home in Auburn, Me., accompanied by her sister, Miss Hattie Sypher.

Mr. Melburn Chapman of St. John paid a flying visit to his parents last week.

Messrs. Stanley Straight and Arthur

Chapman have gone to Quebec.

Capt. Benj. Flower of the wood-boat Leah D., accompanied by the mate, Mr. Brunswick Slocum, spent Sunday at the former's home.

Mrs. Amanda Wallace and son are visiting relatives in Gibson.

Mrs. James Flower was the guest of Mrs. M. P. Flower on Tuesday.

Misses Maysie McVicar, and Alma Flower were the guests of Mrs. Jas. Flower on Wednesday.

The young people of this place and vicinity enjoyed themselves exceedingly at a "Hallow'en Party" given by Mr. Walter Butler.

Mr. Daniel Mott passed through this place to-day.

Mr. Joseph Chapman, is doing an extensive business, ploughing for Mr. Jas. Flower.

A few days ago Mr. Whittaker, the Postmaster Inspector passed through this place.

Mr. Parker Bailey and sister Della, of Little River, were the guests of Miss Alma Flower on Sunday.

For Instant Relief

There has no anodyne been found so efficacious as Cook's Anodyne Liniment. It is the trusted friend of farmer, mechanic and sailor. For use both internally and externally. A reliable household remedy. Sold by all dealers in country districts. Price 25 cents a bottle. Large bottles, good value.

Chipman.

A racy if not roseate history is drawn in last week's GAZETTE by an anonymous writer, respecting the deportment of two of the fair daughters of a neighboring parish, while the Sheriff of Sunbury was endeavoring to serve an execution upon their aged father, Wm. Dorcy, of Northfield. The author of the article states that these two girls set a vicious dog upon Sheriff Holden and his horse which the defendants deny, but admit that one of them seized the sheriff's horse by the bridle to prevent the horse from trampling her underfoot. Lawyer Gregory will plead the defendants' case when it comes off in the County Court and thinks the girls will gain the verdict.

Messrs. Ebbett and Mercier have been very busy the past season in doing inside painting in this community. Those who have been fortunate in securing their services are loud in their praises and have no hesitancy in stating that they have turned out work that will compare more than favorably with the best painters of St. John. Mr. Wm. Ebbett is a young

man who hails from Gagetown and a workman who needeth not to be ashamed as his work will speak for itself and can be seen here at Mr. Andrew Darrah's who will take pleasure in showing admiring connoisseurs what a Gagetown boy can do.

Mr. Jacob Langley passed away last week after a lingering illness which he bore with Christian resignation to the Divine will. Mr. Langley was 84 years of age, and died at his daughter's residence at Brigg's Corner, viz.: Mrs. Hiram Briggs, where he lived since he returned from out west a year and a half ago. His daughter Mrs. Camp was also here from Colorado this summer, and his two sons Judson and Lemuel came on to bid a long farewell to their aged father. Beside these, two more sons live in the west, Theodore and Isaac, who were unable to visit their venerable parent before his death. Rev. Mr. McIntyre who conducted the funeral ceremonies paid a just tribute of respect to the memory of the departed as his remains were laid at rest in the Baptist burying ground at the mouth of Salmon Creek.

Harry King is the owner of a handsome English Pointer that has recently been brought over from England and is probably the most costly canine species in the county.

The May Queen has run her last trip to Chipman.

The wild geese are beginning to migrate southward.

We have mild weather for November and hope it may continue.

Bismark'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.

Cambridge.

Nov. 14.—Eight converts were baptized at Lower Cambridge on Sunday the 12th inst. by the Rev. J. Bennet Anderson, the Evangelist and Singer.

Meetings will be continued at Lower Cambridge on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week. Any one wishing to hear Mr. Anderson the great Evangelist and singer of London, England, will have an opportunity to hear him on the evenings named above.

A pie and basket social will be held at Macdonald's Cor. in the school house on Monday evening, the 20th inst. Come

one come all, as a good time will be in store for all who attend.

Mr. Wilfred Robinson of Big Cove passed through here on the 13th inst. on his way home from Young's Cove, where he had been spending a few days visiting friends.

Incendiarism at Hartland.

HARTLAND, N. B., Nov. 11.—A dastardly attempt to wipe out this thriving little village was made late last night. The old school building, which is very near the new one, and in the lower end of the village, was found in flames. While the firemen were working manfully to save the new building, the bell again sounded, and word was promptly handed in that fire was discovered in the basement of Bartt's two-story building in the upper and windward part of the village. The firemen responded promptly to this call, to find that the fire had already been extinguished. Some kerosene had been used, also rags near a cask of oil. The side of the new school building is badly charred with the fire and some glass broken. The fire policy for \$600 on the old building expired in September. The new building was to be occupied January 1st. Much praise is due the efficient fire department. The firebug has not yet been discovered.

Big Fire at St. John.

ST. JOHN, Nov. 11.—A disastrous fire commenced here about ten o'clock last evening, when the tannery owned by Thomas Peters, Union Street, was found to be on fire. Owing to the oils and inflammable finishing materials stored in the tannery, there was great danger in fighting the flames. Every now and then some cask of this material exploded sending into the air millions of sparks and burning debris. From the tannery the fire worked back to Brussels and toward Patrick streets. The house owned by John Peters is a total loss. The total loss is estimated at \$20,000. A brick house owned by G. A. Moore stopped the advance of the flames.

The fire evidently started in the boiler room of the tannery and its advance was very swift.

Fire and Loss of Life.

RENFREW, Ont., Nov. 10.—A. A. Wright & Co.'s large business block was gutted by fire early this morning.

For a time the whole upper portion of the business section was in great danger. The loss on the building stock is estimated to be between \$40,000 and \$50,000; insurance, \$15,000 to \$20,000.

Adam Bison, a bus driver of the Dominion Hotel, was killed by being caught under a mass of falling brick.

Terrible Battle.

PORTO CABELLO, Venezuela, Nov. 12.—General Paredes, a former commander in the army of ex-President Andrade, who had refused the demand made upon him by General Castro and the de facto authorities to surrender the town, even when this was re-inforced by the request of the British, American, French, German and Dutch commanders, surrendered this morning at 10 o'clock after a terrible battle. The aspect of the city is one of ruin and devastation, and it is estimated that upwards of 650 persons were killed or wounded during the fighting.

Dr. Braisted of the U. S. cruiser Detroit and the other surgeons of the various warships in the harbor are ministering to the wants of the wounded.

Gen. Ramon Guerra began a land attack upon the town and the position of Gen. Paredes on Friday night. Desultory fighting continued until Saturday morning, about 4 o'clock, and the fierce struggle ensued. Gen. Paredes made a stubborn defence, but Gen. Guerra forced an entrance into the town at 5 o'clock yesterday. As early as 8 o'clock in the morning the fleet arrived and began a bombardment, but the range was too great and the firing proved ineffective.

Gen. Paredes held the fort on the hill and Fort Libertador until this morning.

Porto Cabello is about twenty miles northwest of Valencia, on the Gulf of Tristo. It has a spacious, safe port, with a mole and good wharves. The population is about 9,000. Its import and export trade has been considerable. Leading articles of export are coffee, hides, skins, fustic, logwood and indigo. Prior to the bombardment it had a large municipal building, a customs house, a hospital, a charitable institution and many large and well kept warehouses.

Accused of Murder.

TORONTO, Nov. 9.—Two burglars entered the house of John E. Varcoe, grocer, Queen street East, early this morning, and in the endeavor to rob him shot Varcoe in the groin and right side. They then endeavored to escape, with the result that one jumped from the second story window and was badly hurt. The other was pursued by Policeman Dickson, who fired four shots at him, finally bringing him down. Both men were taken in an ambulance to the police station, where it was found they were Henry Williams and James McIntosh. Varcoe was removed to the General Hospital, where he died at seven o'clock this morning. The men under arrest now have to face a charge of murder.

First Canadian Wounded.

HALIFAX, Nov. 11.—A despatch from the War office to Capt. J. Taylor Wood, of this city, says his son, Lieut. C. C. Wood, North Lancashire regiment, was dangerously wounded in the head and breast in a skirmish near Belcourt yesterday. Wood was a graduate of Kingston Military College and twenty three years of age. He is the first Canadian to shed blood in the present war.

THANKS THE BRIDGE

Carried Safely Across the Chasm of Death by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Robert Moore, of Indiantown—St. John, N. B., lives to tell the tale—Suffered for Seven Years with Kidney Disease—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

INDIANTOWN, St. John, N. B., Nov. 13.—Robert Moore of this place is famous as the man who escaped death from chronic Kidney Disease by means of Dodd's Kidney Pills. He likens Dodd's Kidney Pills to a bridge which has carried him safely over the chasm of death.

He was travelling on a road still traversed by far too many people in this country—the road to the grave from one of the forms of Kidney Disease, including Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Heart Disease, Dropsy, Bladder and Urinary Affections, Women's Weakness and Blood Poisons. There is only one way of crossing this dark gulf and Mr. Moore speaks of it in the following letter written in answer to a correspondent:—

"For seven years I have been a victim of Kidney Disease, at times suffering the most excruciating pain. I had almost considered my case hopeless and had given up medical treatment. One day while I had been to get a plaster to apply to my back, a boy handed me a paper about Dodd's Kidney Pills. I came home. My wife undressed me, for I could not undress myself, and went to bed. Then my wife got a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills at Mr. Hoben's, the druggist on Main St. I used them and two more, when I was able to go to work.

"If any man misdoubts me let him come to me or any of my neighbors and they or I will soon convince him. I thank Dodd's Kidney Pills, the bridge that carried me over and lots of others to whom I have recommended them do the same. I wish all Kidney Disease victims could find the relief I have."