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JACKSONVILLE

Dec, 29th., 1913.

The members of the Baptist Church met at the Parsonage last week and made their annual donation to the Rev. Mr. Seely. The reverend gentlemen is a scholarly man and an earnest Christian worker. He well deserves the support in a financial way of his congregation and their hearty co-operation in all he undertakes for their spiritual uplift.

Miss Grace Emery is spending the Xmas holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Emery, after a successful term at Normal School.

George Margieson is leaving this week for Presque Isle, where he is employed. His many friends here were glad to welcome him during the holiday season.

Edward Whalen is spending his vacation with his parents,

after a successful term at the Fredericton Business College.

Miss Kate Whalen is at home, also her brother, John, who is a Freshman at Memramcooke College.

Miss Christian Tilley is with her parents for a short time. She returns in a few days to Limestone, where she has a school.

Basil Harper has been at Griswold lumber camp since November. He has returned, and will remain at home for the winter.

Miss Ramsey, who was the teacher for a year at Sharkey's Settlement, is spending her vacation with Mrs. Ansley Alton at Lakeview Cottage.

Messages have been received by several friends from Mrs. James Good, who is enjoying herself in California, where she makes her home.

Mrs. Delia Gartley with Master Earl is visiting with her late

husband's people in Gartley Settlement. Mrs. Payson, her mother, is a guest of her old friend, Mrs. Elizabeth Corbett, Woodstock.

Rev. and Mrs. George Ayers took Christmas dinner with Mrs. Andrew Wiley and family. The presence of Miss Adelaide, added much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Misses Helen, Ruth and Alma Harper are spending their vacation with their mother, Mrs. J. F. Harper.

BATH

Dec. 29th., 1913.

The ice closed in the St. John River at this point on Friday last and there is now good crossing.

Rev. G. A. Ross occupied the Methodist Pulpit on Sabbath, A. M.

John Ryan, Provincial Constable, and wife spent Xmas and a few days with friends at St. Stephens.

T. J. Carter, K. C., Barrister, at Andover, was a caller here on Friday last on professional business.

Robert L. Simms, of the U. N. E., Fredericton, N. B. and Mrs. Simms spent the Xmas holidays here with his brother and family.

Fred C. Squires, B. A. Principal of Woodstock Grammar School and Mrs. Squires spent their holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Squires, his father and mother.

Miss Florence Minard, of Providence, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Minard, here.

Miss Ethel Simms attended the Carleton County Teacher's Institute at Woodstock last week and will again have charge of the Holmsville school next term.

The Xmas Concert held in the United Baptist Church on Tuesday last was a good success.

Mrs. Adelia Currie was a caller in Bath on Monday. Mrs. Currie was a former resident here and has been in the West with her son, T. H. Currie, at Edmonton, for the past year.

Miss Augusta Campbell is spending her vacation here with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Parlee.

Bertram Campbell, who had charge of the Knowlesville school last term was a caller here last week on his way to attend The Teachers' Institute at Woodstock. He expects to attend Normal School the ensuing term for advance of Class.

FLORENCEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Long arrived home from Vancouver, last week to spend Christmas with relatives here.

The Presbyterian congregation of Greenfield, will hold their annual Christmas Tree and concert this evening 23rd 1913.

Miss Francis Kinney, is spending her vacation at her home Lower Greenfield.

Miss Hughena McCain, Perth, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCain.

Mrs. Holland Estey is visiting relatives in New York.

Stirling Kirkbride, Mt. Delight, was a visitor in the village on Monday.

School closed here on Wednesday, and our teachers attended the Institute at Woodstock.

The death of an old and respected resident occurred on Monday evening at her home, when Mrs. Dennis McGaffigan, wife of Dennis McGaffigan, passed away after an illness of two months. Two daughters, Misses Katherine and Mary survive, both at home. Mrs. McGaffigan was 89 years of age. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband and daughters.

UNVEILING OF NEW ALTAR.

The new altar for St. Gertrude's Church was unveiled on Christmas day before a large congregation. When the Montreal designer came to Woodstock he saw that inasmuch as the church was of the Gothic style of architecture, the altar should be Gothic design also. It is considered by the maker one of his masterpieces. It is high, filling the canopy of the church, light and airy. It is painted in white and gold; the pillars are of burnished gold, the capitals on pillars being hand-work. The fresco carving of the Lord's Supper is a fine piece of work; the three pinnacles are lighted by electricity, the wiring being done by Harry D Baird, T.H. Jules doing the painting, while A. F. McKinney set up the altar, which came in sections. The altar is a credit to the pastor, the congregation and the town in general.

In his remarks referring to the altar, the pastor, Rev. F. J. McMurray, said that the use of altars came down from the dawn of Christianity; the altar came before the use of churches. The excavations going on now in ancient Rome show that the early Christians had erected altars and worshipped in the catacombs until such time as Christians were allowed by Constantine to worship openly. Even before that time, the Jews offered up sacrifices on altars, including live animals. But with Christianity God designed the sacrifice, and Jesus Christ is offered up to His Heavenly Father. Take away the altar, and the sacrifice, and very little remains. Hence for centuries most magnificent churches have been erected, and in the early days the best architects in the world considered it an honor to give their best skill in erecting the richest of churches, in which are the altars dedicated to the honor and glory of God.

KIRKLAND

We have had a heavy fall of snow and slighs are being used

I wish all the readers of 'The Dispatch' a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Sanford Hawkes, of Maxwell, lost a horse worth about two hundred dollars.

Mrs. Margaret Bunting made a trip to Stockholm, Me. Her grandchild, Nina Graham, has been very ill.

Norman Crawford and Willie Davis arrived in this place from Fitchburg, Mass

Laura Dickison is expected from Lawrence, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dykeman made a trip to Benton recently.

Leon DeMerchant got hurt quite badly while working in the woods. A limb fell on his head.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carmichael, from Monicello, have been visiting relatives in this place.

Frazer Veness, agent of Benton, lost a man's fur coat and lady's black cloth coat with black fur collar coming through the Byan Road to Debec then to McKenzie Corner, and scotch Corner. Any person finding them please notify him.

Mrs Dennis McGaffigan

The death took place Monday Dec. 22, of Mrs. Mary McGaffigan, wife of Dennis McGaffigan, a prominent business man of Florenceville.

Mrs. McGaffigan was ill about two months and is survived by her husband, two daughters, Kate and Mamie, both at home.

The deceased who resided in Florenceville many years was known to many people of the County. She was a woman of kind and generous disposition and very highly respected by her friends and neighbors, who deeply regret her death.

The body was taken to St. John for interment.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Dennis McGaffigan took place on Thursday Dec. 25th from the residence of Miss Lynch, 141 Paradise row, where the body was taken on its arrival in the city on the late train Wednesday night from Florenceville. The funeral was at 11.30 a. m. to Holy Trinity church where Rev. J. J. Walsh read the prayers for the dead and interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

Rev. Father Chapman, V. G., an old friend of Mrs. McGaffigan read the final prayers at the grave. The pallbearers were, John Bohon, of Florenceville, and David and Frank and Charles Lynch, of St. John. Many old friends attended the funeral including Rev. Mr. Wetmore, pastor of Tabernacle Baptist church. The body was accompanied from Florenceville by the husband, two daughters, Miss Lynch, of St. John, and John Bohon.

—Telegraph, Friday.

James Burpee Brewer

James Burpee Brewer, who died at his home on Water street last Tuesday evening of Bright's disease, was born in Douglas, N. B. March 14, 1838, and was at the time of his death in his seventy-sixth year. On Jan. 21, 1861, he married Miss Caroline Yerxa of Richmond and to them were born eight children, four boys and four girls. Mrs. Brewer died a few years ago. The surviving children are three sons, Ham, Frank, and William, all of Boston, Mass., and two daughters, Mrs. E. M. Case of Chicago and Mrs. M. G. McLean of Woodstock.

Mr. Brewer is also survived by his second wife who was formerly Mrs. Grace Brewer of this town. She was to him a devoted wife and companion and cared for him most tenderly during his long illness.

Mr. Brewer was sick for about a year, and for a greater part of the time was confined to his room. He was a great sufferer, but to the last was a patient, resigned, trustful and courageous.

Mr. Brewer was a man of resolute character, a true friend, a worthy citizen, and a faithful member of the Advent Christian Church. The funeral services were held from his late residence at 3.30 o'clock on Christmas day. Rev. Charles F. King, Pastor of the Adventist church officiated and gave an address from Psalm 71:19 and 20, "O God, who is like unto thee. Thou, which hast quickened me great and sore troubles, shalt thouen me again, and shalt bring me up again from the depths of the earth."

Rev. A. E. LePage of Woodstock has collected from the friends in this district for the Bible Society \$128.45, which has been forwarded to the treasurer, Robert T. Hayes of the N. B. Auxiliary of the Canadian Bible Society. The Bible Society was organized in London, England, in 1803, and does a lot of good work. For instance there are between 70 and 80 languages, in Canada and the Bible is translated into these languages by the society. About the time that the society was organized, a Bible, that now sells for 25c. cost in the neighborhood of £.

Mrs. W. A. McCready, of Houlton, spent last week in town the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. McQueen.

Miss G. Henderson is spending New Years in Houlton, the guest of the Rev. H. G. and Mrs. Kennedy.

Mrs. A. Carson and the Misses Carson are visiting at Charles Flemming's Campbell Settlement.