

NEWSY ITEMS FROM NEARBY PLACES

Gathered by Graphic Correspondents.—Contributions to this Column are Solicited from every District of the Bay Chaleur.

FIVE FINGERS

This busy little village is now bustling with renewed activity, as the throngs of woodmen make their way to the camps, and the few discontented workers "wend their homeward way", after a brief stay. This village's business will be increased by the addition of a large camp operated by the Shives Lumber Co., Ltd., about seven miles from the village, under the management of C. Van Horn of Campbellton. Those who have visited this establishment, report it to be a model of its kind, being up-to-date in every report.

Re the bazaar held by the united villages of Five Fingers and Anderson, of which an account appeared in last week's edition, we are informed that the net proceeds of same amounted to over \$800, which will be expended in the building of the vestry of the church, and same will be used as a church the forthcoming winter. The main body of the church will not be built till next summer.

Many new buildings have been erected during the summer and much land cleared. Visitors to the place are struck with the rapid development. This and the adjoining village of Anderson, which will eventually be one, are growing like the proverbial mushroom.

The greatest drawback at present is that the frost strikes us with a vengeance on account of the small clearings, but in the course of time this disadvantage will have disappeared. The following article from the pen of Olaf O. Nylander, geologist, of the geological survey of Canada, who spent a few days in this section, will re-assure the settlers of a more prosperous future.

The limestone formations at Hazen Settlement, (I.N.R.), belong to the lower Silurian and are of the same geological horizon as the rocks of Grand Falls on the St. John river and those of Aroostook River in Maine.

The limestone rocks are much crumbled and fissured by natural forces and the movements of the earth's crust, consequently they decay easily and form the very best of soil.

This level country is very easy to work, and looks much like a rolling prairie when cleared. There is one peculiarity about this limestone land, that in wet seasons the limestone affords good under-drainage, and the soil is therefore light in very dry seasons the water stored in the limestone keeps the soil sufficiently moist to keep the crops in good growing condition.

Dr. Chas. J. Jackson, when making his survey of northern New Brunswick and Maine in 1837-38 predicted that the Aroostook Valley would be the granary of New England and his prediction has been verified.

The soil in Hazen Settlement possesses all

the elements of the Aroostook Valley, but has the advantage of being a more level and much larger territory than the latter. The greatest drawback at present is that the small clearings do not allow the free circulation of air and thus the early frosts take greater effect on vegetation. The slight difference in latitude and elevation will not make any perceptible difference after the land is cleared, and when the settlers have learned to adopt modern methods of farming it will be equal to the best of the Aroostook valley land.

NEW CARLISLE

Mr. Tedcastle Travers, Mr. Robert Hays and Miss Madge Ross have returned again to complete another year at the New Carlisle Academy.

Mr. F. Tibault of Paspebiac spent Sunday here.

Mr. Hamond of Paspebiac also spent Sunday here.

St. Andrew Church pulpit was filled last Sunday by two new clergymen, one of whom preached a very teaching sermon.

Many barns have been stored with hay and oats, which will be needed in due time.

CAPLIN

Our school reopened on Tuesday with Miss Florence Robinson of St. Godfrey as teacher. Owing to a much larger attendance this term, an assistant teacher will be required.

We notice the merry-go-round is again in our midst, which is causing quite an excitement among some of the old people as well as the young.

Some of our young people are taking advantage of the trout fishing this season, in the small stream known as McEwen's brook.

The fish though not very plentiful, average from two to five inches in length. Oh! you big trout.

Now that the blueberry season is over, some of our young ladies will have to look out for some other employment, as we notice great crowds have been swarming the plains. Blueberries are alright, but Oh! you gooseberry.

Miss Andrew has returned to her home in Campbellton, after spending some time with the Misses McEwen.

DALHOUSIE

Dalhousie, N. B., Sept. 10th.—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. R. Cragg and family left on Thursday for a trip to Bathurst, Bridgewater and Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McKenzie left on Monday for a trip to Boston and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. David Harquail of Campbell-

ton, spent Sunday here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Hasquail.

Mrs. Gordon Lee and son of Quebec, and Miss Bessie Bishop of Bathurst, are spending a few days here, the guests of their sister, Mrs. James B. H. Storer.

Miss Dorothy Granville of Halifax, who has been visiting the Misses Sheehan here for some time, returned to her home on Friday last. She was accompanied by the Misses Marguerite and Gereldine Sheehan.

Miss Lucienne Samson left on Wednesday for a visit to Quebec and Montreal.

Mr. Alex. K. Shivers of the Royal Bank of Canada, Campbellton, is relieving Mr. W. A. R. Cragg here.

Miss Bessie Delaney spent Wednesday last in Campbellton.

Miss Sue Scott returned to Montreal on Friday, where she will resume her nursing.

Mr. Allie LeBlanc left for Quebec on Sunday, where he will resume his studies at Laval University.

Miss Etie Coleman has returned from Campbellton, where she was visiting friends for a few days.

Mr. George E. Mercier and little grandson, Master Edward Magee, left on Monday for Moncton. While there, Mr. Mercier will be the guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. V. Magee.

Mrs. Willis Chipman and her two daughters of Toronto, who have been spending several weeks here, guests at the Inch Arnan House, left for their home on Monday. They were joined by Mr. Chipman in Montreal.

Mr. Basile Johnson, Sheriff of Kent Co. was in town on Sunday, and was a guest at the Queen.

Mr. Norman Carswell of Joliette, P. Q., was in town recently, the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. E. Stewart.

The many friends of Mrs. Reid, wife of Mr. James Reid, M. P., of Upper Charlo, Rest. Co., will regret to learn that she is ill at her home.

Rev. J. H. Kirk, who during the last eight years has been in charge of St. John's Presbyterian congregation in the parish of Dalhousie, and who was recently called to his native province Nova Scotia, and having accepted the call, his parishioners here have presented him with addresses accompanied with purses, such presentations were made at Point LaNim, Upper Charlo, Bel-River, Dalhousie Junction and Miller Settlement and Mrs. Kirk was the recipient of a handsome piece of cut glass by the ladies of Dalhousie Division. Rev. Mr. Kirk and his amiable family will be very much missed in Restigouche.

The Montreal Daily Telegraph and Witness having asked the question in one of its recent issues—"What qualities would you admire most in your husband?" Among the large number of replies received by the paper was one from Miss Lena Haddow, the talented daughter of Mr. George Haddow, Ex-M.P. of Dalhousie, who received the second prize of fifty dollars in cash.

Miss Margaret Baldwin returned last evening from Boston, where she has been visiting for a couple of weeks.

Miss Haddow is visiting friends in Madisco and Bathurst.

Mr. E. Rene Richard returned from Montreal on Monday, where he attended the meeting of the Bar Association.

Mr. E. R. Machum, of St. John, spent the week end here at the Queen.

Mr. A. G. Anderson, Ottawa was in town recently and stayed at the Queen.

Mr. A. G. Adams, Campbellton and Mr. Daniel McAlister, Jacquet River, registered at the Queen on Friday.

Th. W. E. Rowley, stomach specialist, of St. John, N. B., who practiced medicine in Dalhousie some years ago, was a visitor to town this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hilyard.

Mr. John Bateman of New York is visiting his father Mr. Nicholas Bateman. Mr. Bateman has made a success of newspaper work in America's greatest city.

Miss Annabella Stewart, who spent the summer with her sister at Glen Cottage, returned to Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Mr. J. Birmingham of Toronto was a guest at the Rectory this week.

NASHES CREEK

Miss A. Dumas, C'ton Grammar School Staff, visited friends here recently.

Mrs. Jno. Beattie attended the funeral of the late Allan Thompson in C'ton.

Rev. J. Z. Lambert paid Balmoral a short visit this week.

Miss Nellie M. Turvey, Jacquet River, was the guest of Miss G. E. McKay this week.

Miss E. M. McNair has returned to Antigonish where she will resume her duties for the coming term.

Mr. J. E. Wood of Kent Junction is now in charge of the station here.

Mr. Frank Hayes left this week for Chatham where he will take up a course in St. Thomas College.

Mrs. Wm. McNeish of Point La Nim is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellfield Blake are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

Mr. Jno. E. Hilde spent a few days at her home in Beledane.

Mr. Frank Walsh, C'ton, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Jas. Reid and Mrs. McMillan of Ch'lo, spent a few days here recently, the guests of the Misses McKay.

Jas. Hayes of C'ton spent Sunday with his parents here.

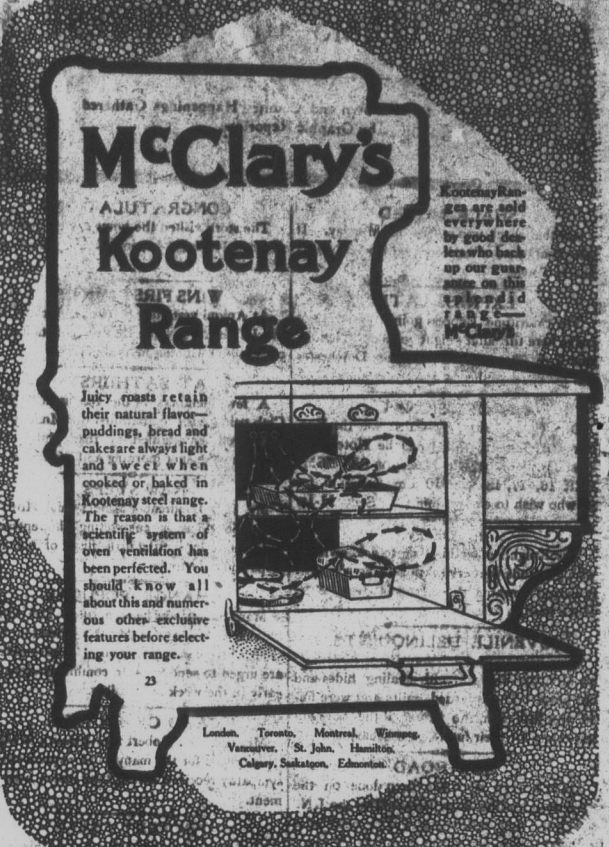
Mrs. Thos. Steeves visited friends in C'ton.

Mrs. Stephen Landry and daughter Blanche returned from a visit in Carleton P. Q.

Mrs. T. Hodsdet of New Bedford visited her home here for a few weeks.

Miss Jessie Ward, teacher of Teteagueche, spent Labor Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Ward.

Mr. Jho. Goulette of Windsor, Ont., who has been called home on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Goulette, Charlo, visited his brother, Mr. Joseph Goulette, for a few days.



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BLACK CAPE

Mr. Hugh Johnston left on Saturday for New Carlisle where he will remain for several days in the employ of Quebec Oriental Railway.

Mr. Ernest Steele drove to New Carlisle on Saturday accompanied by his sister Ruby.

We stated in our last notes that Miss Jessie Godfrey had gone up to Kings' Co. to teach school, but we have learned that she is still with us but expects to leave at a later date.

Mr. J. D. Morrison and Ernest Belanger returned on Saturday from a hunting trip but report game very scarce.

We regret to learn that Mrs. N. Cyr is very ill.

News is very scarce this week, but your correspondent hopes to be able to give the readers of the Graphic more news of interest next week.

NEW CARLISLE

E. Craib, of Aberdeen, Scotland, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. S. Gordon.

Miss E. Lebell, of Ottawa, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lebell.

Mrs. Davis has changed his place of residence, and is now living in the Judge Lezard blay place.

Mrs. J. H. Kelly and daughter Adeline left on Saturday for Montreal where Mrs. Antle will enter the Convent of the Sacred Heart.

Rev. Geo. Ambrose of Summerville, Mass. preached with much acceptance in the Presby. churches at New Carlisle and Paspebiac. Misses Jessie and Lily Smith left on Friday for Montreal to take up their winter work.

TAKES CHARGE

Rev. Gordon Firth will take charge till Christmas of the vacant congregation of Flat lands and Tide Head. Mr. Firth is now much improved in health.

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