

CORRESPONDENTS' CORNER

KING'S CO. SONS
OF TEMPERANCE
MEET AT CORNHILL

Cornhill, N. B., July 22.—The semi-annual session of the Kings County District Division was held here today, the gathering being a most successful and encouraging one. A business session was held in the hall at 3 p.m. at which the District Worthy Patriarch, T. S. McAuley, presided. The general business of the district was carried on and the report of the District Scribe, Bro. H. A. Corbett, was very favorable. He reported all the Divisions in the District, except one in a flourishing condition, with an increased membership, and a new Division had been organized at Centerville. The delegates gave encouraging reports from their respective Divisions.

The arrangement of the time and place of the next semi-annual session was left to the executive, with a pressing invitation to go to Harelock Division. A public meeting was held in the evening at which T. S. McAuley, D. W. P. presided, when the following programme was carried out:—
Chorus—"Oh Canada."
Prayer—Rev. Thos. Mitchell, Sussex.
Address of Welcome—Mr. Keith, Cornhill.
Solo—Miss Burlock, Cornhill.
Recitation—Mary Stockton, Cornhill.
Speech—J. E. McAuley, Lower Mill stream.
Duet—Miss Mary and Mr. Stockton, Cornhill.
Recitation—Miss Nettie Coates, Cornhill.
Address—Rev. Thos. Mitchell, Sussex.
Recitation—Mrs. Geo. Keith, Cornhill.
Solo—T. S. McAuley, Lower Millstream.
Address—Mr. Branscombe, Cornhill.
Address—H. A. Corbett, Lower Mill stream.
Instrumental music and collection.

A vote of thanks was given Rev. Thos. Mitchell, of Sussex, for the eloquent address he delivered, and on behalf of the District Division, a vote of thanks was given to the people of Cornhill for their hospitality to the delegates of the subordinate divisions. The meeting was considered a decided success and came to a close by singing the National Anthem and benediction by Rev. T. Mitchell.

NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, July 24.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hare, Whitney, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Monday evening when their second daughter, Olive, was united in marriage to Mr. Perley W. Morton of Campbellton. Rev. M. S. Richardson, assisted by Rev. Mr. Allibee performed the ceremony in presence of a large gathering of friends of the young couple. After the ceremony luncheon was served and Mr. and Mrs. Morton drove to Newcastle, where they took the Maritime express for Campbellton where they will reside.

Lieut. Cecil Smith of the 55th Battalion, Valcarier, is spending a few days at his home in Chatham. Miss Inez Brown and Mrs. Johnson of Brookton, Mass., are spending the summer with their mother, Mrs. Grace Brown. The new Opera House was opened last evening with a social dance and was largely attended. The marriage of Miss Myrtle Moorehouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moorehouse, Upper Blackville, to Mr. Victor N. Dunphy, was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents on Monday last. Rev. A. W. K. Dunlop performed the ceremony in the presence of about fifty guests. The bride stood beneath an arch of evergreen and wild roses. The bride, who was unattended, was given a white crepe de chene, with lace and ribbon trimmings. Dinner was served after the ceremony and the happy couple left on the Fredericton express for St. John and other eastern parts. The bride's going-away dress was of cream Panama cloth with picture hat.

MILFORD

Milford, July 25.—Mrs. Thomas Snodgrass and her mother, Mrs. James Carson, are visiting friends in Maine. Mrs. M. J. Curry is home from Boston, visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles Harrington, Kingsville. Miss Christina Irvine left by boat Tuesday morning for Cole's Island where she will visit friends. Miss Florence Coughlan, of Toronto, is spending her vacation at Mrs. Wm. Mackey, Kingsville. Miss Margaret Logue, of Boston, is visiting the Misses Driscoll. Men have been at work for some time renewing the sidewalks and widening them, which is a great improvement. A whole new plank sidewalk has been laid in Kingsville which was much needed. The sidewalks of Pleasant Point have also been repaired. The both school houses are being repaired.

At the school meeting Mr. Thomas Snodgrass was appointed trustee. Mr. Edward Ferris for many years was trustee of the Milford Superior school. Friends will be sorry to hear he has resigned his position. Miss Mamie Marley, of Sussex, is visiting Miss K. Marley of Pleasant Point. Mrs. Garfield Brown, of St. John, is staying with her aunt, Miss Ada Driscoll for a few days. Mrs. J. C. Templeton, of Hartford, Conn., is visiting Mrs. Wm. Palmer, Kingsville.

SHEDIAC BRANCH
OF THE RED CROSS
RAISES MORE MONEY

Shediac, N. B., July 23.—One of the most enjoyable events of the season took place Thursday afternoon and evening when the Red Cross Society of Shediac Cape held an ice cream social and sale of home cooking on the pretty grounds surrounding the home of the president, Mrs. Otto Mills at the West End. The grounds reflect great credit on those who gave their time and talent in making them so attractive on this occasion. A special feature of the decoration was the entrance gateway, on each side of which poles had been erected and from them the Union Jack and Stars and Stripes wafted to the breeze. Over the gateway a sort of keystone effect had been arranged having a white background, surmounted with a large red cross. Small tables were placed over the lawn one portion of which, known as the "Nemo," was a fairyland in its attractiveness. Mr. Tracy Hubbard of Boston, who with his wife and children are spending the season at the Cape, was instrumental in beautifying the surroundings for the event. Mr. Hubbard lost a brother-in-law at the battle of Mons, and at present has a brother in the British Aviation Corps. The members of the society have reason to feel gratified at the highly successful results. The proceeds realized \$15.60. This amount included the sale of tickets on a quilt, \$16. The quilt was made in the society and won by Mrs. Harvey Bateman of the Dorchester Road. The ladies in charge of the event included the president, Mrs. Mills, who acted as hostess, the secretary, Miss Beal, and the treasurer, Mrs. Alvin Murgidge. Owing to illness in her family the vice-president, Mrs. E. Taylor, was unable to attend. The home cooking table was presided over by Mrs. Jas. Atkinson, and Mrs. John Weiling. The candy table was in charge of Mrs. Baird, and Miss Sturges. Others to assist at serving ice cream and in various ways were Mrs. Glasby, Miss Beal, Mrs. A. L. Murgidge, Mrs. George Tait, Miss Mary Bateman, Miss Gussie Bateman, W. Murray, Miss Winnie Murray, Miss McRoberts and Miss A. Mills. A delightful outing to all attending was the motorboat party, dinner and tea picnic, on Shediac Island on Thursday given by some of the ladies to visitors in our midst.

The town and all the seaside resorts in the vicinity are filled with visitors. Rev. Isaac Howe, who has been ill for some time, is at present very low.

BATH, N. B.

Bath, N. B., July 22.—The work of placing the boiler in the new mill to be erected at the mouth of the Monquart Stream at this place by John Hayes is in progress. When this mill is at work it will supply a long felt want in the town, as it has been some time since such an industry was here. Formerly this place had two saw mills, one known as the Bohan Mill and one on the site of the Grind Mill of C. E. Giberson, which burned a few years ago.

William P. Payson of Patten, Me., was a caller here last week and during his stay was guest with Rev. G. A. Giberson. Fred C. Squires and wife and child are visiting his father and mother here.

Matthew Gallagher is preparing to move to the George Milbury residence, vacated by his daughter Mrs. William A. Squires, and Mr. Milbury alone since the death of his wife has come to live with Mrs. Squires at Upper Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sherwood, Centerville, N. B. were visitors to this town yesterday. A. R. Foster of Middle Simonds was here today on private business with his motor car.

Dr. A. P. Wyman of Beechwood was a caller here today. The doctor is looking well for a man of his years. John V. Kearney of Woodstock, and who is a commercial traveler for a well known Montreal firm, has spent several days in town.

The Red Cross Society met at the home of Miss May Giberson this afternoon. Mr. Harley Watson of Woodstock, but a former resident of this parish, where his wife's relatives reside, and now a volunteer at Valcarier, passed through here yesterday. He expects soon to go to the front. Miss Edan Giberson left yesterday to visit friends at Old Orchard, Me. Miss Elizabeth Maddox (Chester) was a caller here today. Miss Maddox is spending her vacation at her old home (Chester). She is a teacher in one of the large schools at St. Johns, Newfoundland. William Miles of Moniac was a caller here today where his many friends were pleased to see him.

KINGSTON

Kingston, K. Co., July 23.—H. C. Rickard attended the summer school at Sussex. The young people at Clifton held a public dance in the hall on Wednesday evening. A. C. Thompson and Mr. Olive of Hampton passed through on Sunday last. Mrs. Major Osborne and little daughter spent the week end at the summer

ENTERTAINMENT
AT BLOOMFIELD
STATION A SUCCESS

Bloomfield Station, July 23.—The I.O. G.T. held a concert and a strawberry and ice cream festival on Thursday evening.

Being at night and the roads in good condition a large and appreciative audience was present, a number drove down from Norton. The hall was nicely decorated for the occasion by a number of the young girls and boys belonging to the lodge, with the flags of the different nations, maple leaves, the emblem of our Canada, daisies, ferns and tiger lilies.

W. D. Hatfield acted as chairman, the organizers of the evening being the Misses Grace Westmore and Lottie Theall. The programme was as follows:

Chorus, "The Best Old Flag on Earth," by the members of the lodge.
Reading, "Buy Your Own Cherries," Miss Annie Floyd.

Chorus, "When Jack Comes Back," young ladies of the lodge.

Banjo solo.
Recitation, "Guilty or Not Guilty," Miss Zeta Williams.

Selection from "Happy Home Orchestra," Banjo solo.

Chorus, "I'm a Long Way from Tipperary," member of the lodge.

Recitation, Annie Floyd.

Solo and chorus, "When You Were a Tulp and I were a Big Red Rose," Banjo solo.

Solo and Chorus, "Your King and Country Need You."

Selection from "Happy Home Orchestra," Duet, "Sing me the Rosary," Miss Lottie Theall and James Sherwood.

After the programme was concluded strawberries and ice cream were sold and a very social time was spent. The sum of \$18 was cleared, which is to go towards the motor ambulance from New Brunswick.

W. E. S. Westmore, supervisor of the roads of the parish of Norton, who has been repairing the roads of his district, is now at Norton repairing the roads around the station.

Misses Belle and Ethel Brittain, of Hampton, spent Friday with Mrs. H. H. Cochran.

A. P. Cowell's mother, who has been visiting here has returned to her home at Jemseg. She was accompanied to St. John by her granddaughter, Persia Little May Provan has returned home after spending some time with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Purdy, Lakeside.

Pte. John Bussey, St. John, spent the week-end at his home here.

Stirling and Roy Parlee, Parleeville, were here Friday attending the funeral of their cousin, Stanley Wetmore.

Mrs. Roy Parlee, Parleeville, spent Sunday the guest of her aunt Mrs. O. A. Wetmore.

Masters Ernest and Chester Baxter are spending their vacation with their mother Mrs. W. E. S. Wetmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Springer, Jemseg, were here spending a few days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cowell.

Miss Mabel Perkins, Belleisle, was the week end guest of Mrs. E. A. Hare.

Mrs. L. McLean and Miss Helen Hartshorn, St. John, are visiting the former's brothers, B. W. S. Titus.

Little Marie Kelley, who has been visiting friends here returned to her home in St. John Tuesday.

Miss Ina Brown, Salsbury, is spending a few days with friends here.

Mr. Lemon and daughter Wilfred, St. John, are visiting at the home of H. H. Cochran.

Mrs. Geo. R. Davis, who has been visiting friends in Fredericton, has returned home.

Mrs. C. L. Flewelling left on Wednesday for Waterford where she will visit her daughter Mrs. H. J. deForest.

Miss Ada Wetmore, Miss Fannie Hughton, Boston, and Miss Georgie Ryan, Wallaston, Mass., are spending their vacation with their parents here.

Miss Janet Campbell, St. John, is visiting her cousin, Miss Jennie Campbell.

A very heavy electric storm visited this place early Sunday morning, although the lightning was very close no damage was done as far as reported.

Thos. J. Mulray, who is to fill the vacancy as courier, caused by the death of Stanley Wetmore, made his first trip on Wednesday in his auto.

The Red Cross Society which was organized here several months ago, have been doing excellent work. The second box of articles made were shipped to St. John the last of June. It contained 2 doz. shirts, 6 doz. towels, 7 doz. face cloths, 2 doz. pair socks, 5 doz. handkerchiefs, 3 rolls of bandages, etc. Owing to the wet weather on Wednesday no meeting was held.

The friends of F. L. Titus heard with regret of his illness and hope he may soon recover.

Mrs. Medley Provan and little daughter Freda are visiting her parents Mrs. W. Purdy, Lakeside.

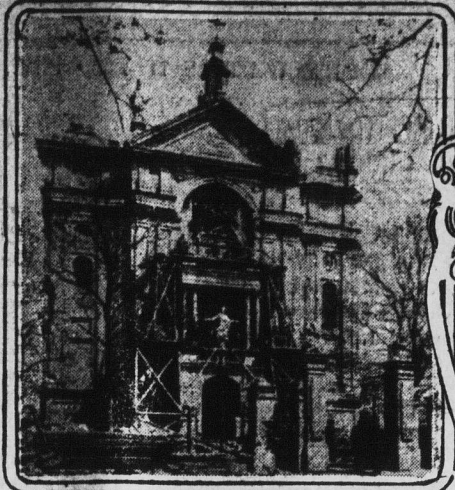
Mrs. C. I. Hughton spent Thursday with her parents in Passakeag.

home of Dr. and Mrs. Cartier. Miss Fowler of New York is the guest at Mrs. Collins Belyea's. Miss Georgie Seeds of St. John is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. C. Whelpley.

Mrs. C. Upham of St. John is visiting at Mrs. C. Belyea's. Miss H. V. Whelpley of Brookline, Mass., is visiting her brother A. C. Whelpley.

The many friends of Walter Chase will be glad to hear that he is mending slowly.

THE RUINS OF FAMOUS RUSSIAN CHURCH, DESTROYED BY CANNON



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ROKITNO, PARTLY RUINED



RUIN COMPLETE AFTER BOMBARDMENT

The famous church of Rokitno, near Warsaw, was destroyed in a battle between the Germans and Russians last October. The Germans first shelled it and then, capturing the hill on which it is located, mounted guns in the partially ruined towers. The Russians in turn shelled the church, completing the wreck. The foundation of this church was laid in 1631; architects from Greece and artisans from Italy went to Poland to superintend the construction. It was not completed until 1800. It contains a thronelike figure of the Virgin, which was not destroyed during the bombardment and the peasants for miles about are now making pilgrimages to the ruins to gaze upon the "Miracle of the Sacred Shrine."

WELSFORD

Welsford, July 22.—Mrs. Colston and daughters are spending a few weeks at Welsford.

Robert Wheaton son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheaton of Clarendon left last week for Sussex, having volunteered for the front.

Mrs. Gray, (who taught school some years back at Gaspereaux) of St. John, and Mrs. Horst's mother are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoyt, Clarendon Station.

Mrs. Kincaid and Mrs. Lovett of Boston, Mass., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roberts, Clarendon.

Mrs. Cairns of Boston, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roberts, Clarendon.

Mr. P. A. Nason, who has been away on his vacation has returned.

The Orangemen attended divine service at the parish church, Headline, on Sunday afternoon last, and an appropriate sermon was delivered by the chaplain of L. O. L. No. 111.

The hymns appointed were heartily sung. Nurse Wilson presiding at the organ. The congregation was very large and the weather ideal.

The Welsford picnic, postponed from Saturday on account of the unfavorable weather, took place on Monday when the weather was ideal. Two trains left the city, one at 9:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m., on account of the necessitated postponement from Saturday by reason of the heavy rain that morning and Monday not being a half holiday in the city the attendance was not as large as at previous picnics. Still there was a great number present.

The City Cornet Band was in attendance and played selections. The picnic is something that is looked forward to by all and besides providing a day's pleasure and outing it gives everyone the enjoyment of meeting friends and relatives. It was in every way an enjoyable picnic and all returned home having had a nice time.

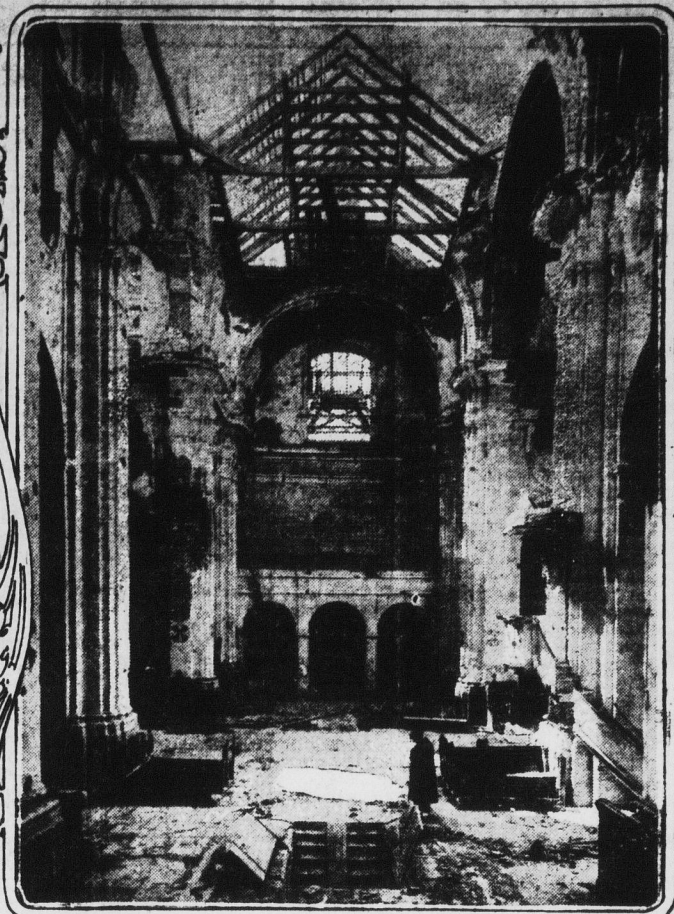
From the city and its suburbs returned having spent a delightful day in the country. Meals were provided by the ladies of the Church of England who catered in their usual efficient manner. The winner in the bean bag competition was Mrs. James McCracken of Bladon who was awarded the prize of a glass tumbler. The winner of the brass umbrella stand in the bowling competition was Miss Perry of St. John, whilst Mr. James Mitchell of Armstrong's Cornet Band won the prize.

Mrs. H. W. Parlee and family of St. John are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Speight and daughter Kathleen of St. John are visiting friends here.

Reta Dykeman of St. John is spending her holidays with Mrs. A. Purdy. Albert Colwell of P. E. I. is spending a few days at home.

Mrs. H. W. Parlee and family of St. John are visiting relatives here.



RUINS OF ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ROKITNO

BELLEISLE STATION

Belleisle Station, July 23.—Mr. A. Keirstead was the guest of his brother Mac Keirstead on Friday.

Arthur Fowler is spending a few days in Midland.

Mr. H. Perkins and wife are visiting friends on the hill before returning to Boston.

A young son has arrived at the home of Chesley Vail.

J. Muir lost a horse last week. The ice cream parlor was well patronized on Saturday, proceeds go to the Red Cross fund.

Borden Fowler spent last week at Collina.

Mrs. A. Gillis is with her daughter, Mrs. Sherwood, Midland.

Arthur Gillis went to St. John this morning.

The cultivated berries are about done. Reports are that the blue berries are not going to be as plentiful as usual.

Maggie Lang is visiting friends in St. John.

Mrs. Hughes and son are spending the summer months in this place. The farmers in the surrounding country are about commencing haying.

WHITEHEAD

Whitehead, July 24.—Some of the congregation of St. Paul's church under the management of Miss Annie Megaw served dinner and tea to the Orangemen of White's Mills, Whitehead and other lodges from the surrounding country on July 12th, 1915.

The Orangemen headed by the wife and drum band of White's Mills, with two popular soldiers (belonging to that place now in the 50th) carrying the L. O. L. banner, marched from the hall to Mr. A. E. Megaw's. After playing several selections they disbanded and dinner was served. Many outside the order were present so the band of willing workers were kept busy.

After dinner there were games for which prizes were given. It is worthy of note that both the first and second prizes of one game were won by two of the oldest men of the place, one being an octogenarian and the other nearing that mark.

The proceeds which amounted to \$100 clear are to go towards purchasing news for the church.

Mr. T. E. Leonard and Emerson Roberts who are working at Queenstown, N. B., spent the holiday at their homes at Cady's.

H. M. Leonard and W. D. Cady spent the week end at their homes.

Miss Louise Cady, who for the past year has been teaching at Cumberland Bay, Queens Co., N. B., is spending the holiday with her father Mr. Wm. Cady of Cady's.

Miss Violet Perry, St. Stephen is the guest of her father Mr. Fred Perry of this place.

Miss M. M. Somerville, Glenside, Sask., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Somerville, Cady's.

Mrs. Robert Hickson and daughter Verna were the guests of Miss Laura Keys this week.

Mrs. Havelock Roberts of Minto was the guest of Mrs. Roberts at the station this week.

Mrs. Mabel Somerville from St. Stephen is spending her holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tilley Somerville.

GERMAN SOLDIERS AS FARMERS IN NORTHERN FRANCE



GERMAN SOLDIERS AT WORK IN NORTHERN FRANCE IN PEACEFUL OCCUPATIONS. Far from the sound of bullets and the roar of cannon are these German soldiers, who are seen at work as farmers ploughing the land in Northern France. These soldiers have made great headway in preparing the land for the crops and seem to prefer this peaceful occupation to that of fighting.

