

CORRESPONDENTS' CORNER

BLOOMFIELD STATION

Bloomfield Station, Feb. 16.—The Valentine bean supper and entertainment which was held Monday evening, Feb. 14th, under the auspices of the Bloomfield Station and Central Norton branch of the Women's Institute proved a great success in every way. The hall and tables were nicely decorated by the committee, the Misses Annie Floyd, Edna Burnett and Edna Raymond, assisted by a number of young folks who, though not members, are greatly interested in the work of the Institute.

The supper was a bountiful one. The committee, Mesdames E. Frank Hayes, James A. Floyd and T. Warren Tins, having solicited from all who were willing to help the cause along with a very ready and willing response.

Tickets were also sold for a matinee and donated by Mrs. Dyer to the Women's Institute, to dispose of as they thought best, the money received for it to be used for the soldier boys at the front. Mrs. Dyer was most anxious to help in some way and could think of nothing else she would do so well. Many thanks are due her for her kindness.

After supper the Rev. Mr. Parker, who most kindly and ably acted as chairman of the evening, called all to order and the following programme prepared by the entertainment committee, the Misses Lottie Theall, Annie Floyd and Edna Burnett, was carried out.

Chorus, O Canada.
Recitation, Mr. Lorne Saunders.
Solo, Miss Peris Colwell.
Reading, Miss Cora E. Floyd.
Instrumental selection, orchestra.
Recitation, Miss Bernetta Fleming.
Speech, Mr. Lawson MacVey.
Song, Misses L. Theall, A. Provan, E. Burnett and L. Ditchrist.
Instrumental selection, orchestra.

The contest for the mat was then decided and ticket No. 42 was declared the winning number, and was held by Mr. Newton Veysey.

The chairman in behalf of the Institute then thanked all present for their kind and willing help.

The singing of the National Anthem with orchestra and the presentation brought to an end a very enjoyable and successful evening.

Sixty-three dollars was realized and although there will be some expense and a small amount, taken out for yarns for socks for the soldiers, the members of the Institute hope to forward the greater portion of it to the Belgian Relief Fund in the near future.

PORT ELGIN

Port Elgin, Feb. 16.—Miss Dorothy Prichard, of Amherst, spent the weekend at her home here.

Miss Maryjane Egan is visiting friends in Moncton.

Mr. J. W. Webster has returned from a business trip to Moncton.

Mr. Elliott of M. Allison occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church here on Sunday evening, owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. C. K. Hudson.

Miss Sabra Oulton has returned from visiting friends in Sackville.

Miss Mary Fitzpatrick, who has spent the past three weeks at her home here, left on Saturday for Aroostook Junction where she has accepted a position.

Wenecks Lodge, I.O.O.F., this week, raised \$22 toward the Belgian Relief Fund. The daughters of the Empire also contributed \$25 toward the same fund.

The Port Elgin Division held a basket social in their hall on Friday evening. A nest sum was realized.

A hockey match was held in the rink here on Thursday evening between the town boys and the soldiers, the town boys being the winners.

Dr. H. R. Carter is confined to his home with a severe attack of grippe. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

High up on the sunny slopes of the Ceylon hills are grown the carefully guarded tea plants whence "SALA DA" is selected. Nothing but the finest and freshest leaves are used, and no dust is found in the sealed "SALA DA" packets.

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Better health will follow.

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HATFIELD POINT

Hatfield Point, Feb. 16.—A number of young folks and members of the Ladies' Sewing Circle enjoyed a sleigh ride to Belleisle on Friday evening, returning to Dr. T. B. Fraser's, where a very dainty supper was prepared by the ladies. Games and music were enjoyed after the supper, then as it drew near a late hour a vote of thanks was tendered the host and hostess for their hospitality, and bidding good night all returned to their homes, thinking they had spent a very enjoyable evening.

Miss Ada Parlee has returned to Hatfield Point after spending some time at her home at the Narrows.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allingham, Gagetown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Short on Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Maud Short returned to her home on Wednesday after spending over a week in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wetmore and granddaughter Helen, have left for New York, where they expect to spend the remainder of the winter months with their daughter, Mrs. H. S. Newman.

Mr. F. C. Linkletter has returned to St. John after spending some time in this community.

Mrs. F. Jones and Mrs. Y. Burns have left for St. John today.

Mrs. Burns expects to return to her home in Seattle, Wash., in the near future.

Mr. Chip McFarlane, Moncton, has returned with more men for his lumber crew some miles back of here. He reports a big cut of lumber this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Cain and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Short spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sprague, Springfield.

Mr. Milton has taken charge of school at Keirsteadville.

Mr. Oscar Seb and M. Hornecastle have returned home from St. John for a short time.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle meets this week at the home of Mrs. H. J. Nobles Grant.

Belleisle Station, Feb. 15.—Mrs. John Bell, Searsville, is quite ill of pneumonia.

Mr. C. Neill, who has been ill is improved.

Several from here attended the Sunday School Convention at Midland on Thursday last.

Mrs. Branscombe and Mrs. Henderson attended the Ladies' Guild at Springfield on Thursday.

Mr. A. Brooks spent a few days of last week in St. John. B. Brooks is home for a few days.

The Misses Knowles spent a few days of last week at the home of A. Northrup.

Clarence Gillies has recovered from his recent illness.

Mrs. Constance and children are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Perkins.

Cold is very prevalent here, a number of people being affected.

Mrs. Vail and daughter, Myrtle spent a day of last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Vail.

Marysville, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Thomas Crowley left Tuesday evening for her home in Boston, Mass.

Mr. Duncan Buchanan's condition is not as favorable as it was a few days ago.

Miss Minnie Holmes left for Brookton, Mass. on Tuesday evening, where she has accepted a position. Her many friends regret her departure.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Peterson leaves tonight to visit friends in St. Stephen, N. B.

Mr. Jack Arnold is leaving this evening for Searsville, Maine, where he has accepted a position with the B. & N. Railway.

Miss Doris Robinson of St. Stephen is visiting friends in Marysville.

The teachers of the Marysville teaching staff held a snowshoe tramp to Wadsworth on last evening; an enjoyable time was spent by all.

GRAND FALLS

Grand Falls, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Charles F. West and little nephew, Master Frederick Larrabee went to Presque Isle Tuesday.

There was a social and dance in MacLaren's Hall Monday night. About twenty couples attended and enjoyed a good time.

Mrs. Sisson of Plaster Rock is the guest of Mrs. N. Giberson this week.

Mrs. M. Harley, who has been spending a month with her sister, Mrs. Brown, in Woodstock is home again.

Geo. A. Phair of Limestone was a recent visitor in town.

Chester Johnston of Fort Fairfield is visiting at F. B. Wilson's.

Miss Caroline Wilson, nurse of Allston, Mass., is in town caring for her mother, Mrs. L. W. Wilson, who has been very ill.

Private Fred Bell spent Sunday at his home here, returning to Woodstock Monday.

Miss Hattie Foster went to Waterville, Maine, Saturday.

Mrs. Purvis is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. E. Ladgate spent the weekend with relatives in town.

PEEL

Peel, N. B., Feb. 15.—Mrs. John Corey and Ensign Corey drove to Jacksonville on Saturday where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Corey.

Mrs. Felix Pelkey of Lansdowne is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Maud Clark.

C. A. Rideout returned home on Monday after spending some time in Toronto and Hamilton.

Mr. Oscar Seb and M. Hornecastle spent the weekend at her home in Lansdowne.

Mrs. John Golding spent last week in Bath with relatives.

Rev. P. J. Quigg is engaged in evangelistic services in Wakefield. In this case Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Quigg on Tuesday for Woodstock where they are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Mayner.

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NOTICE

By order of the Council of the Municipality of the City and County of Saint John a Bill will be presented at the next Session of the Legislature of New Brunswick for enactment entitled "An Act Respecting Permanent Sidewalks in Lancaster."

The object of the Bill is to authorize the Municipality of the City and County of Saint John to issue bonds amounting to \$15,000, and pay proceeds to Lancaster Highway Board of Permanent Sidewalks and to enable the Highway Board to borrow money from time to time for Highway purposes.

JAMES KING KELLEY,
County Secretary.

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Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Small Retail Fish Market.

Fresh fish is still scarce, retailers saying that they have experienced some difficulty in filling orders. Cleaned haddock and cod sold yesterday at 10c per pound; gaspareaux, 7c each; fresh herring, 25c to 40c per dozen; swordfish, 18c per lb.; halibut, 18c; smelt, 15c per lb. Clams have increased from 20c to 25c per quart; oysters are cheaper and are sold at 10c per quart. Dried fish has been in good demand, with practically no changes in prices, except as regards flann haddock, which has increased two cents per pound, the present quotation being 12c as compared with 10c, a week ago.

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NOTICE OF SALE

There will be sold at public auction at Chubb's Corner in the City of St. John, on Saturday the twenty-sixth day of February instant, at twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to notice of sale duly served, the following lands and premises:—

"All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate lying and being in the Parish of Greenwich in the County of Kings and Province of New Brunswick and bounded as follows, viz:—On the front by the waters of the Mistake Cove (so called) and having a width on the said Cove of sixty rods, on the west by lands now owned and occupied by Zeblon Richards, on the north by the Island Lake Brook (so called) on the east by lands owned and occupied by Emma Brundage and John Brundage and on the south by the aforesaid waters of the Mistake Cove (so called) containing one hundred and seventy-five acres more or less, the same being Kimble's Manor, so called."

Terms of Sale—Half purchase price down and half on delivery of Deed. R. F. POTTS, Auctioneer.

Phone 978.

Public Notice is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Provincial Legislature entitled "An Act respecting the Saint John Railway Company."

The objects desired to be attained by this Bill are:

(1) To authorize the Common Council, whenever deemed expedient, to change or fix the grade of any street or fix the grade for any street for which no grade has been determined, and to compel the Saint John Railway Company to raise or lower the rails of its railway so as to conform to such grade.

(2) To compel the said Company to lay concrete foundations between the rails of the railway and under the ties thereof so far as such rails extend along the length of any street in which the city shall lay, or give notice of its intention to lay or replace, stone, brick, vitrified brick, tar macadam or any pavement other than ordinary macadam.

(3) To compel the said Company to keep the top of its rails on ordinary macadam streets at the existing grade of the street in which they are laid.

(4) To compel the said Company to renew, on notice from the city, any of its rails or switch apparatus which may be broken, worn out or defective or in any way dangerous.

(5) To compel the said Company to give a transfer, when requested by any passenger on the street side of the railway, entitling him or her after crossing the ferry to take a car either at Chubb's Corner or at the Market Square.

Dated at the City of Saint John, N. B., the 14th day of February, A. D. 1916.

HERBERT E. WARDROPER,
Common Clerk.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
Estate of A. B. Smally & Son
and Arthur C. Smally.

There will be sold at Public Auction at the store lately occupied by A. B. Smally & Son, 91 Prince William Street, in the City of Saint John, on Friday, the 25th day of February, A. D. 1916, at twelve o'clock noon, all the stock in trade, jewellery counters, goods, chattels and fixtures of every nature and kind contained in said store belonging to said firm or said Arthur C. Smally, sale to be made in bloc; also at same time and place one automobile. An inventory of said goods may be made at my office.

Said sale is made under and by virtue of several executions against said A. B. Smally & Son, and said Arthur C. Smally, and as Assignee of A. B. Smally & Son.

Dated February, the 15th, A. D. 1916.

AMON A. WILSON,
Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, and Assignee of A. B. Smally & Son.

There will be sold at Public Auction at the store lately occupied by A. B. Smally & Son, 91 Prince William Street, in the City of Saint John, on Monday, the 28th day of February, instant, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 12th day of February, A. D. 1916.

H. M. HOPPER,
Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly at its ensuing session for the passing of an Act reviving and amending 2 George V., Chapter 109, entitled "An Act to incorporate (the Saint John River Hydro-Electric Company," with power to acquire and develop a water power on the Saint John River at or near Pookok, and to dam the said river and build other necessary works for the purposes of generating and transmitting power and extending the time for the commencement and completion of said works and the making of necessary deposits with regard thereto.

Dated this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1916.

R. MAX McCARTY,
Secretary.

NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Provincial Legislature, entitled "An Act to further amend the Act 2 George V., Chapter 42." The object desired to be attained by this Bill is, to provide that the day for filing nominations for the Civic Election, the day for holding such elections and the day upon which the newly elected members shall be sworn in, shall in each case be changed from "Tuesday" to "Monday."

Dated at the City of Saint John, N. B., the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1916.

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