

THE CHARGE AGAINST THE FOOL BRIGADE

HALF a ton, half a ton, Half a ton merely, All in my empty bin Dusty and dreary. "Forward the Chute Brigade! Charge all you like!" I said: "Into the bally old bin, And I'll pay dearly."

"Have you and Jack been engaged long enough to get married?" "Too long. He hasn't a cent left!" -Judge.

Up-River Doings

St. Stephen, N. B., Jan. 30. Mrs. George A. Curran is visiting friends in Massachusetts. A store on King Street, St. Stephen, owned by Miss Annie Kelley, but occupied by John R. Buchanan as a shoe store, was damaged by fire about 9 o'clock on last Thursday morning.

BOVRIL Take it as Soup before Meals

Miss Branscombe, Matron of the Chipman Memorial Hospital, is quite ill, suffering from a severe cold, and is obliged to rest from her work during this week. Mrs. Davis B. Allen entertained on Wednesday evening at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Nason, Rose Avenue, St. Stephen, for the pleasure of Miss Myrtle Ganong.

BEAVER HARBOR, N. B.

Jan. 29. The Beaver Harbor Trading Co. are canning "hippered herring." These fish were brought from Newfoundland in their own vessel, Schr. Nellie Dickson. Over 50 persons are employed at the canning factory, and a goodly number of cases of the fish are packed and sent by Strm. Connors Bros. each week.

LEONARDVILLE, D. I.

Jan. 30. Messrs. Leonard Stuart and Matthew Mitchell, of Stuart Town, called on friends here on Sunday last. Mr. Peter Leslie, an aged resident of North West Harbor, is very ill. The Misses Lettie and Lillian Doughty were the guests of Mrs. F. S. Varney, of Eastport, on Saturday last.

ELMSVILLE, N. B.

Jan. 30. Charlie Bell, of Winnipeg, who has been visiting his uncle, Mr. Andrew Jacobs, has gone to St. John, having received a call to Military duty. He had enlisted in the Navy previous to the explosion at Halifax, where he was to be in training; and after the disaster leave was granted him until other arrangements were made.

LORD'S COVE, D. I.

Jan. 30. Mrs. Simon Butler, of Richardson, called on her daughter, Mrs. Sumner Hartford, on Wednesday afternoon. The Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Thos. Barker on Monday evening.

CAMPOBELLO

Jan. 28. The Girl's Branch of the W. A. gave a "Dutch Tea" consisting of Boston baked beans and brown bread, in the Church hall for the benefit of the Society, on Saturday evening from 6 to 8 o'clock. Nine young ladies were attired in Dutch style, and served the tea. They were the Misses Cora Calder, Gertrude Mitchell, Rebecca North, Rowena Newman, Helen Calder, Margaret Byron, Edith Calder, Viola Parker and Theda Lank.

On Tuesday afternoon the remains of Miss Ada Rouse, who died on Sunday, were interred in the Episcopal cemetery, Rev. G. E. Tobin officiating. Miss Rouse was a native of Robbinston, Me., but for more than a year has been employed in the home of Dr. Carcaud, where death, due to acute indigestion occurred.

The ladies of the North Road District organized a branch of Red Cross work on Friday evening, among them many of the school girls who have already done good work during the winter knitting socks for the boys in the trenches.

WILSON'S BEACH, C-BELLO.

Jan. 30. Mrs. Arthur Calder and children, of St. Andrews, were recent visitors here. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cline returned on Wednesday from a pleasant visit with relatives in Weymouth, N. S. Miss Marcia Cline, who has been in Lowell, Mass., for a number of weeks, is home again.

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