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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE in reference to points of interest in Kent County, will appear next week.

NEW P. O.—A new Post Office to be opened at River des Chutes, with Mr. Romain Savoy as Postmaster.

FARMING, ETC.—A communication on the above subject, which we are glad to receive, will appear next week.

CULLING CLUBS.—A meeting of the Chatham Culling Club is to be held this evening in the office of John Brown, Esq., at eight o'clock.

STRAWBERRIES.—About a week ago Master Ernest McKay, of Chatham, gathered some ripe strawberries in the woods near his farm.

OUR PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE reports and also reports of the Ladies Auxiliary Bible Society meeting are held over until next week.

CELLARS.—See that your cellars are made tight and frost proof, and at the same time secure as much ventilation for them as possible.

WINTER WOOD should now be put in and arranged as handy as possible for cold weather—when you live in the country where your wood is still on the stump.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. George Dick had one of his hands badly injured yesterday by the accidental discharge of a gun, while partridge hunting in the field settlement.

\$221.00 were paid in to the Deputy tax collector of the middle district, Chatham, on Tuesday. Who will say anything against having an election contest, after that?

MR. CRIMMIN'S VOTE was 154 in Chatham, not 220 as the Advocate reported yesterday. How unreliable that paper continues to be. In this case it was wildly so.

CHATHAM CATHEDRAL.—Rev. Mr. Vachell, who has been residing in Portland during the last week for aid in the reconstruction of the Cathedral at Chatham, has collected already about \$400.—Telegraph.

YORK ELECTIONS.—The writ for the election of representatives to the two seats in York, vacant by the resignation of Messrs. Blair and Thompson, has been issued, returning 10th December. Both gentlemen will, more than likely, be returned unopposed.

RASPBERRIES.—Mr. Wm. Stohart who lives in Newcastle Parish, opposite Chatham, has shown several bunches of raspberries taken from bushes in the rear of the Stohart farm. They are of good size, some ripe and others nearly so. They were gathered on Monday last.

THE CHATHAM POST OFFICE is, as last, to be removed to the Government Building. We are glad the public are to have better accommodation in this particular. We never could understand why the Department has delayed the removal so long.

KNOWLEDGE OF DUTY.—Our Newcastle correspondent writes: "The tax collector of this parish having failed to file with the town clerk a list of the Ratepayers, has left himself liable to a fine of \$50 and quite a number of the people are determined that the law in this particular shall be enforced."

WAS DRIT.—On Thursday night, 15th inst., about forty feet of the rail of Taylor's Creek Bridge, Little Napan River, was torn away and thrown down by parties unknown. The Councilors of Glenelg should take steps to discover those who did the damage as there is little doubt that it was an act of intentional destruction of public property.

THEIR JOINTS' END.—We are pleased to receive a letter from Mr. W. T. Carman, who with his companion, Mr. Loggie, has reached San Francisco. Mr. Loggie has proceeded to Puget Sound, where he engaged by the large firm, Pope & Talbot. Mr. Carman has also good prospects of employment. Mr. Carman promises a letter in time for next week's issue.

A WARNING.—On Monday last two ladies named McEachern and another named Bernard obtained a large quantity of gunpowder by some means, and lighting a fire under Wall's Bridge on the road to the Chatham Station, threw it in. At the explosion one of the young McEacherns' clothing took fire and his back was seriously burned, while young Bernard's eyes were so badly injured that it is feared he will not recover sight.

DEPARTURE.—Mr. C. C. Clark, of Chatham, N. B., has made arrangements to visit Kingston and Richibucto, and can be found at the residence of James Porteous, Esq., Kingston, from the 1st of October until the 1st of November, and at Whitemans Hotel, Richibucto, from the 1st of November until November 20th, where he will be prepared to perform all operations pertaining to his profession in a neat and satisfactory manner, at moderate charges.

NEW MILITARY PAPER.—We are glad to receive the first number of the Canadian Military Gazette published at Montreal. Its prospects give promise, and it will be useful to the service and an effective agent in promoting Canadian military spirit. The annual subscription has been fixed at \$2. Two thousand subscribers at least are required to ensure the continued publication of the paper. We have only, in the words of the prospectus, to remind those members of the Militia and others in earnest for the success of the venture, that they should not only immediately communicate their intention of becoming subscribers, but should use every exertion to secure others. If the necessary number intimate their wish to be placed on the subscription list, the second number of the Canadian Military Gazette will be published one month hence to be continued weekly.

DEATH OF AN EX-M. P.—John Phillips, Esq., of Dalhousie, died at his residence on Monday morning. Mr. Phillips has not been in good health for two or three years, and it was a matter of remark, during the last Legislative Session in Fredericton, which he attended as a representative of Restigouche, that he was falling rapidly. The "Parliamentary Companion" contains the following facts in reference to the deceased:—Born in Westmoreland, England, on June 16th, 1810, and was educated in England; came to this Province in 1832 and, a year later, married Miss Catherine McCarthy, who was Deputy-Sheriff of Gloucester County; he was unsuccessful candidate to represent Restigouche in the Local Legislative in 1861 and for the same seat in the

Commons at the general election in 1867; was first returned in December, 1870, to the Legislature on the resignation of the sitting member; was re-elected at the general election in 1874.

Mr. Phillips leaves quite a large family who have the sympathy of an extensive circle of friends.

Concert of the Choir of the Dutch Reformers.

On Tuesday evening the Choir of the Dutch Reformers gave their concert in aid of the fund for the new piano, as previously announced, this entertainment taking the place of the one usually given on that evening of the week. As at the former concert, the hall was completely filled by the time the curtain rose on the Parnon Scene, a fact which must have been very encouraging to the performers who received the compliment with the utmost solicitude, while engaged in dominion and in other intellectual pursuits.

The first part of the programme was as follows:—

Instrumental music—By the Misses E. and A. Shirreff, "Frangeline" by Miss Annie Shirreff. Accompaniment by Miss C. Johnston.

Solo—"The Englishman" by Mr. DeaFransy. Accompaniment by Miss A. Shirreff. "The Wonderful Scholar," by Miss Letson, E. Benson and Master Harry Shirreff.

Instrumental Music—By Miss Annie Shirreff and Miss Blair.

Duet—"Matrimonial Sweets" by Miss Jessie Johnston and Henry Paterson. Accompaniment by Miss Annie Shirreff.

Address—By Mr. William Sinclair.

Duet—"The Two Orphans" by Misses A. Shirreff and L. Loudon.

Solo—"Pat Maloy" by Mr. DeaFransy. Accompaniment by Miss Annie Shirreff.

PICNIC SCENE.

Chorus—"In the days when we were Gypsy."

PARLOUR SCENE.

Instrumental Duet—By Miss A. Shirreff and Miss Blair.

The Rev. H. McKewen now came forward and delivered an address. He said his task was to show, in a few words, the influence of music on the temperance cause. The power of music was differently comprehended, yet we were not destitute of the knowledge of what he had experienced ourselves, and he might cite the entertainment that evening as an agreeable instance. If they asked in what the power of music lay, he would reply, in the word blitheness which it listeth and man hears the sound thereof. As eloquence was all-powerful, so music was all-tender to soften or strengthen the heart. He referred briefly to Juno Lina, and to Katherine Hayes the Irish songstress, and to Mr. Kennedy the Scottish vocalist. He then spoke of the power of sacred music, and of his experience of the meetings of Moody and Sankey, especially of the power and tenderness of Mr. Sankey's music, which he had heard with an audience of men and saved them; he had seen the power of music manifested in that hall. Armies went to battle, led by martial strains, and the Dutch Reformers had been led on by their choir, and it argued well for those who were greatly indebted to those who provided the musical portion of the programme. A gentleman who had been at Fredericton and St. John, said the temperance choirs on those places were neither so good looking nor so good singers as that of Chatham. He thanked the audience on the part of the choir for their attention and trusted they would continue to appreciate music. (Applause.) The concert was then brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

Municipal Elections.

The election of Municipal Councilors took place in the different parishes of Northumberland on Tuesday of this week.

In Alawick there were three candidates, who received the following votes:—Romain Savoy, 102; Robert Loggie, 94; and A. K. McDougall, 93. The two first named were, therefore, elected.

In Hardwicke there were also three candidates who stood as follows at the close of the poll:—James Sullivan, 64; Geo. Fowles, 63; Phineas Williston, 35, respectively.

In Northwick there were four candidates who received votes as follows:—W. S. Brown, 120; R. P. Whitney, 116; James Somers, 110; Anthony Adams, 106.

In Glenelg Messrs. Wm. McNaughton and James Pittarick were returned without opposition. Mr. Robert McNaughton being Chairman of the meeting.

In Derby Messrs. T. W. Crocker and John Betts were elected by acclamation.

In Blackville Messrs. J. L. Scofield and Dan'l McLoughlin were elected. We here say in reference to whether there was opposition or not.

In Nelson Messrs. O'Brien and Churchill were re-elected, Peter Eason, Esq., was also a candidate.

Our Newcastle correspondent writes: at the close of the day John Buckley Esq., Town Clerk called the meeting to order. Mr. Thos. Mallens was elected Chairman and W. J. Miller acted as Secretary.

Mr. C. F. Bourne was nominated by Mr. J. Miller, and also nominated Mr. Patrick Hayes. Thos. Troy, Esq., was nominated by Mr. Wm. Henderson, and T. H. Ramsey, Esq., was put in nomination by Mr. Gremley. The result is as follows: Bourne 280, Hayes 265, Troy 173, Ramsey 105.

Mr. Bourne and Hayes were declared elected.

Mr. Hayes addressed the electors, saying the result was greater than he expected. He would do his best to retain their confidence.

Mr. Hayes also thanked the Electors. Mr. Troy in response to the calls of the people spoke at some length. He alluded to the fact that this had been made a party contest and that he had to contend against the feelings which had been embittered by the recent Dominion contest.

The fact was he was not the candidate of any party. The Hon. Mr. Adams had induced him to offer and had promised him his support and influence. He had noted the fact that Mr. Adams was not there to-day, with his support, but that his patrons and friends were on hand doing all they could to defeat him. He hoped other polling booths would be established next year, as eighteen miles was too far for people to come to vote. He said he would be before the people again, if not for Councillor, for something better. He could bear his defeat this time, although he regretted it.

After thanking his friends and opponents for the treatment he had received he retired, the people cheering.

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ROUND THE MOON. CHAPTER IX.

THE CONSEQUENCES OF A DEVIATION.

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It was in reality a fall of 8296 leagues on an orb, it is true, where weight could only be reckoned as one-sixth of terrestrial weight; formidable fall, nevertheless, and one against which every precaution must be taken without delay.

These precautions were of two sorts, some to lessen the shock when the projectile should touch the lunar soil, others to delay the fall, and consequently make it less violent.

To lessen the shock, it was a pity that Barbicans was no longer able to employ the means which had so ably weakened the shock at departure, that is, by water used as springs and the partition-breaks.

The partitions still existed but water failed, for they could not use their reserve, which was precious, in case during the first days the liquid element should be found wanting on lunar soil.

And indeed this reserve would have been quite insufficient for a spring. The layer of water stored in the projectile at its departure, and on which the water-proof disc lay, occupied no less than three feet in depth, and spread over a surface of not less than fifty-four square feet.

Besides, the cistern did not contain one-fifth part of it; they must therefore give up this efficient means of lessening the shock of arrival. Happily, Barbicans, not content with employing water, had furnished the movable disc with strong spring-plugs, destined to lessen the shock against the base after the breaking of the horizontal partitions.

These plugs still existed; they had only to readjust them and replace the movable disc; every piece, easy to handle, as their weight was now scarcely felt, was quickly mounted.

The different pieces were fitted without any trouble, it being only a matter of bolts and screws; tools were wanted and soon the reinstated disc lay on its steel plugs, like a table on its legs.

Barbicans occupied himself with placing the contrivances intended to break their descent. We may remember the scene of the meeting held at Tampa Town, in Florida, when Captain Nichol came forward as Barbicans's enemy and Michel Ardan's adversary. To Captain Nichol's maintaining that the projectile would smash like glass, Michel replied that he would break their fall by means of rockets properly placed.

Barbicans had supplied himself with these fireworks, enclosed in little steel guns, which could be screwed on to the base of the projectile. Inside, these guns were flush with the bottom; outside, they protruded about eighteen inches.

There were twenty of them. An opening left in the disc allowed them to light the match with which each was provided. All the effect was felt outside. The burning mixture had already rammed into each gun. They had, then, nothing to do but to raise the metallic buffers fixed in the base, and replace them by the guns which fitted closely in their places.

This new work was finished about three o'clock, and after taking all these precautions there remained but to wait. But the projectile was precariously nearing the moon, and especially unaccounted to her influence to a certain degree through its own velocity also drew it in an oblique direction. From these conflicting influences resulted a line which might become a tangent. But it was certain that the projectile would not fall directly on the moon; for its lower part by reason of its weight, ought to be turned toward her.

Barbicans's uneasiness increased as he saw his projectile resist the influence of gravitation. The Unknown was opening before him, the Unknown in fact, the man of science thought he had forecast the only three hypotheses possible—the return to the earth, the return to the moon, or stagnation on the neutral line; and here a fourth hypothesis, big with all the terrors of the Infinite, sprang up inopportunely. To face it without flinching, one must be a resolute avenger like Barbicans, a phlegmatic being like Nichol, or an audacious adventurer like Michel Ardan.

But the projectile continued its course sideways to the moon, and with it the mass of things thrown out. Barbicans could even prove, by the elevations which served as landmarks upon the moon, which was only 2000 leagues distant, that its speed was becoming uniform—fresh proof that there was no fall. Its impulsive force still prevailed over the lunar attraction, but the projectile's course was certainly bringing it nearer to the moon, and they might hope that at a nearer point the weight, predominating, would cause a decided fall.

The three friends, having nothing better to do, continued their observations; but they could not yet determine the topographical position of the satellite; every relief was leveled under the reflection of the solar rays.

They watched thus through the side windows until eight o'clock at night. The moon had then grown so large in their eyes that it filled half of the firmament. The sun on one side, and the orb of night on the other, flooded the projectile with light.

At that moment, Barbicans thought he could estimate the distance which separated them from their aim at no more than 700 leagues. The speed of the projectile seemed to him to be more than, or about 170 leagues a second. Under the centrifugal force, the base of the projectile tended towards the moon; but the centrifugal still prevailed; and it was probable that its retinal line would be changed to a curve of some sort, the nature of which they could not at present determine.

Barbicans was still seeking the solution of his insoluble problem. Hours passed without any result. The projectile was evidently nearing the moon, but it was also evident that it would never reach her. As to the nearest distance at which it would pass her, that must be the result of the two forces, attraction and repulsion, affecting its motion.

"I ask but one thing," said Michel; "that we may pass near enough to penetrate her secrets."

"Cursed be the thing that has caused our projectile to deviate from its course," cried Nichol.

"And, as if light had suddenly broken in upon his mind, Barbicans answered, "Then cursed be the meteor which crossed our path."

"What?" said Michel Ardan.

"What do you mean?" exclaimed Nichol.

"I mean," said Barbicans in a decided tone, "I mean that our deviation is owing solely to our meeting with this erring body."

But it did not even brush us as it passed," said Michel.

"What does that matter? Its mass, compared to that of our projectile, was enormous, and its attraction was enough to influence our course."

"So little?" cried Nichol.

"Yes, Nichol; but however little it might be," replied Barbicans, in a distance of 84,000 leagues, it wanted no more to make us miss the moon."

CHAPTER X. THE OBSERVERS OF THE MOON.

The distance which separated the projectile from the moon was estimated at about 200 leagues. Under these conditions, as regards the visibility of the details of the disc, the travellers were farther from the moon than are the inhabitants of the earth with their powerful telescopes. Indeed, we know that the instrument mounted by Lord Rosse at Parsonstown, which magnifies 6600 times, brings the moon to within an apparent distance of sixteen leagues.

And more than that, with the powerful one set up at Long's Peak, the orb of night, magnified 48,000 times, is brought to within less than two leagues, and objects having a diameter of thirty feet are seen very distinctly. So that, at this distance, the topographical details of the moon, observed without glasses, could not be determined with precision. The eye caught the vast outlines of those immense depressions inappropriately called seas; but they could not recognize their nature.

The prominence of the mountains disappeared under the splendid irradiation produced by the reflection of the solar rays. The eye, dazzled as it was leaning over a bath of molten silver, turned from it involuntarily; but the oblong form of the orb was quite clear. It appeared like a gigantic egg, with the small end turned towards the earth. The oblique course of the projectile, from its very obliquity gave Michel Ardan some hopes of striking the lunar disc at some point or other.

He could not think that they would never reach it. No! he could not believe it; and this opinion he often repeated. But Barbicans, who was a better judge, always answered him with merciless logic.

"No, Michel, no! We can only reach the moon by a fall, and we are not falling. The centrifugal force keeps us under the moon's influence, but the centrifugal force draws us irresistibly away from it."

This was said in a tone which quenched Michel Ardan's last hope.

At midnight the moon was full. At that precise moment the travellers should have alighted upon it, if the mischievous meteor had not diverted their course. It is needless to say, that during the night of the 5th-6th of December, the travellers took not an instant's rest. Could they close their eyes when so near this new world? No! all their feelings were concentrated in one single thought—See!

Representatives of the earth, of humanity, past and present, all centered in this! It is through their eyes that the human race look at these lunar regions, and penetrate the secrets of their satellite! A strange emotion filled their hearts as they went from one window to the other.

Their observations, reproduced by Barbicans, were rigidly determined. To take them, they had glasses; to correct them, maps. At a distance which did not exceed sixty miles, and in a medium free from all atmospheric disturbances, these instruments could reduce the lunar surface to within less than 1500 yards!

"Have you ever seen the moon?" asked a professor, ironically, of one of his pupils.

"No sir!" replied the pupil, still more ironically, "but I must say I have heard it spoken of."

In one sense, the pupil's witty answer might be given by a large majority of planetary beings. How many people have heard speak of the moon, who have never seen it—at least through a glass or a telescope! How many have never examined the map of their satellite!

In looking at a selenographic map, one peculiarly strikes us. Contrary to the arrangement followed for that of the Earth and Mars, the continents occupy more particularly the southern hemisphere of the lunar globe.

As to islands, they are numerous on the surface of the moon. Nearly all oblong or circular, and as if traced with the compass, they seem to form one vast Archipelago, equal to that charming group lying between Greece and Asia Minor, and which mythology in ancient times adorned with most graceful legends. Involuntarily the names of Naxos, Tenedos, and Carpathos, rise before the mind, and we seek vainly for Ulysses' vessel or the "clipper" of the Argonauts. So at least it was in Michel Ardan's eyes. To him it was a Grecian Archipelago that he saw on the map. To the eyes of his matter-of-fact companions, the aspect of these coasts recalled rather the parcelled-out land of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia; and where the Frenchman discovered traces of the heroes of fable, these Americans were marking the most favorable points for the establishment of stores in the interest of lunar commerce and industry.

The course taken by the projectile was bearing it towards the moon's northern hemisphere. The travellers were far from the central point which they would have struck, had their course not been subject to an irremediable deviation. It was past midnight; and

Barbicans then estimated the distance at 750 miles, which was a little greater than the length of the lunar radius, and which would diminish as it advanced nearer to the North Pole. The projectile was then not at the altitude of the equator; but across the tenth parallel, and from that latitude, carefully taken on the map to the pole, Barbicans and his two companions were able to observe the moon under the most favorable conditions.

Indeed, by means of glasses, the above named distance was reduced to little more than fourteen miles. The telescope of the Rocky Mountains brought the moon much nearer; but the terrestrial atmosphere singularly lessened its power. Thus Barbicans, posted in his projectile with the glasses to his eyes, could seize upon details which were almost imperceptible to earthly observers.

"My friends," said the president, in a serious voice, "I do not know whether we are going; I do not know if we shall ever see the terrestrial globe again. Nevertheless, let us make our observations."

This said, work was begun with great exactness; and they faithfully reproduced the different aspects of the moon, at the different distances which the projectile reached.

With the help of Boser and Moeller's *Mappe Celestographica* the travellers were able at once to recognize that portion of the disc enclosed within the field of their glasses.

"What are we looking at, at this moment?" asked Michel.

"At the northern part of 'Sea of Clouds,'" answered Barbicans. "We are too far off to recognize its nature. Are these plains composed of arid sand, as the first astronomer maintained? Or are they nothing but immense forests, according to M. Warren de la Rue's opinion, who gives the moon an atmosphere, though a very low one (a very dense one) that we shall know by and by. We must affirm nothing until we are in a position to do so."

Before them rose a mountain radiant with beauty, the top of which seemed lost in an eruption of solar rays.

"That is—!" asked Michel.

"Copernicus," replied Barbicans. "Let us see Copernicus."

This mount situated in 9° north latitude and 20° east longitude, rose to a height of 10,000 feet above the surface of the moon, forming the most important of the radiating system, situated in the southern hemisphere, according to Tycho Brahe. It rises isolated like a gigantic lighthouse on that portion of the "Sea of Clouds, which is bounded by the "Sea of Tempests," thus lighting by its splendid rays two oceans at a time. It was a sight without an equal, those long luminous trains, so dazzling in the full moon, and which, passing the boundary chain on the north, extends to the "Sea of Raina."

At one o'clock of the terrestrial morning the projectile, like a balloon borne into space, overlooked the top of this superb mountain. Barbicans could recognize perfectly its chief features. Copernicus is comprised in the series of ringed mountains of the first order, in the division of great circles. Like Kepler and Aristarchus, which overlook the Ocean of Tempests, sometimes it appeared like a brilliant point through the cloudy light, and was taken for a volcano in activity. But it is only an extinct one, like all on that side of the moon. Its circumference showed a diameter of about twenty-two leagues. The glasses discovered traces of stratification produced by successive eruptions, and the neighborhood was strewn with volcanic remains which still choked some of the craters.

"There exist," said Barbicans, "several kinds of circles on the surface of the moon, and it is easy to see that Copernicus belongs to the radiating class."

At this moment the projectile hung perpendicularly over the circle. The circumstances of Copernicus formed almost a perfect circle, and its steep escarpments were clearly defined. They could even distinguish a second ringed enclosure. Around spread a greyish plain, of a wild aspect, on which every relief was marked in yellow. At the bottom of the circle, as if enclosed in a jewel case, sparkled for one instant two or three eruptive cones, like enormous dazzling gems. Towards the north the escarpments were lowered by a depression which would probably have given access to the interior of the crater.

In passing over the surrounding plains Barbicans noticed a great number of less important mountains; and among others a little ringed one called Guy Lussac, the breadth of which measured twelve miles.

Towards the south, the plain was very flat, without one elevation, without one projection. Towards the north, on the contrary, till where it was bounded by the Sea of Storms, resembled a liquid surface agitated by a storm, of which the hills and hollows formed a succession of waves suddenly congealed. Over the whole of this, and in all directions, lay the luminous lines, all converging to the summit of Copernicus.

The travellers discussed the origin of these strange rays; but they could not determine their nature any more than terrestrial observers.

About two o'clock in the morning Barbicans found that they were above the twentieth lunar parallel. The distance of the projectile from the moon was not more than 500 miles. Barbicans, now perceiving that the projectile was steadily approaching the lunar disc, did not despair, if of reaching her, at least of discovering the secrets of her configuration.

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