

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE

Garrattsville and Vicinity

November 27th. Leader of Y.P.C.U. for next Sunday, Miss Pearl Smith; leader of Epworth League, Fred Winters; topic for each, "Our one excuse." Romans 14:1-12. (Consecration meeting.)

There will be a union Thanksgiving service in the U.P. church on Thursday at 10:30 a.m. Rev. C. R. Hickok will preach. Offerings of provision or cash will be received at either parsonage on Wednesday or Thursday, to be used for the needy.

Mrs. Orr Spafard has been seriously sick the past week. Her children, who reside at a distance, have been sent for. Mrs. Joslyn is suffering from an attack of erysipelas.

John Pashley and family spent last week with Mrs. Pashley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Southern of Morris. Rev. C. R. Hickok assisted in revival services at Toddtown last Wednesday night.

John Winton, an aged gentleman, one who has made many friends during his stay here, died on Sunday at the home of Ellen Hoag of pneumonia. [The obituary will be found in another column.]

M. L. Breese and family, Myron Gillett and wife, Truman Brooks and wife and Mary Benington were royally entertained for dinner at James Whitford's last Thursday.

Report says that Mrs. Emma Gledhill has sold her two farms to parties from New Berlin by the name of Padgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Brooks, Mrs. James Whitford and Mrs. Nellie Reynolds spent Friday in Oneonta.

Deloss Harrington, a man who is somewhat addicted to drink, and who was working at Robert Young's, had his leg broken while at work in the woods recently. It is expected that he will be taken to the County House.

While hunting in the Pittsfield woods last Saturday a charge of shot fired by Will Elliott hit Mr. Chewning of the condenser, his companion, in the feet. Later a physician picked about fifty shot from Mr. Chewning's feet.

Nobleville and Vicinity

Miss Adaline Bard visited her niece, Mrs. Eli Kimball, Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Alice Simonds is spending some time with relatives in Utica.

A. S. Myers and wife and daughter visited friends at Edmeston recently. Julius Thurston has hired Edwin Simonds and wife for the coming season.

John McCulloch of Norwich now conducts the dancing class here, in place of Mr. Matthews.

There are a number of farms for sale in this vicinity. John Gilbert is visiting his nephew, Norman Gilbert, at Frankfort.

Miss Elizabeth Peck of Syracuse and Mrs. August of Cooperstown are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Peck.

Laurens

Earle Clark and bride of Garrattsville visited Miss Ella Clark last Thursday. The sewing society of the Presbyterian church meets with Mrs. Mary Mead Friday afternoon.

The ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church held their monthly 10 cent supper on Wednesday evening, Dec. 6, and also a sale of fancy articles, suitable for Christmas presents. Remember the date, Dec. 6.

A. D. Herring and Jennie Wilson of Morris visited friends in town Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Shells of Sidney Center visited their daughter, Mrs. Fred Turner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Collier were in Edmeston Sunday. A. Bailey has bought the hotel of Mr. Sperry and will take possession Dec. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Straight of Mt. Vision were at Stephen Straight's Sunday. Mrs. Charles Spurr of South Hartwick visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Hendrix, Sunday.

George Hyer and mother are visiting his brother Will at Ninevah. Miss Nellie Richardson has returned from Iowa, where she has been visiting her brothers for several months.

Mrs. Fields is preparing her pupils for a musical to be given at her home in Mt. Vision Dec. 8.

West Laurens

D. E. Boyd and daughter went to Millford Friday and returned on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Weatherly accompanied them back.

Mrs. Leroy Hathaway was in Laurens on Thursday to see her father, who is ill. Miss Mary Webster of Laurens visited Mae Scofield on Saturday.

W. B. Cogshall, Henry Brown and David Yager attended court at Cooperstown last week. James Sheldon has sold his horse and bought a colt of Harvey Sutton of New Lisbon.

Mrs. Fred Lull and a friend visited Mrs. James Sheldon on Thursday. George Weeks did a job of brick work for Maurice Hunt at West Oneonta last Friday.

LeGrand Scofield and family visited his brother on Mill Creek Sunday. Mrs. Mary Hyatt has been sick the past week.

Clyde Culver and bride of Masonville have been visiting his parents near here. The next meeting of the W. S. C. will be held with Mrs. Julia Georgia Dec. 6. New members joined at the last meeting and work is progressing finely.

Hazel Brooks attended her Grandfather Brooks' 79th birthday at Oneonta last Thursday. William Sheldon was in town last week canvassing for Moore's nursery of Newark, N. Y.

Maple Grove

Mrs. Clarinda Jenks of Oneonta Plains is visiting at Frank Pittsley's. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wade, Mrs. Chas. Neering and Isaac Church were in Oneonta Tuesday. Mrs. Wade, who is in very poor health, went to see Dr. Cutler.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ericsson of Wells Bridge were pleasant guests at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Platt's Sunday. Frank Pittsley was a caller in Oneonta Sunday.

Mrs. F. E. Pittsley and Mrs. Jenks were pleasant guests at Chas. Hoag's Sunday. South Hartwick.

Mabel, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Manley, has been very sick, but is much better at this writing. Mrs. Sarah Harrington has returned to her home in New Lisbon.

Frank Holbrook is at the hospital in Oneonta again for treatment. John Brown is at work for Monroe Fields at Hartwick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fitch of Garrattsville are spending a few days at Channing Fitch's. Asa Fride and Harlon Cummings made a trip to Oneonta last Saturday.

People here have been taking advantage of the nice weather the past week by improving their buildings. Morrell Smith has been shingling some of his outbuildings; Mrs. Ophelia Pratt has been shingling her woodshed, and Herman Hughes is building a hen house.

Several men here attended the dinner at the Baptist church at Mt. Vision last Saturday. Thomas Grey went to Oneonta last Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Brownell and sons Arthur and Dorr of Morris visited Mrs. Herman Card one day last week. Ayre.

Rev. Wm. Case preached in the First Christian church again Sunday morning. The society have engaged Rev. Dillon, a former pastor, who will commence his pastorate next spring. Rev. Mrs. Dillon, his wife, coming here the first of December, occupying the pulpit until her husband arrives.

The ladies' aid society met with Mrs. Geo. P. Harris last Saturday. It was attended and George entertained them with his gramophone.

Phill Whitney has discontinued running his meat cart. J. C. Hyatt and wife and child of Otego visited his parents on Green Street Sunday.

Elbert Thorp and King Hathaway of the Junction attended court at Cooperstown last week as grand and trial jurors. Hartwick.

There was a social at the Christian church on Thursday evening, when a supper was provided and a benefit to Past. Hall, by the church and W. C. T. U. Pastor Hall preached his farewell sermon last Sunday morning, and will soon leave for the South, much to the regret of church and community. Poor health compels this move.

Pastor Whitman of the M. E. church is holding special meetings at Toddsville. The pulpit at the Baptist church was supplied on Sunday morning by a student from Hartwick Seminary, who preached an excellent sermon from Job "I know that my Redeemer liveth."

Flder Fisher preached in the Methodist church at the union service Sunday evening on "Preparation for Revival Meetings." The funeral of Miss Mary J. Avery was held at the home of Rev. H. H. Fisher on Tuesday, with interment at Burlington. There were present her brother, D. A. Avery, and his wife of Utica, Rev. Sidney Fisher of Trumansburg, John W. Dye of Madison, Mrs. Wm. Smithers, A. J. Hutcheson, Mrs. A. Cross, and E. S. Fisher, of Oneonta. Rev. W. L. Hughes officiated.

Mrs. Holdredge is at the Oneonta hospital for medical treatment. Cassius Matteson is away taking the gold cure. He took the cure several years ago, but recently fell under the curse of strong drink, so felt impelled to try it again. Pittsfield.

GIBSON DISTRICT. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Murdock and two children visited at W. R. Leonard's in Hartwick last week. Mrs. Adelbert Davis spent Wednesday in Morris with her father, John Smith.

Miss Martha Ramsey of Deposit was in this vicinity, canvassing for three popular books, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Davis visited her brother, David Smith and other friends in Laurens, part of last week.

Lewis Gibson is at work in New Berlin for Thomas Gibson, righting up an old mill which was undermined by the late flood. John Davis and daughter Emma returned Sunday from a visit of a week in Oneonta.

George Edgerton's teams drew bark to Mt. Upton last week. John Davis is working for Royal Gibson a few days. Incident of the Reign of Terror.

A dramatic incident of the reign of terror in France was the saving of her father's life from the guillotine by Mile. de Sombreuil. M. de Sombreuil and his daughter were condemned to death at the time of the September massacres and were waiting in the cart, surrounded by the mob, for their turn to mount the scaffold. Mile. de Sombreuil turned to the crowd and asked what harm a weak old man like her father could do to the nation. Some of the men answered that if she would drink a glass of blood to the nation they would let him go and passed up a glass. She drank it down immediately. The crowd took her and her father from the cart. They escaped and made their way to England. She thought at the time she drank blood, but afterward she concluded that it was red wine, for she saw no one stoop to fill the glass. To her death she was never able, however, to see red wine in a glass without a shudder.

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IN THE NORTH WOODS

BURNED BOYS CAMP. DEATER RIVER, New York, Nov. 15th, 1903. Continued from last week.

Saturday proved a bootless day for us, so far as relates to the hunting, none of us getting even a glimpse of deer that day. The only thing worthy of record was the arrival of the two remaining members of our party in the evening, Henry Padgett and Liab Bailey, who came directly from the station. Of course they received hearty welcome.

We were glad to hear from the world after having been isolated from it for almost a week. That evening we visited until quite a late hour, and it was finally decided for the morrow that we would make an excursion to Lake Terror and Two Fifteen mountain some five or six miles distant, and to which there is a pretty well defined track from our camp.

This was to give the Junior an opportunity of seeing a slightly bit of Adirondack scenery to carry home with him. It is Sunday morning and we are astir at the usual hour, day-break, our beds rolled up, our breakfast eaten, our cooking and eating utensils washed and put away, (ladies you need not smile, I did not eat on a greasy plate or with unwashed knife and fork once while in camp. We have had our outfit four years, and we can see our faces in the tin cups and plates to-day; they are almost as bright as when they came from the shop) and we are ready. It is not a hunting excursion, though hunting is not prohibited here and of course by many is indulged in. The crack of the rifle is almost as frequently heard on the Sabbath as on the week day. What could you expect; the Sabbath bell has never disturbed this solitude. I think the nearest church is at Fulton Chain, twenty miles distant. The saloon and hotel bar are all along the way. Is there not here a field for mission work, and yet it seems to me that the Spirit is much in evidence here if not the form of service. The people for the most part seem honorable, for camps are left unguarded everywhere and rarely a theft is reported, and meanness of every kind, it seems to me, is more despised here than in so-called more civilized and polished circles. Well, we are soon on our way; the morning is fair and cool, a flurry of snow has fallen during the night and rests lightly upon everything. It is a spotless mantle resting upon the evergreens, it has festooned the birch, beech and maple with ribbons of sparkling jewels. How impossible is art. They tell us it is measured by the degree in which it represents nature, and where is the artist who could paint a scene like this?

Our course has been a little south of east, it is right into one of the wildest sections of this locality, and wilder and rougher it grows as we approach the lake. Nearly all of the way we have been climbing up and now on our right hand the mountain gradually rises before us, at the foot of which our journey ends. It is about 11 a. m. when we stand at last on the shore of Lake Terror. Why this name I have not been able to learn. It is said to formerly have been called Panther lake, so named from the numbers of this fierce animal that once infested its shores, for this reason or the wild scenery which surrounds it, it now bears the name of Terror. I think I never looked upon a fairer little jewel than this lake presented. It is but little better than a mile in length by an average of less than half a mile in width. But here it sleeps amid the rough mountains, a miniature "Glimmerglass," in which they see their frowning faces reflected back again. The evergreen spruce surrounds it, growing to the water's brink. Near the outlet at the opposite side from which we stand two rocky points jut out, rising apparently 500 feet above the water; these are bare of trees and from the distance add not a little to the interest of the scene. Some hunters from the Lion Arms Works have a fine camp here. With much interest we examine a broken birch canoe which rests at our feet. With it there is a legend of the lake connected, of which I have not space to relate; indeed it is time I gathered in my rambling fancies and hastened my letter to a close.

We turn our feet from the lake toward the mountain, and after perhaps a half hour's climbing we stand upon its summit. There is a tablet erected here bearing the numerals 2-15, erected by some past survey, which has acquired to the mountain its name. We stand upon the brink of a precipice more than one hundred feet in height and gaze out unobstructed over the vast wilderness beneath us. The view is to the southwest and miles and miles lay before us of mixed but unbroken wilderness; here are wide sections of brown, denoting the hard wood, there great patches of dark green denoting the spruce and balsam. It is a grand view and I find something of the awe-inspired creeps over me, the feeling I experienced when gazing out upon the ocean for the first time. Yet on the ocean we are belittled; on the mountain we are enlarged, lifted up as it were. Was it not David who sang "I will praise God upon the mountain top." And what's it temple it is. Is not every spruce straight as an arrow with spiracle top pointing toward Heaven? King David must have written it, I think, upon its present inspiration. But I must pinch myself again, so soon am I dreaming. Down from the clouds and down from the mountain we clamber. We seek the trail and reach camp again at about 2 p. m. We have letters to write home and news at the station where we hope to receive messages in return. Thus the Sabbath has ended. Has it been spent well or ill? [CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK.]

The Daily Review of the Hesperia Arctic Expedition. Mr. S. J. McCormick, now U. S. Deputy Miner, Surveyor, Bliss Station, Idaho, says: "For years I have suffered from severe pains in the hip joint and back bone, depriving me of all power. The cause was stones in the bladder and gravel in the kidneys. After using Dr. E. C. Kenyon's Favorite Remedy, of Roundout, N. Y., I was completely cured."

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