

GARFORD.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The second of a series of winter entertainments took place on Monday evening at the Manor Farm. The room was crowded, and the audience seemed fully to appreciate the efforts made for their amusement. We append a copy of the programme: Most of the songs received an encore, those of Mr. Bunce (comic) being particularly applauded. After a pianoforte duet brilliantly played by the Misses Neville, a farce was performed. The characters were well-sustained throughout, and the impersonations of "Lawrence Lavender," and "Mr. Bloomfield Brambleton" were especially good. The parishioners owe their grateful thanks to Mr. Long for his kindness in always placing a room at their disposal, however great may be his personal inconvenience in so doing. Programme:—

Instrumental duet.....	Miss Henham and Mrs. Powell
Song.....	I'm so Volatile..... Mr. Wood
Song.....	Vanquished..... Mr. Neville
Song.....	The Longshoreman..... Mr. E. Long
Song.....	The Quaker..... Miss Follet
Song.....	'Airey Ann..... Mr. E. Bunce
Song.....	Who's that Tapping..... Miss Aldworth
Song.....	The Lad's in Red..... Mr. H. Long
Vocal duet.....	Ill-mated, Well-matched..... Messrs. H. Bunce and Miss Aldworth
Song.....	The Ship Boy's Letter..... Miss Selfe
Song.....	You'll all be wanted..... Mr. H. Bunce
Instrumental duet.....	Misses Neville

The farce was entitled "Who is Who? or All in a Fog." characters:—Mr. Simonides Swanhopper, (A Model Young Bachelor), Mr. E. Long; "Lawrence Lavender," (A Valet from Mayfair), Mr. Wood; "Mr. Bloomfield Brambleton," (A Country Gentleman), Mr. Neville; "Cecily," (Brambleton's Daughter), Miss Henham; "Matilda Jane" (A Superior Housemaid), Miss Follet.

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WINTER ENTERTAINMENTS.—The third of the usual series of winter entertainments took place on Monday evening. Notwithstanding the severity of the weather the room was crowded. The principal item of the programme was the performance of "Red Riding Hood's Rescue," a juvenile cantata, which was most creditably rendered, the choruses being sung by the village children with much spirit. Miss L. Neville proved most efficient as "Red Riding Hood," and won frequent applause. A few songs were sung during the intervals between the scenes. The proceeds of the entertainments are devoted to the formation of a coal club for the parish. The following was the programme:—Characters—Red Riding Hood, Miss L. Neville; mother, Miss Follet; Hugh (woodman), Mr. Neville; wolf, Frank Bradfield; Robin (playmate), Walter Bradfield; Buttercup, Miss E. Floyd; Rose, Mrs. Jellicoe. Songs—"The Arab's Farewell," Mr. Ashford; "White Wings," Master Harris; "Ehren on the Rhine," Mr. Owen Floyd; "Elizabeth Jane," Miss Long; "Gatling Guns," Mr. Godding; "Turnham toll," Mr. Owen Floyd; "Chingowalbadoric," Mr. Ashford.

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