

Correspondence.

Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents.

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To EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

Dear Sir: Nothing is more welcome in this country than the GAZETTE which arrives here every Saturday, and as there are so many boys from Queens Co. here all are anxious to see the paper arrive as we do not have to write for news as the GAZETTE gives us all we need or nearly so.

We have very fine weather at present although we have about four inches of snow which makes the forest look quite like winter, and many teams are already employed hawling logs to the stream, and hundreds of Canadians find employment in this country for the winter.

We would ask what has become of the Hibernia correspondent? Has he forgot how to write or like the rest of us denned for the winter?

Thanking you for space in your valuable paper, I remain,

THE BOY IN THE WOODS.

Highfield.

Nov. 14.—Since my last communication some few items of general interest have occurred here.

Mr. W. J. Lawson and family have moved to St. John. He has sold his farm to his brother David M. Lawson. His stock and household furniture were sold at public auction by Mr. David M. Pearson, auctioneer. Mr. Lawson has a position in Mr. A. A. Mabee's wood-working factory, North End.

The repairing of the bridge at Lawson Brook has been let to Mr. Thomas Thompson. This is a move in the right direction as the bridge has been in a dangerous condition for some time. The thanks of the travelling public are due to Hon. L. P. Farris for so promptly ordering repairs, after the matter had been brought to his notice.

The ladies of St. John's church held a very successful Sewing Circle at Mr. T. H. Pearson's on the 9th inst.

Mr. D. J. Hamilton's new store will soon be opened for business. The painting on the outside is just finished. We notice a sign in the store window which reads: "Keep off the pant," we would like to know what it means.

Mr. Jas. Thompson had a piling frolic and dance both of which were well attended.

Mr. T. E. Pearson is travelling in the upper parts of the Province soliciting subscriptions for the "Co-operative Farmer."

Mr. D. M. Pearson has just returned from a business trip through Sunbury and York counties.

Mrs. Alexander who has been spending the summer with friends in St. John, has returned home feeling much better after her visit.

Mr. H. J. McManus has gone to Nova Scotia for the winter.

Mrs. D. M. Pearson and Mrs. B. W. Parker were the guests of Mrs. John Ward last week.

Miss Mary Ward, of Annidale, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Pearson.

Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents, at any Drug Store. Every bottle guaranteed.

North Forks.

Nov. 14.—The weather has been very warm here lately, and the snow which fell last Thursday has nearly all disappeared again.

Miss Addie Williams, of Salmon Creek, has left for Portland Me., where she intends to spend the winter months.

Miss Janie Dykeman has gone to Gifford, Me., to live with her sister Mrs. Richards.

Mrs. William Kadey went to spend the winter with her daughter in Portland, Me.

Mr. Arthur Wiggins who arrived home on Friday the 11th from New Hampshire with the remains of Harry Fowler, who was accidentally shot and killed, expects to return on Thursday, accompanied by a few more of our young men.

Jemseg.

Nov. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. George Brannen spent Sunday at Mr. Arch. Purdy's. Rev. W. J. Blakeney, Mr. B. Dykeman, and Mr. Wm. Dykeman went to St. John, on Monday.

Mr. R. Wright gathered a large bunch of wild strawberry blossoms Wednesday in his pasture.

Our blacksmith, Mr. Chambers, has moved into his new shop.

Miss Susie Gamble, of St. John, is visiting at Rev. W. J. Blakeney's.

Mr. Geo. Dykeman and sister are visiting at their uncle Mr. Henry Dykeman's.

Mr. Charlie Dykeman is having a furnace set up in his new house.

A young man from Jemseg drove to

Fredericton Saturday. It is rumored that he had serious intentions. Some of the young ladies of Jemseg are very fond of the white faced horse.

Miss R. Currie has gone to St. John to spend the winter.

Miss Grace Garnett has returned home after a very pleasant visit.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by all Druggists.

White's Cove.

Nov. 21.—There is to be a change in Postmasters at Mill Cove in the near future. Mr. John W. Farris is to be the new Postmaster.

John Mullin of Robertson's Point is moving on the farm of Hon. L. P. Farris at the Den.

The "May Queen" made her last trip here on Thursday. She has done a fine business this summer.

Your correspondent from McDonald's Point writing about the wedding of Dr. F. D. White formerly of White's Cove and Miss Hendry, omitted naming the following presents to the bride: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. White cash, and Mrs. C. W. White carving cloth which should have been added to the list.

The mail carriers from the station are all that is required and despite the very bad travelling they make good time.

Capt. E. Young has laid up the "Sea King" for the season.

Wm. S. Farris of Indiantown Hotel made a flying visit to friends at the Cove last week, everybody was glad to see him looking so well.

He Had Tried It.

Said a gentleman to a friend who was suffering from a cold: "Get a bottle of Cook's Sure Cough Cure, and you will soon see the difference between it and some of the sweetened water, sold as cough mixtures. I know for I have tried it. You want something that will take hold and relieve that cold at once. Cook's Sure Cough Cure cures." 25 cts. Sold by all dealers.

Chipman.

Nov. 21.—A number of experienced miners from Danville in the state of Illinois were passengers on the Central train last Thursday bound for the Elkins Coal Mines, which have been in active operation since they fell into the hands of the present company several years ago.

These mines are not located on the Grand Lake; neither are they what used to be known as the Grand Lake Coal Mines with which they are frequently confounded by many intelligent people, otherwise well informed, but they are located in the parish of Chipman, only a little more than a mile back from the station and the banks of the Salmon River.

The recent arrivals number eleven all told among whom are three whole families and a foreman in the person of Mr. Samuel Brockhouse, who is a practical miner and under whose management the hitherto undeveloped resources in this section will receive greater attention the coming winter than in all the previous history of the company.

The present depth of coal found is from 18 to 24 inches, but the consensus of opinion of the best authorities affirm that below the present seam will be found a much larger seam, and with this object in view the company intend before long to have the government diamond borer at work at these mines.

The company have recently built five new houses upon their property so as to accommodate additional families expected on next spring.

One of the morning papers of St. John in a recent issue contained two columns about a foreigner who was found many years ago, one cold morning all alone on the shore near Digby, N. S. He had both his legs amputated and could speak no English or give any information about his previous life or where he came from, and as the Municipal authorities refused to give him any help the government of N. S., generously donated this person \$100 per year until it has expended on him the snug little sum of \$4000 up to the present time and is still spending as he is in no hurry to shuffle off this mortal coil.

For the information of our bluenose cousins across the bay we have traced this mysterious stranger without a name to nearly half a century ago when he was according to tradition found half frozen up Gaspereaux. As there were no doctors in those days nearer than Gagetown he was conveyed to the shiretown for treatment, and the late Dr. Peters amputated his frozen limbs. After his recovery we are told the Captain of a schooner received a fee of fifty dollars to land him some place where he might find new friends against old age and they landed him accordingly on the coast of Digby.

Harry King has arrived home from a pleasant trip to the land of Evangeline and the happy hours he lingered in St. John made the ten days' vacation seem but as yesterday.

Chas. Nevins and Samuel Wilkins, of St. John, were here last week on a hunt for wild game and got a fisherman's luck.

Samuel Baird and crew have returned from Jemseg where they were engaged in building a bridge and will start to-day for Newcastle to reconstruct the Bailey bridge.

DO YOU BROOD?

Melancholia is a Grave Disease and Leads to Insanity.

A Broken Down Nervous System is the Cause of Trouble.

Paine's Celery Compound Nature's Nerve Bracer and Health Restorer.

Do you brood from day to day and make life a continued misery for yourself and family? If you are a victim of melancholia, understand at once you are suffering from a terribly grave disease—a trouble that induces suicide and homicide. One of the most celebrated physicians of the day says that there are several forms of melancholia: simple melancholia, melancholia agitata, melancholia attonita, and melancholia with stupor. The first two are the most difficult of recognition, and are the forms that especially endanger the lives of victims and their friends.

Some of the first and most important symptoms of melancholia is sleeplessness, depression of spirits, slow mental movements, terrifying hallucinations and aversion to food. The whole nervous system is soon in a most alarming condition, the mind becomes affected, and even insanity may show its hideous form.

Experience has proved that the ordinary medical treatment of melancholia falls in nine cases out of every ten, simply because the root of the disease is not reached.

Hundreds of cases of melancholia in all stages that have baffled the best medical men have been successfully cured by nature's nerve medicine—Paine's Celery Compound. This marvelous medical prescription does its work directly on the nerves. It tones, strengthens and braces up the entire nervous organization, and, as a consequence, the tissues and muscles are built up, and pure life-giving blood is freely supplied to every part of the body.

Reader, this should be an all-important subject to you if you are sleepless, despondent, languid, out-of-sorts, depressed in mind and mental faculties impaired. Your path of duty is clear. Terrible dangers are ahead if you fail to banish the first symptoms. Your present and future happiness and health depends wholly upon your choice of medicine. The use of Paine's Celery Compound at this time nears new life, health, vigor, activity, full mental powers and a length of happy years.

Hibernia.

The weather of late has been very wet and as a consequence the roads are very muddy.

The trustees of district No. 8, have secured the services of Mr. Bugle of St. John to repair the school house, and with the help of Samuel Davis of this place is pushing the job rapidly along to completion.

Bradford DeLong, of Carleton County, is visiting friends here.

A lively but somewhat tedious lawsuit took place at Peter Duffie's office today between Peleg Rathburn and Wesley McConchie. The parties were very ably represented by Messrs. Baxter and D. M. Nickerson. After spending an afternoon and evening a verdict was rendered for the Plaintiff for fifty cents and costs.

Mrs. Bogle and Miss Bogle of St. John and Mr. Francum of Long Reach, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Rathburn at their new home returned home the other day well pleased with their visit.

A pie social will be held at Hibernia Hall, Thursday evening, Thanksgiving. Proceeds to go toward the completion of the Hall. Come one! Come all!

COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS.

Newcastle Bridge.

Nov. 19.—Snow fell here this week but not enough for good sleighing, although a few sleighs were seen dashing around.

The Str. May Queen made her last trip to Newcastle on Saturday last.

The Chipman mail has been changed, coming now on Thursday and Saturday mornings where it formerly came on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Rev. Mr. Freeman, pastor of the Baptist church of this place, assisted by a few of his congregation, walled the cellar under the Parsonage in a very creditable manner.

Mr. Edward Beatty, of Fredericton, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this place, for the past few days, started for the capital on Tuesday last.

Two Papers for One Price.

We have made arrangements with the "Family Herald and Weekly Star" Publishers whereby we can supply that paper and the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE, for one year, for \$1.50. Subscribers will also receive the beautiful picture entitled the "Thin Red Line." Taking the picture into consideration, the subscribers for the "Family Herald and Weekly Star" and the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE will receive two papers for the price of one. This is a golden opportunity. Address, JAS. A. STEWART, GAGETOWN, N. B.

"Pride and dignity are all right," remarked the philosopher, "but a little work now and then was never known to hurt anybody." And he continued rocking the cradle with his foot.

Dear Honey.

In the speedy trial before Judge Wedderburn at Hampton yesterday, of Dick Church, charged with stealing a bee hive at Havelock, the prisoner was convicted upon the evidence of his accomplice, Sherman McCafferty.

The evidence disclosed the fact that the three boys, Stockton, Church and McCafferty, jointly stole the hive and hid it. This happened on Sunday evening. On the following day McCafferty told Branscombe from whom the honey was stolen, and then remained quiet until the following Sunday evening, when the plunder was divided.

The learned judge in commenting upon the evidence referred in scathing terms to the depravity of the informer McCafferty.

The prisoner was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary with hard labor. Ora P. King, clerk of the county court, for the prosecution, and Geo. W. Fowler, M. P. P., for prisoner.

PERSONAL.

Dr. J. A. Casswell left for Montreal on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. DeVeber have returned from a visit to St. John.

Mrs. R. T. Babbit, Miss Pearl, and Master Percy Babbit spent Sunday in Lower Jemseg.

Mr. Albert Vail was in St. John last week.

Mrs. N. Otty returned from a visit to St. John last week.

Miss Ella Simpson went to St. John last Thursday.

Mr. Howard Weston returned from St. John on Friday.

Messrs B. Babbitt and John Dickie were in St. John last week.

Miss Mary Dungee returned last week from a visit to St. John.

Miss Carrie Peters has returned from Digby, N. S., where she has been visiting her sister Mrs. Dr. DuVernet.

Miss Lulu Slipp, of Lower Jemseg, spent a few days here last week.

Mr. William Cooper paid St. John a visit last week.

Mr. Geo. Parks, and the Misses Parks, of Lower Jemseg, spent a few days last week with friends in Bethany.

Mr. Medley Vail who was visiting friends here has returned home.

Mr. Harry Cooper who has been enjoying a fortnight's well earned vacation, has again resumed operations with his threshing machine.

Mrs. Harvey Weston returned from St. John on Saturday.

Miss Clara Brooks of Upper Gagetown spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. T. S. Peters paid St. John a visit last week.

Mrs. J. H. DuVernet and family left for Boston on Saturday.

Miss Ella McKnight of Belleisle Creek, intends spending the winter with her aunt Mrs. Archie McAllister.

Mr. Wm. Hamilton spent Sunday in St. John.

Miss Angeline Kelley who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Alfred Brooks returned to her home in St. John on Tuesday.

Hon. L. P. Farris was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Joseph Mahoney went to St. John on Monday.

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