

Correspondence.

Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

BERLIN, N. H. Jan. 29th, 1899.

To EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE. Perhaps a few lines from here might interest your readers. First, let me say the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE is a credit to the county and deserves the patronage of all, and is like a message from many friends, as I see the names of many I knew, besides the local gossip, etc.

Our camp is built at the foot of a mountain, commonly known as, Old Speck, and about half a mile from the siding where we draw in about 90,000 a day. Our crew is quite large and there are many Province men, among whom is James Crawford, who did the best days hauling that has been done here this winter. I tell you Jim is a hustler.

Willard Milen is our boss, and a jolly good fellow he is, besides being a first class woodsman.

Ward Leary, our cook, is one of the best in the State, and finds favor with all the boys.

Byron Crawford, a chopper, has cut the most logs, and intends to beat all along as he knows how to do it.

And now Mr. Editor I will close, thanking you for space in your paper. Yours Sincerely X. Y. Z.

Petersville.

Mr. Wellington B. Fowler, a well known resident of Petersville, had the misfortune to break his leg near the knee, on the 8th inst., while twitching a tree out of the woods. He was going around a turn in the road and the tree bounced causing the chain to break and the tree to fly back and strike him. Dr. McDonald rendered the necessary surgical operation and Mr. Fowler was resting easy on the 10th inst.

Mr. Wm. Tilley, a life long resident of Petersville and an Ex-Councillor for the Parish, died at his residence, Olinville, on the 9th inst. He was well known as a school teacher and was much respected.

The residence of James B. Taylor, of Armstrong's Corner, Petersville, was burned to the ground on Friday morning, the 10th inst., caused by defecture in flue. Mr. Taylor saved most of his furniture.

Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvellous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis, and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Sold at any Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Hampstead.

Mr. Mayes Case of Wickham has two or three teams to work hauling cordwood out to the shore here.

A. D. Case also has two teams to work at the same business.

John Slipp who has been laid up for some time is able to be around again.

We have had quite a stretch of cold weather lately.

Election is about the main talk here now.

There was a public meeting held in the Hall at Hibernia last Wednesday evening in the interest of the local government. It was addressed by L. P. Farris, Isaac Carpenter, L. B. Tweedie and E. W. McAlpine.

Mr. Wilford VanWart is getting out cord wood.

Mr. Stephen Hamm is laid up with la grippe.

Mr. Stanley Golding who has been away from here for two years has returned home.

Miss Mabee of Hampton was a guest at the Woodville House last week.

There is to be a political meeting in the interest of the local opposition in Woodville Hall here on Tuesday evening. The speakers will be H. B. Hetherington one of the local opposition candidates for this county and S. L. Peters.

W. H. Perry pastor of this circuit was unable to attend his appointments yesterday on account of ill health.

Mouth of Jemseg.

Feb. 11.—The weather during the past week has been very cold the thermometer registering from 10 to 15 below zero.

The farmers have been kept busy hauling hay, during the past few weeks, from their intervals, and they seem to have quite a quantity to haul yet.

Lagrippe seems to be roaming over this section of country. Among those stricken are Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Nevers, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foshay and family, Miss Annie Foshay, Mr. James Reece, Mr. and Mrs. Luke E. Dewitt, Mrs. David N. Smith.

Caleb Heustis and sons who have been lumbering on the land recently purchased by them have finished cutting logs for this winter, and will spend the rest of the winter in getting steam-boat wood. Very little Rockland wood is being cut for

market, there being no demand. We wish to inform the travelling public that the roads are not staked across the rivers. The crossing is good and has been ever since it was staked on the other side. Now it is time that the Commissioners looked after this, and see that the road is staked, as strangers driving might be led near the mouth of Jemseg Channel, which is very dangerous during the winter period.

On account of so much sickness the C. L. & D. Club have not had any meetings during the past month. It is hoped that they will be able to meet next Tuesday night.

Miss Amelia Huestis has not been able to take charge of her school during the past week, lagrippe being the cause.

At present there seems to be considerable amount of talk concerning a high water wharf at this place, which is very much needed during the Spring of the year, there being considerable amount of traffic, such as beef, cattle etc. It is very inconvenient for the farmer to handle this produce so many times on and off a scow. Many of them have to take their cattle six or seven miles, where there is a high water wharf, in order to get them on the steamer without being injured. It is hoped that proper authority will take note of this, and that a speedy effort will be put forth towards the erection of a high water wharf.

Sleighbing parties seem to be the order of the day. The one which was to have taken place last Wednesday was postponed on account of sickness, also, the one on Thursday was laid over, the weather being rough and cold. At present there seems to be talk of one down as far as Mr. John O. Vanwart's during the next moonlight nights.

Despite the coldness of the weather many are wending their way towards the Shiretown to attend the nomination.

Misses Flora and Emma White will spend Sunday with their parents, at the Narrows.

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.

Highfield.

Feb. 3.—The Sewing Circle of the Episcopal church met at the Rectory on Thursday 26th January.

A farmers' meeting was held in the Hall here on the evening of Feb. 1. Speeches were made by Messrs. Ferguson, Hopkins and Hubbard, of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association. The Hon. L. P. Farris, M. P. P., and Isaac Carpenter, M. P. P., also addressed the meeting on the subject of agriculture. A large crowd was in attendance and enjoyed the meeting very much judging from the frequent and prolonged applause, and from the interest taken in the proceedings.

Lagrippe is getting to its work in this locality just now, whole families being prostrated.

D. M. Pearson, Gov. Scaler, has just returned from an official visit to his district, and reports a great many cases of lagrippe among the lumbermen. Scarcely a camp seems to be free from it.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Parker was gladdened by the arrival of a little stranger—a girl, on January 19th.

Mr. Chas. Pearson met with quite a painful accident the other day, by slipping off a log and spraining his ankle, while chopping in the woods.

Mrs. T. E. A. Pearson is visiting friends in Waterboro.

Mr. D. J. Hamilton and Miss Agnes Pearson were the guests of Coun. Leonard, of Annidale, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Pugsley, of Cambridge, are visiting friends in this place.

Mr. J. H. F. Ward visited the shiretown last week on business.

Summer Hill.

Feb. 11.—The annual meeting of the Queens County (West) Loyal Orange Lodge was held in No. 4 Orange Hall on Tuesday afternoon, 7th inst. There was a large attendance of the member of the order from different sections of the country. The reports of the different officers showed the order to be in a good condition. The election of officers resulted as follows:

- John Corbett, County Master. William McKee, County D. Master. Samuel McCallum, County Chap. A. M. Corbett, County Recording Sec. Geo. Francis, County F. Sec. Robert Corbett, County Treasurer. Robert Murphy, County D. of C. John Petty, County Lecturer. William Johnston, County D. Lect. John McKee, County D. Lect.

It was decided to hold the semi-annual meeting at Olinville, on the third Saturday in June at 2 p. m.

A social dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn, on Tuesday evening last. A very enjoyable time was spent.

There are a great many very severe cases of lagrippe in this community at present.

The family circle of Mr. W. W. Sutton

was recently enlarged by the arrival of a son.

Mr. John S. Kerr, of Boston, (formerly of this place), arrived here on Monday afternoon with the remains of his infant son for interment in the family burying ground.

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Red Deer School.

A summary of the returns for the Red Deer Public School for the year 1898 shows that school was kept open for 209 1/2 days exclusive of the days spent at Teachers' Institute convention. Ninety pupils were registered in attendance during the year, 49 of whom were boys and 41 girls. The total aggregate attendance was 8014, four pupils attended less than 20 days during the year, only two attended over 201 days. While there were none in the district between the ages of 7 and 12 who did not attend during the year over 60 days.

ADDRESS TO TEACHER.

Miss Hettie M. Keast was the recipient of a very agreeable surprise on the last day of school for the year.

She is very popular with the scholars and they showed their appreciation of her efforts by making a presentation of the following address, accompanied by a very handsome manicure set and handkerchief box. The address was read by Ethel Keast, and the presentations were made by Lizzie Cornell and Isabella Jenkins.

To Miss Hettie M. Keast:

Dear Teacher: Today our school over which you have presided, as our teacher, for the past 12 months closes for the year.

As we look over the past, we do so with pleasure, when we recount the many happy hours which we have spent within these walls, with you as our teacher.

When we look forward to the future, we do so with a great amount of satisfaction and pleasure, on account of the joyous season which we are about to enter, the Merry Xmas times; on account of the short relaxation from study and labor; and because when school opens with the beginning of another year, we are to have you as our guide and instructor for 1899.

Before parting (for the holidays only) we have determined to mark our esteem for you, by presenting you with this slight token of our regard for the earnest endeavors which you have put forth in our behalf. The value is not so intrinsically great as to lead us to the charge of ostentation. Its value, to you, we hope, will lie in the fact that it comes with the best wishes of your pupils.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we remain, Your Red Deer Pupils of 1898.

Dated at Red Deer, Alberta, this 24th day of December, A. D. 1898.

(Signed):

ETHEL KEAST, W. J. McLEOD, Committee.

Miss Keast, who was taken by surprise, thanked the pupils for their kindness in a very neat speech, and expressed the satisfaction she had in the work with them. She impressed upon them the importance of life and the fulfillment of life's duties, the power of example, and asked them always and everywhere to cast their power on the side of "Right." She dilated on the subject "the child is the father of the man" and that in their school work they were building the character which will be theirs when they become men and women and would be called upon to take up life's duties and responsibilities in the place of the men and women of today.

When Miss Keast took her seat the whole school rose and gave three cheers for their teacher. Before leaving the school Miss Keast treated her pupils to fruit, nuts and candy, after which the school closed for the year 1898, all going on their way rejoicing, singing "for she is a jolly good fellow."

School opens on Monday, the 9th with Miss Keast as principal, and Miss Stewart as first assistant.

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"One day I read in the papers of a man who had been cured of a complaint like mine, by Dodd's Kidney Pills. I decided to try this medicine, which was new to me.

"The first few doses convinced me that I had found a cure. I used only one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills, but even before I had finished it, every vestige of pain had left me—I was entirely cured. I earnestly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all who suffer as I did."

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MAUDE MULLER TO-DAY.

Maude Muller, on a winter's day, Got out and shoveled the snow away.

Her cheeks were red and in her eyes Was the sparkle that comes from exercise.

The judge came trudging through the snow, With his collar turned up and his cap pulled low.

He struck the path that Maude had made And a smile across his features played.

Lifting his cap, he stopped a bit, And she braced her shovel and leaned on it.

"You have done a good job here, I declare." Said the judge to the maid who was standing there.

"And have you no brother to shovel the snow, And where is your father, I'd like to know?"

"My brother's in bed," Maude Muller replied, "And my father is eating his breakfast inside,

"But I love to get out, at the break of day, And shovel the beautiful snow away.

"For it quickens my wits sets my cheeks aglow, And it makes me happy to shovel the snow."

The judge gave a sigh and lingered awhile, And left the maiden, at last, with a smile.

And every morning he trudged that way, And he and Maude met at the break of day,

Ah me, but the years have been travelling on— The judge married Maude and her roses are gone.

She has ceased to get up at the break of the day, And the others now shovel the snow away.

—Cleveland Leader.

Better than the Klondike.

No one who has a bad cough, which has racked their system, and bids fair to hold on through the entire winter, with all its misery and suffering should begrudge 25 cents to have certain relief. That is just what a bottle of Dr. Cook's Sure Cough Cure, will do. Sold by all dealers.

"Oh, oh!" exclaimed Mrs. B., crazed with toothache, "why can't people be born without teeth?"

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