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Correspondence.

Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

Petersville.

We are pleased to inform our readers that the roads in Petersville are drying up very quickly and it is thought that in a week or two people will be able to begin farming.

The young people of this place very much regret the departure of Mr. George Donovan, who left on the 22nd inst., for Boston where he intends remaining for the summer.

Mr. John Donovan has just returned from the woods in N. H. While there he had an attack of lagrippe, and has not yet rightly recovered from its effects, but it is hoped by his many well-wishing friends that he will soon be strong again.

The congregation of Rev. P. Farrell are pleased to learn that that he has been pronounced out of danger after a severe attack of lagrippe, and it is also hoped that he will soon return to his home and friends in Petersville, from St. John, where he has been during his illness.

Mrs. John Duplessis departed this life on the 22nd inst., leaving a husband and two small children to mourn their sad loss. Also the death of Mrs. Daniel Connors occurred on Sunday, 16th, after a lingering illness. She leaves a husband and four children.

Cole's Island.

Mr. A. West has made extensive repairs in his store adding more counter and shelf capacity.

Mr. C. E. Vincent gave a magic lantern entertainment at Mr. S. Perry's on the 17th, and it is reported that the proceeds are to go to widow, Mrs. B. Perry.

This community is about to lose one of its most valued citizens, in the person of Mrs. C. O. Phillips.

A number of the young people are leaving for the United States, among the most noted are Messrs. Carry Vincent and John Phillips.

Mr. Samuel Parker is about to part with his valuable span of draft horses.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. John Murray are about to remove from their former home to Monton.

Capt. Joslyn is making preparation for an extensive business in fishing this spring. He is making extensive repairs on his dorys.

Mr. William Carpenter, of Brookvale, passed through this place on Saturday enroute to Narrows to visit friends.

Mr. West S. Parker is soon to leave for the stream. The ice is expected to go out in a few days.

Mr. Ramsford Rankine has purchased a large supply of fence wire to be used in the manufacture of pallings.

Cyrus Kierstead, lost his rat-terrier. It was discovered, chasing a deer, by Mr. Frank Clark, of Canning. He promptly dispatched the dog and captured the deer and still has it in his possession. It is alive and doing well.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and am now well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise. This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. 50 cents and \$1.00, at any Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed."

Maurer'sville.

April 24.—The roads in this section of the country are almost impassable, as the snow is rapidly disappearing leaving considerable mud.

The ice in the river has made a start to-day much to the delight of the citizens as its usefulness is a thing of the past. Judging from the appearance of the snow within eight and reports from up river, the prospects are that we will have quite a dash of water.

R. A. McFaden has returned from the scene of his winters work on the Tobique.

Arthur Harrison has gone to join his brother in Montana. Two other stalwart youths have joined the exodus, Albert A. Trudwell going to Lowell and Thomas Mahony to New Hampshire.

Mr. Roger McElroy of Bath, Carleton Co., recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Addison McGrath.

Mrs. A. R. Miles is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. H. Thomas, in Digby.

Rev. Canon Roberts supplied the pulpit of Christ's Church last Sunday evening.

Mr. Wildes W. Simpson, travelling representative of Wallace & Fraser, returned to his home at Douglas Harbor on Saturday last. During the last four months, Mr. Simpson has been canvassing the Province of Ontario in the interests of the "Albert's Thomas Phosphate Powder."

Messrs. Harrison & Thurott have their hot houses in full working conditions.

Mr. Patrick McCluskey has commenced work on his new buildings.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is excited by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pill, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25 cents at any Drug Store.

Cumberland Bay.

April 29.—Spring has come at last, the roads in this place are as dry as they are in summer. The farmers are beginning to sow seeds.

Mat hooking parties and dances are the order of the day. The one held at the residence of Mr. Joseph Smythe was a grand success. Some of the young men of Coal Creek were present, music was rendered by Messrs. S. Weaver and Carl Fairweather. All enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

Sabbath school and prayer meeting has been started again in the school house at the head of the Creek.

Mrs. S. E. Barton who has been sick for some time, is rapidly improving.

Miss L. E. Clarke of Millstream is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. Charles T. Barton was the guest of Misses A. E. and E. M. Barton on Tuesday.

Rev. F. W. Patterson preached a very impressive sermon to a large and appreciative congregation on Sunday 23rd, inst.

One of the young ladies of this place intends purchasing a wheel for her enjoyment this summer.

May flowers and mosquitoes have made their appearance again. We all give them a hearty welcome.

Not less than six peddlars passed through this place on Wednesday.

The wild geese keep the young men of this place bustling. J. Smythe intends trying his luck with the birds to-day.

The GAZETTE is anxiously looked for and very much appreciated by the people of this place.

Mr. Jarvis E. Barton, our popular blacksmith, is kept busy this season.

Miss Ella M. Barton paid a short visit to her parents this week.

Cody's.

James McBratney, section foreman at Cody's, has built himself a large poultry house and run, with the latest improvements, and is evidently going into the raising of young chicks on a large scale.

Geo. A. Gaublin's wife presented him with a boy on Tuesday last.

Moses Starkey of Jenkins is re-shingling his house.

A young man from this district, who lately returned from the West, has gone into the paper hanging business. He took away a large roll of papers from Cody's Station on Friday morning.

Two enterprising sportsmen from Cody's started out from there one day last week with the intention of hunting wild geese or ducks. But game being scarce they had to content themselves with half a pound of maple sugar each.

Carpenter Matthews of Coal Creek is making improvements on the residence of Richard Hetherington, Jenkins.

The farmers are again preparing for the season's work.

April 25.—The weather here is fine and warm, some of the farmers have commenced ploughing.

The Washademok is clear of ice from the head down to Leon point today.

Mrs. E. M. Armstrong left for St. John last week.

On Saturday evening Mr. H. W. Scriver entertained a number of his personal friends by giving a party. Among those present were John Armstrong and Hedley Huggard of Thornetown and Mrs. Katie Waro and S. K. Foster of Starkeys.

W. Colby Perry left for the United States last week.

Messrs. S. K. Foster and H. W. Scriver were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crossick last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hetherington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Long.

Mr. H. B. Hetherington arrived home last Thursday from St. John.

Mr. George Gamblin is receiving congratulations on the addition to his family of a son.

The following officers were elected by Guiding Star Lodge, No. 200, I. O. G. T., for the next quarter:

W. B. Hetherington, C. T.
Miss Edith Hetherington, V. T.
Miss Mary J. Hetherington, Sec.
M. J. Doney, Asst. Sec.
James B. Campbell, Fin. Sec.
Miss Bertie Perry, Treas.
Mortimer Thorne, Guard
John Worden, Sentinel
Miss Letitia Starkey, Organist
James E. Roberts Esq., P. O. T.
George E. Perry, Chap.
Herb. Armstrong, Marshal.

Rev. Mr. Campbell, the new Presbyterian minister on the circuit, preached on Monday evening in the Public Hall.

Rev. E. K. Ganong has been unable to fill the pulpit in the Baptist Church lately on account of illness.

Have You a Chronic Pain?

This is an advertisement and is not for thoroughly well and robust persons, but is intended for those who are suffering from a chronic pain or weak back, who have difficulty in breathing, and who are sufferers from pain in the back, side or chest, such as overworked teachers, sales girls or housewives, or men who have had a sudden wrench, or long standing pain. Cook's Penetrating Porous Plaster, 25 cents will give you instant relief.

Cody's, Queens Co., April 28, 1899.

To EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE. Dear Sir: An item appeared in your issue under date of 23rd of April, which is misleading and also rather an injustice to the operator at Cody's. The article refers to the sending of a telephone message from Cody's with regard to Mr. Gib. Thorne's death, and says that a Mr. Wilson went to Cody's on Saturday, April 23rd, to send a message to Mrs. Thorne's brother and sister, one who lives at St. John and the other at Anagnano. Mr. W. says he paid for a reply but could not get one, so had to go to Gagetown on Sunday and telephone from there, when he found no message had been received from Cody's. Now the plain facts of the matter are these, a brother of Mrs. Thorne, a Mr. Black and not Mr. W. came to Cody's on Saturday afternoon, to telephone to Mrs. Thorne's brother and sister, he gave the messages to the operator and paid for them. Unfortunately the operator could get no connection with Norton, even after trying at intervals all the evening, and as he knew there would be no chance on Sunday, as he told Mr. B. before leaving, he had to wait until Monday morning, when he was able to reach Norton and get the message through to Anagnano. Not being able to get word to St. John in time for the morning's early train, the operator wrote to the brother, and sent the letter on Monday morning's train, being the quickest dispatch he could then give. When the train from Norton arrived at Cody's on Tuesday it brought the brother and sister, and the operator then returned the money for one message, less the postage on letter, as he had only sent one. It may be added that the telephone line from Cody's is the property of the Central Railway and therefore it is only as a convenience to the public that messages are forwarded, although they are paid for, but it would be advisable if the Supt. of the Central Railway gave this matter his attention and made some arrangements

whereby important messages of this kind might be transmitted without delay.

Trusting that you will find space in your next issue for this explanation and in justice to the operator at Cody's, who is always obliging and endeavors to facilitate matters of this kind to the best of his ability.

Yours etc., A. RESIDENT.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or liver trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at any Drug Store.

Sheffield.

Lagrippe is quite prevalent in this vicinity. Mrs. W. J. W. Bridges has been unable to attend to her household duties for some time.

Mrs. Harry Cowan of St. John, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Jonathan Bridges, who had the misfortune to fall, on Tuesday last, breaking her right arm just below the shoulder.

Wild geese are quite plentiful. S. E. Bridges shot two on Monday and turned several off their course and knocked feathers out of others.

Mr. Allan C. Harrison is we are glad to say improving after a very severe attack of quinsy.

Mr. Jack Randall, son of Mr. Samuel Randall of French Lake, arrived home from the States, on Friday, after an absence of seven years.

Mrs. Thos. Thompson has been suffering for some weeks past from injuries received by falling down cellar through a trap door. Dr. Camp is in attendance.

Mrs. Thos. Bridges is visiting relatives in Maugeville.

Rev. Obadiah Brown will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening next.

The roads in this section are in a very bad condition.

COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS.

Of Interest.

To EDITOR OF QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE. The writer noticed in your last issue an item from McDonald's Corner, concerning the whereabouts of George Wilson. The D. T., as was given under his own hand is held responsible for all that may happen in and around the said district.

He, pretending to be such a good templar should attend to his duties and not give those who are interested in his welfare so much trouble. Those interested would consider it a great favor if the Mouth of Janseng correspondent would inform them if he is still sleeping in the shadow of the Pines.

SUBSCRIBER. Chipman, April 22nd, 1899.

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The Clothing for Men and Boys is emphatically right. It has been gathered from reliable sources and is correct in fashion and quality.

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Immense variety of Tweeds and Serges in Sack Suits for Business and every day wear. \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00.

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It is hardly possible to give a description of a stock as extensive as we carry so we invite you to come and see.

Vestee Suits \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00.
Sailor Suits 75c., \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00.
Wash Suits in Crash Linen and Striped and Fancy Galatea, 80c., \$1.15, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

Galatea Blouses in Dark Serviceable Patterns for School, 50c., 60c., 75c.

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