

# Town of Pulteney Historian Report

May 2014

**Does anyone know where “Peeperville” was?** I heard my Dad talk about it, but don't remember where he said it was. If anyone has an idea, I'll put it in next month's report.

## **Pulteney News May 11, 1982 by Conny Tears**

The Pulteney Firemen's Queen Contest was held at the Pulteney Town Hall on May 3. The contestants were Christine Conley, Rosie Tears, Shawn Fleishman, and Tammy Hoose. All of the girls are 15 years old.

Shawn Fleishman, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Fleishman is Pulteney's new Fire Queen. Runner up is Rosie Tears, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Ronnie Tears.

Miss Fleishman was crowned by last year's queen, Stephanie Simonson.

The judges for the contest were Paul Colvin from Branchport, Dorothy Rosenquist of South Pulteney, and Bill Underhill of Prattsburg. Mike Teitjen was master of ceremonies.

Charles Christopher Gelder, son of Charles and Ann Gelder had his first communion at St. Gabriels of Hammondsport on May 2.

Charlie Gelder is now home after a recent stay at the Ira Davenport Memorial Hospital of Bath.

We wish Francis Overhiser, who is at the Ira Davenport Memorial Hospital in Bath, a speedy recovery.

Mr. & Mrs. Theron Robinson of Glods Corners District have returned home after spending the winter in Florida.

Lt. Commander Robert Curry of San Diego, Cal., who was in the area visiting friends and relatives, visited Mr. & Mrs. Ernie Daggett of Pulteney recently.

The ball teams of Pulteney held “Tag Day” on May 2. The teams collected about \$500 to help pay for their uniforms and equipment. Thanks to all of you who donated to these kids. Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Peek donated \$20 to the ball teams of Pulteney in memory of Mrs. Carol Yastremski and Joe M. Kennedy.

## **Pine Grove News May 10, 1894**

The Sunday school of this place is preparing to give an entertainment some time next week.

L. Dean of Arab Hill visited the family of Lafayette Stone last week. (Has anyone ever heard of Arab Hill??)

Daniel Bacon has been making extensive repairs on his house.

We hear that the South Pulteney Stock company are to have a neck-tie social at Hill's opera house, Saturday night, May 12<sup>th</sup>.

Rev. Bolivar of Mitchellsville preached last Sunday.

## **Catawba News May 1, 1919**

Mrs. John Gibson, who spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Schuyler Brown of Indiana, has returned home.

Miss Josie Youngs, of Pulteney visited Miss Bessie Goodrich over Sunday.

Miss Leona Bancroft attended the Eastern Star dance at Prattsburgh, Monday night.

Miss Mabel Smith of Prattsburgh is visiting Mrs. Roland Wykoff, for a week.

Mrs. Ann Ball and daughter, Miss Ruth of Hammondsport, are spending a week at their old home in South Pulteney.

Robert Hadden, who has been spending a month at his old home, has returned to Virginia.

Fred Cole has bought the Edmund Robbins Vineyard.

Mr. & Mrs. Judson McConnell are spending a month with their son at Woodhull.

Private Elliot Ball, who has been in France a year, sailed for home last Sunday.

### **Pulteney News May 20, 1886**

Mrs. Joe French and Fred Ferguson, of Rochester, spent a few days with S. L. Ferguson, his wife being Mrs. French's sister.

Mr. Albert Brush is following sheep raising. One of his ewes presented him with three lambs at one birth, all well and doing well. Who can beat that for an increase.

Mr. & Mrs. Milton Hall, a second born to them, a daughter.

Mr. & Mrs. George Boyd, another son.

Mr. & Mrs. Amasa Nichols, a son, born on the 52<sup>nd</sup> birthday of its grandfather, L. M. Nichols.

Mr. H. D. Landers and daughter Bessie returned from Florida Thursday of last week.

Mr. John Marvin of Horseheads gave his father, Samuel Marvin, a hurried visit the first of last week.

Rev. Bradbury was able to give his regular morning and evening sermons yesterday.

Mr. Amasa J. Nichols has added to his responsibilities, being now our justice of the peace, he having been appointed in the place of Ansalem H. Denniston resigned.

### **South Pulteney News May 20, 1886**

Mr. J. M. Clark of South Pulteney died on Tuesday, May 11, 1886. He was a man of warm attachments and large heartedness, and his death, although expected for some time, made all sad for he was much esteemed. The funeral was on the 12<sup>th</sup> and very largely attended. Rev. A. Myers preached the sermon. Burial in Shuart cemetery.

### **Elmbois News may 23, 1907**

Mr. B. J. Drew and daughter, Alice, visited his son, Willard Drrew and wife, at Prattsburgh Sunday.

Mrs. George Snyder and daughter Christabelle, visited her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Kearney at Gorham over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Townsend visited Mr. & Mrs. D. Wixom at Wixom Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Lida Williams and two daughters Marjorie and Genevieve of Middlesex visited her mother, Mrs. Delia Shrader, over Sunday.

Miss Mayme Snyder of Penn Yan visited her parents, Mr. & Mrs. George Snyder, and family over Sunday.

### **Won't follow advice after paying for it. May 8, 1902**

In a recent article, a prominent physician says, "It is next to impossible for the physician to get his patients to carry out any prescribed course of hygiene or diet to the smallest extent; he has but one resort left, namely, the drug treatment." When medicines are used for chronic constipation, the most mild and gentle obtainable, such as Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets, should be employed. Their use is not followed by constipation as they leave the bowels in a natural condition. For sale by C. F. Hayes, druggist.

Sharon Daggett

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**Donations given to Town of Pulteney**  
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None given this month.