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The Canada Lumberman for Apr 1 says:—It is not a cause of regret that the square timber trade of Canada is gradually passing into history. While in 1864 the exports of square timber were twenty million cubic feet, last year four million feet represented the total quantity exported. This is as it should be. The aim of every Canadian should be to build up the manufacturing industries of this country, and it is only by manufacturing the raw material as far as is expedient that this can be done. Looking at the question from all sides, we cannot conceive of any loss, either financial or industrial, that has resulted from the lessened exports of square timber. The logs which heretofore would have been made into square timber are now furnishing the raw material for our saw mills, and through them all other wood working industries. It may be that the farmer, from whom many of our hardwood mills obtain their supply of logs, will view with some alarm these changed conditions, but a little consideration will show that his fears are based upon erroneous ideas. Indeed, the farmer is almost certain to realize more for his logs by selling them to be manufactured into lumber than he would if sold for timber, to say nothing of the benefits that accrue to the country at large by the building up of manufacturing industries. In the past the farmer has been misled to some extent by the seemingly fancy prices offered by the square timber jobbers. Not being familiar with timber measurements, the farmer is prone to accept, without investigation, the prices which would seem to offer him the greatest returns. In many instances these prices have been an hallucination. The square timber jobber selects only the largest and best logs; these are hewn down until square, with a consequent loss of timber, for which the farmer is not paid. The mill owner, on the other hand, takes but one slab off the log and pays for the remainder. The next board on each side of the log will, of course, be a rough edge board, and a portion of each log, probably equal to two boards, will be converted into sawdust by the action of the saw, but there will still remain a gain of about two boards over the quantity which the square timber jobber will take. Another advantage in selling to the mill owner is that he will purchase logs even as small as six inches in diameter. The square timber operator rarely accepts a log less than 14 inches in diameter. The mill owner is then asked to come to the relief of the farmer and purchase the small logs, notwithstanding that, as is generally admitted, the wide lumber is to a large extent the manufacturer's chief source of profit. Is this fair? Let us take for example a log 30 feet in length and 20 inches in diameter. Such a log would make 38 cubic feet of square timber, equal to 456 superficial feet board measure. This same log, according to Doyle's rule, would give 480 superficial feet, showing a gain in favor of the latter of 24 feet board measure. Experience has shown that the board measurement of large logs is about thirteen times greater than the actual cubic contents of the square timber; hence, to give the farmer an equal revenue, the square timber operator should pay thirteen times as much for one thousand cubic feet of timber as the mill owner pays for one thousand superficial feet board measure. At the present time elm logs are being purchased by mill owners at eleven dollars per thousand feet B. M., the corresponding quotation for one thousand cubic feet thus being one hundred and forty-three dollars. This price, in our opinion, is rarely paid by square timber operators. Further, consideration is due the lumber manufacturers of this country, on the ground that they are large employers of labor, with capital invested, and striving to promote the interests of the community in which they live. If not accorded due consideration, the natural result will be the purchase of timber limits outright, which action will in many instances carry with it the removal of sawmilling establishments to other localities. The foregoing remarks are intended to show that, viewing the question from a national standpoint, the decadence of the square timber trade is after all but a boon to the country. It means better returns to the owners of timber, an increase in our manufacturing industries, and employment for the working man.

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briefly referred to by a few selections. Song—"Tell them I am gone, Tom," was well rendered by the Misses Meda and Laura Whittaker; "The charge of the Light Brigade" was recited in a masterly manner by Master Richie Stone. The O. S. sang "Joe in the copper" (comic) which was so vigorously encored that he (nolens volens) found it necessary to respond with "Johnny Sands" (comic.) George Cairns gave a couple of selections on the mouth organ in splendid style. Part song—"The Emigrant Ship," was, considering the absence of instrumental accompaniment, well rendered by the Misses Whittaker, Miss McArthur and F. Gee; but the master-piece was a couple of Gaelic songs, sweetly sang by twa wee sma lassies (the Misses McLeod) which fairly brought down the house and seemed to immensely tickle those of the audience who understood the words. The remainder of the programme consisted of dialogues, recitations, etc, which in every case were well rendered. "The Maple Leaf Forever," by the school, finished the program, after which the chairman introduced the audience to Oom Paul Kruger, who was lying under the Lion's paw, artistically drawn on the blackboard in colored chalk, by Master Frank Harrow. The schoolhouse was decorated with evergreens and Union Jacks. The word "Welcome" neatly executed in evergreens by Miss Robina Robinson, bore a conspicuous part in the decoration. The audience sang "God Save the Queen," and dispersed to their homes, highly pleased with one of the best entertainments which was ever given in our schoolhouse, thanks to Miss Beatty, our amiable teacher.

Three dollars and seventy-five cents has been collected by some of the children for the Indian famine relief fund.

Port Law

From Our Own Correspondent

The sad duty devolves upon us of chronicling the death of Mrs. Gamey, widow of the late Mr. John Gamey, 4th line Osprey, which took place on Monday last, after a protracted illness. She leaves a large family of sons and daughters to mourn the loss of an affectionate mother. She will be much missed in the community where she has lived and been respected for many years.

Mrs. Gregston, Eugenia, is attending the sick bed of her sister, Mrs. Napier, who, we are pleased to say, is now on the mend.

Mr. Edward Jamieson has gone to Brampton, where he has secured a good place at good wages, for the summer.

Miss Mary McLennan arrived home from Toronto last week, where she has been for some years past, to cheer the old hearth.

Mr. G. A. Moore, Public School teacher, is spending his Easter holidays with his parents and friends at Perth.

Miss Mary J. Jamieson scattered sunshine among her by arriving home from the "queen city" on Monday.

Mrs. Jno. Kerr, who was ill some time ago but recovered, is, we are sorry to state, in a very poor state of health.

Mr. R. T. White is also on the sick list, but we hope nothing serious may result.

The horse tradet has "gotten a guid una this time."

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Maxwell, March 12, 1900.

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The following teachers and students are home for their holidays,—Miss F. James of Metz. Miss Jenny James, of Cummock, Mr. Robt. Scott of O. S. Collegiate Institute.

Mr. Allen McDonald of Proton Station spent Sunday with his parents.

Messrs. Dan McArthur, Neil McLean and John McLean left for Montana last Wednesday.

Mr. Charles McKinnon returned to Calgary last week after spending the winter at his parental home.

Miss Maggie Matheson, who has been visiting her brother, the Rev. J. Matheson, left for Montana last week, where she will keep house for her brother.

Mrs. Hoggins of Whitby is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hogarth at present.

Markdale

From Our Own Correspondent.

Good Friday was observed as a public holiday in town and passed off very quietly. There was service in the morning in the Methodist church, in the English church in the evening, both of these services being fairly well attended.

A great many of our citizens visited friends out of town, while a great many who have been away from town for a while renewed aquantences.

The millinery openings were held last week and no pains was spared to make them very attractive, and we do not hesitate in saying that the milliners were rewarded for their pains. The display of hats and bonnets together with the decorations of that special department were extremely attractive and the most fastidious taste might be satisfied, for there were hats for all complexions and shapes.

Mr. Davide White, who formerly lived in Flesherton, but now of Toronto, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

The special service in the Presbyterian church on Sabbath evening was a satisfactory success. The lecture given by the pastor, Rev. Jno. Hunter, on the subject of "Famine," was ably handled and very impressive. The free will offering which was taken in behalf of the famine fund amounted to $18.00.

Mr. Geo. Hanbury of Dundalk is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. J. W. Whitby is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. K. Beaton, in Flesherton.

Mr. R. D. Watson, blacksmith, is digging a cellar preparatory to building a dwelling house.

Mr. Joseph Trelford moved to Proton to-day (Tuesday). We wish Jos. every success in his new home.

Mr. William Buchanan, of Williamsford, has resigned his position as postmaster of Williamsford. Mr. Buchanan has been a faithful and efficient official for fully fifty years. Mr. Robt. Gillies, of Williamsford, is an applicant for the position made vacant by Mr. Buchanan's resignation. Mr. Gillies would make an excellant postmaster and we trust he will receive the appointment.—O. S. Advertiser.

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From Our Own Correspondent.

Silence on the part of the correspondent in this section during the last three or four weeks is due to the scarcity of news. Neither births, deaths, marriages, or casualties of any description that we know of have taken place. Of the arrival or departure of visitors no intimation has been received, and the past state of the weather is well known to all.

Mr. John Boyce has re-engaged with his employer of last summer, near Brampton, and left for that place on Saturday, 7th inst.

We are glad to state that Lucy Pearl, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stone, has nearly recovered from her recent illness.

Miss Annie Barrow, a student of the Owen Sound Collegiate, is spending the Easter vacation at home.

Mr. George Boyce has purchased a good team of horses and intends to rush business this summer. More power to you, George.

Mr. John Snell has leased the McPhail farm for a term of five years. So far as we know, the McPhail farm is tenantless this year.

Mr. Ulrick Stone left here on Tuesday, the 10th inst., for his new home in Assiniboia. Ulrick is an exemplary young man, steady and industrious, is highly respected by all, and will be greatly missed by those with whom he was associated. We predict for him a prosperous future.

Our public school closed for the Easter holidays on Thursday last. The afternoon was devoted to an entertainment by the children and immensely enjoyed by a number of their parents and friends. The old soldier, though rather small to fill the chair, performed the duties chairman in a somewhat humorous manner. The program, which would occupy too much space in its entirety, may be

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Never in the history of Priceville has the Saugeen river been so low as it is at present at this time of the year. The ice in the dam has nearly all melted away. The old bridge just below the pond is still intact, although it was confidently expected the usual spring freshet would demolish it this year.

Assessor Bellamy was around taking stock of our burg last week. We have heard no grumbling so far.

Our village has done nobly towards the Patriotic Fund and also equally as well for the Indian Famine Fund, as the following contributions up to April 15 show: A.O.U.W. $10; St. Columba S.S., $10; C. E. $10; E. L. $3; Methodist S. S., $1.25.

Our blacksmiths are exceedingly busy these days repairing harrows, plows, etc. However, at the time of writing (Monday) very few in this vicinity have commenced using the foregoing implements this season.

Last week Mr. J. McDowell's valuable hound dropped dead near his house. Mac is certain the canine was poisoned.

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