Colonization Companies.

The following letter was forwarded to hs, sometime, since, with a reducest that we would publish it. We have hitherto overbooked it, but now do so with much pleasure, tion, pain, soreness, lameness, etc., and is

on the Primitive Methodist Reserve are mostly farmers from England. On the York Farmers' Reserve they are sons of Ontario Farmers, well equipped with money, implements, and experience. And then you ask the question. first, Would not these men have settled in the country if no one of these companies bad ever 'existed?"

larger number have located through the influence and by the aid of the Colonization Companies. The Primitive Methodist Colonization Companies. The Primitive Methodist Colonization Company organized a very effective agency under the management of the five agency under the management of the five Mr. Bee, of Toronto, and that gentle influence and by the aid of the Cotonization C mpanies. The Primitive Methodist Col-Quaixation Company organized a very effecliev Mr. Bee, of Toronto, and that gentla man himself went to England, delivered Co, Agusta, Maine. isctures there, distributed literature, wrote letters to the press, and succeeded in orrunizing a party of representative English farmers, whom he had conducted to and settled upon the tract of land allotted by the Government to his Company. Mr Gillespie, Manager of the Dominion Lands Colonization Company, spent the whole of last winter in Great Britain, influencing settlers and arranging for their cheap, speedy, and comfortable transport to the lands of his company in the Qu'Appelle Valley. Mr. John T. Moore, of the "Saskatchewan" Land and Homestead Co., either goes this us an emigration agent, to the United States. England, and Germany, or he sends an able representative of his company in Capt. Allen, late of the Toronto

The York Farmers Col. Co., it is true, have not exerted such a widely ramifying influence in getting settlers, but still they were well represented in Scotland last seaam by Mr. Alex. Hegg, late of the Ontario lumigration Department, who claims to have sent out several Scotch families with enpital, who were intending to go to Southern Africa, but are now comfortably settled ern Africa, but are now comfortably settled 11 the York Colony, N. W. T. A Scotch p.m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 1 tempaper, the Orkney Herald, of recent 7 80 Rev I Campbell, pastor date, contains a very interesting letter written by one of these settlers detailing the trip and its amusing incidents from Scotland. String and its amusing incidents from Scotland School at 1.30 pm. Rev W Bates, Rector

I could go on, if necessart, and state further facts which are within try cwn knowledge concerning the working of Colenization Companies, and the exertions which they are compelled to make in order to settle and make profitable their respec-I ve tracts, but let me assert that even it the Companies had not done may of the the Companies had not done may of the foregoing work to which I have referred, they have located settlers who, without their J H Sanderson, W.C. agency, would have been lost to the country, and hence such persons should be credited for their efforts. You have again charged the Government, and very justly too, with failing to provide the requisite and necessary facili ien to enable settlers to make their k. T. Of TENTEBANCE Richmond Hid Counhomestend and pre-emption entries, and alternative Tucsday evening at 8 of clock p. Beneficiary configurates is the North-West have cited many cases where intending set-iters, efter travelling long distances to the Councillor. It Sanderson Sules Councillor. land thire, either found their chosen homestend reserved for some purpose, withdrawn from settlement, or previously entered for, hunter turns his face to the fertile fields of A. Nicholis, Secretary Dallote, swears allegiance to Uncle Sam, and is lost pechaps forever to the Dominion of Can da through the negligence of its tulers. Now the Colonization Company scheme obvintes all this. As for instance, I will take the workings of my own company, the York Farmers', as an illustration. Our tract of land consists of about 175,000 acres, and during the past season we have had four resident agents, who are paid a commission by us for each entry they take, busy piloting intending settlers through these lands and guiding them to a choice of any untaken homesteads, which when made, the agent at once takes the settler's tegal entry and gives him a printed interim ecript with the Government stamp thereon. Moreover we have outside agents, bringing in settlers and handing there over to these four entry agents. Thus do we not only bring etclers into the country but by at-tording them facilities for inspecting and exploring the lands and becoming legally contributed for a homestead and pre-imption do we tetain them as citizens of Canada Again you ask in the second place, " would they (the settlers) not be better off to-day it no company had been placed between them and the Government.?" I answe, "No." I have shown that many of the settlers would not have been located at ail (xcept through the influence of the Companics. Let me now prove that those who use lacated are much better off by having the Company between them and the Govern-Take again the "York Farmers Col. Co." whose management I control as

lumber at cost price for the settler as soon as he can find time to haul in logs for that purpose. A flouring mill is in course of crection in the centre of the Company's lands, and just now very many of the settlers are engaged at good wages building the which will be ready to grind next year's crop. The Company have employed the settlers to draw about 30,000 feet of lumber trom the railway to this mill, paying them \$25 per thousand therefor. The Company have had a considerable quantity of land SHORTEST NOTICE broken and back-set during the season, for which they paid the settler \$9 per acre in cash. The Company have let a contract to their settlers to burn 400 000 brick next summer, paying them in cash for labor alone \$6 per thousand. The Company have laid out York City, and have presented a lot in it 50 x 140 feet in size to each settler. The Company have loaned, and are now loaning, money to the settler at 6 per cent

spring we made a trail, involving much

railroad across the Qu'Appeile River (upon

traffic continues to increase. The Com-pany are running over the trail a stage which makes a weekly trip to the colony.

per annum to buy improved seed and cattle, buildings, and otherwise improve his farm THE P Now, Sir, I ask you in all fairness, what

In the settler, under the circumstances off to-day than if no company had been placed between him and the Government.

Consideration for your much occupied space forbids my further presumption of its use only to say that I have reason to believe that all the colonization companies. which I have faintly enumerated, not better

that all the colonization companies in existance to-day are doing their extra best not II II only to fill up their respective tracts in accordance with their contract with the Government, but also in their own interests to make the settler contented and prosperous. JAMES ARMSTRONG,

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will admit in answer that some of these men might have so settled, but the cil.



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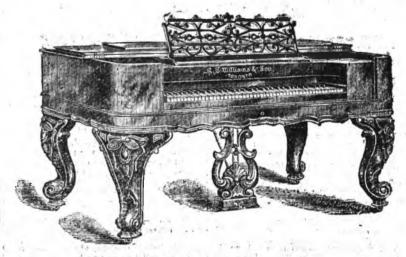
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