

THE CHRONICLE.

W. Irwin, Editor and Proprietor.

Durham, February 1, 1900.

To Our Readers.

The CHRONICLE this week is enlarged and we hope improved. For the past three years we have been handicapped for want of space and though we did our best to meet the demands of our readers, correspondents and advertisers we were unable to do so to our own satisfaction.

We trust our readers will be better satisfied, and that the better service we can render to them, as well as to our efficient and faithful staff of correspondents will be a full compensation for the extra labor and expense incurred.

To our advertising patrons, who have given us such liberal support in the past, we offer an expression of our gratitude, and trust that to them also we may be able to give better service which will be mutually profitable, if properly handled.

And now, to our readers generally, we tender our thanks for their support, and especially do we thank those who have always paid their subscriptions regularly.

Ramage-Calder Combination.

Our article of two weeks ago, entitled "Pass Round the Hat" has touched a tender spot in the Ramage-Calder combination as shown by last week's Review, where by a united effort they try to punish us, "our master and others," for our gross impudence in daring to discuss a public question.

and others," according to Mr. Calder's insinuation boss the business here.

To Mr. Calder, the Solon, Soorates and Homer, of Durham, the trine embodiment of wisdom, reason and eloquence, the opulent Rothschild, and heavy tax payer, of the town and the only tongued agent whom the farmers delight to see, wilt thou, William, in thy great power and majesty condescend to listen to the plaintive pleadings of a poor unfortunate pauper, whose influence counteth nothing and whose taxes never swell the town treasury.

We see that the Editor requests correspondents to be more punctual in their writing, especially for this issue. We came to the conclusion that we were one of the number the demand was intended for.

Our roads are all ice, and it is almost an utter impossibility to get along without being sharp shod, for we have had an experience of what it is to walk upon ice lately. Coming home from a social held in the Presbyterian Manse Priceville, Ladies, Gentlemen and horses were in danger of receiving broken bones, but fortunately we do not hear of any accidents happening so we will proceed as usual.

THAT THROBBING HEADACHE.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches.

It's Easy To Take

Thin, pale, anæmic girls need a fatty food to enrich their blood, give color to their cheeks and restore their health and strength. It is safe to say that they nearly all reject fat with their food.



is exactly what they require; it not only gives them the important element (cod-liver oil) in a palatable and easily digested form, but also the hypophosphites which are so valuable in nervous disorders that usually accompany anæmia.

SCOTT'S EMULSION is a fatty food that is more easily digested than any other form of fat. A certain amount of flesh is necessary for health. You can get it in this way.

We have known persons to gain a pound a day while taking it.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

TOP CLIFF.

We see that the Editor requests correspondents to be more punctual in their writing, especially for this issue. We came to the conclusion that we were one of the number the demand was intended for.

Our roads are all ice, and it is almost an utter impossibility to get along without being sharp shod, for we have had an experience of what it is to walk upon ice lately.

Mr. Alex McCannel and sister, Katie, are for the last week visiting their friends, McCannel's and McCuaig's, of this place.

Mrs. Neil McDonald is suffering with congestion of the lungs for the last week or ten days. We hope by careful treatment she will recover, although her case was rather a doubtful case at one time, but we are pleased to find her somewhat better than she was.

Among those that identified themselves at the social, at the Manse the other evening in oratory from Top Cliff, were Councillor McCannel and Ex-Dpty. Reeve Archie McCuaig, both giving good solid speeches suitable for the occasion.

Miss Maggie McInnis, of Calgary, is spending a few months with her brother John, and sister, Mrs. Duncan McDonald. It is five or six years since Miss McInnis left the old home.

As St. Columbia Presbyterian Church, Priceville, is largely represented from this side, we take the liberty of giving a synopsis of the annual meeting held on the 15th Jan., in the basement of said church.

A Frightful Blunder. Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it.

VARNEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Little are spending a week with Walkerton and Teeswater friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark are visiting Egremont friends for a few days. U. S. S. No. 1, Normanby, opened a week ago last Monday with a good attendance of about 45 scholars.

Have not seen Will Clark since the wedding. We were wondering if he had gone to South Africa with the second contingent.

Mr. John Morrice and Miss Hannah Fee were visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. McCaLmon, of Dornoch, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fleming, who have been visiting at their uncle, Mr. J. Aldred's, are leaving to visit friends in Barrie before leaving for their home in the West.

Mr. and Mr. R. J. Eden were visiting Egremont friends last week.

Charlie Gadd has been busy cutting wood in Mr. Wm. Smith's bush this last month. I tell you he has a large pile of it put up.

Mr. R. B. Irvine gave us a brief call the other day and we had quite a good old chat on old times. Call again Richard.

John Carson and Geo. Petty are engaged with Mr. J. W. Blyth to cut a couple of hundred cords of wood if the weather hangs out.

Billy Bryans is keeping batch hall in the house lately occupied by Mrs. T. Hill.

Dave Allan had a wood bee last week and got home a nice lot of wood.

Mr. Thos. Derby, of your town, is attending to the wants of Adam Little's costumers this week.

Mr. Thos. Allan is not improving very much of late but all hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

The Lecture in the Orange Hall was not very largely attended on account of the awful cold snap that day. The people missed a treat as it was first class. Did not hear the proceeds.

Mr. Arthur Clark has changed his course a little. Instead of going south he started to go east thinking it is warmer. Art is quite a boy you bet.

Messrs. R. Pettigrew, A. Little, E. Gadd, are all thinking of taking a trip to the North West in the spring.

Mr. Clark is getting in quite a number of logs, as he is paying highest cash price.

EDGE HILL.

We are very much pleased to hear that the report that Mrs. D. Firth had fallen on the ice near the barn and fractured her leg was altogether untrue, and we are pleased to say Mrs. Firth is going around as bright and cheerful as ever.

Miss M. A. Edge has had her hands full lately as both her mother (Mrs. S. Edge) and sister have been very ill. We are glad to say both are on the road to recovery.

Quite a number of Edge Hill young folks attended the party given by Mr. G. Lawrence on Wednesday night last. All enjoyed themselves. They did not get home till morning. Some very tired young folks around next day. Eh, boys?

Mr. R. Ecor is busy these days taking out logs and bringing home lumber. He is preparing to build a woodshed, erect verandahs and in other ways improve his already cosy home as soon as Spring opens. B. is a hustler.

Preparations are being made for a monster concert to be held in the Edge Hill School House in about three weeks. Dominie Collinson is busy training his scholars and is being ably helped by members of the section. This is to be one of the successes of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jasper, of Walkerton, spent a couple of days visiting on the Avenue last week.

The Edge Hill scales are in great demand these days. The people wonder how they did without them in the past.

AN ENORMOUS SALE

To all who have felt the evil effects of deformed kidneys it is interesting to know that Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are meeting with enormous sale and unparalleled success in this district.

BLACKLEG has broken out among the cattle in the Glenvale district. A veterinary surgeon vaccinated the animals in the affected district.

Advertisement for Dr. A. W. Chase's Catarrh Cure, 25c. It is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Uroter.

Student Admitted Any Time!



STRATFORD, ONT. A School that offers advantages in Canada. Large staff of expert instructors; increased attendance; up-to-date training; scores of students placed in good paying situations; students in attendance who come from places in which are located other business colleges.

Pumps.

I BEG LEAVE TO INFORM MY CUSTOMERS and the public in general that I am prepared to furnish NEW PUMPS AND REPAIRS. DIG. DRILL. CURB. RE-CURB. & PRESS-URB WELLS.

T. MORAN,

General Blacksmith. HORSESHOING A SPECIALTY. Shoes made for all kinds of diseased or deformed feet. A CALL SOLICITED.

Big 4, Calder's Block, - DURHAM. -

He Sells Cheap!

- Floor Oil Cloth, 45 in wide - 32c Yard. Floor Oil Cloth, 4-ft. 6-in. wide - 40c Yard. Floor Oil Cloth, 6-ft. wide - 50c Yard. Table Oil Cloth, 45-in wide - 20c Yard. Granite Pie Plates, 15-in. - 13c Each - 2 for 25c. Granite Wash Bowls, large size - 25c Each. No. 9 Nickel Plated Tea Kettle - \$1.35 Each.

W. H. BEAN.

Millinery!

I get to intimate that I am still in Business, and prepared to supply the public with anything in the Millinery Line. S. CULBERTSON, DURHAM. SHOW ROOMS OVER SCOTT'S STORE.

Saw - Logs Wanted

Aberdeen Saw Mill.

Table with columns for wood types and prices: MAPLE \$9.00 \$7.00 \$5.00 per 71; BIRCH 9.00 7.00 5.00; SOFT ELM 9.00 7.00 5.00; BASSWOOD 9.00 7.00 5.00; BEECH, 7.00 5.00 4.00; BLACK ASH 11.00 8.00 5.00; PINE cut 14ft. 11.00 8.00 5.00; CEDAR 6.00 5.00 4.00; SPRUCE 7.00; HEMLOCK \$4 to \$6 accord'g to leng.; TAMARAC \$4 to \$6.

Logs will be classed according to quality and size, and to be cut as much as possible, 12 ft. long, allowing three inches. J. W. CRAWFORD.

A. GORDON

Watchmaker and Jeweller, Lower Town, - DURHAM.

Golden Butter Color 10c a Bottle.

Golden Butter Color is a true vegetable Butter color and is free from odor, and in no way affects the taste of butter. Pronounced the best and cheapest in the market. Only at

Parker's Drug Store.

BRITISH MURRAIN POWDERS

For acute indigestion or what is commonly known amongst cattlemen as "Dry Murrain." This Powder if given in time, will give prompt relief and effect a cure. Sold only at

Parker's Drug Store.

Peel The Shoe Man



HAS X X REMOVED

To Brown's New Store, north end of Calder Block where he will be pleased to meet all his former customers and all others who wear Boots, Shoes, Rubbers or Footwear.

FELT WEAR.

In Felt Goods we have fourteen different lines to choose from, and for the balance of the season, we will sell them at cost.

Custom Work! Leave your Measure for Spring wear.

PEEL, THE SHOE MAN.

Grant's Ad.!

"PEOPLE MAKE MISTAKES IN buying. They buy too much or not enough and frequently not the right thing.

Now This Has Been Our Misfortune!

THIS TIME we bought far too many Youth's Suits of Clothes in Size 33 Long Pants, and to get rid of them we cut prices away down. How we do it:

SUITS that were \$5.50 and \$6.00, now \$4.50. SUITS that were \$4.50 and \$5.00, now \$3.60. Come early and get the BEST.

C. L. GRANT

1900 is Here!

And Fresh Groceries... For the Festive season have just arrived at MacArthur's. Call and test our Canned Goods, and other supplies suitable for the Xmas trade.

We Invite You To see our display of Gent's Furnishings. OUR BOOTS AND SHOES ARE ALWAYS TO THE FRONT.

C. MacARTHUR