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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Mr. H. V. Cottrell, of North Bend, B. C., telegraph operator and agent on the C. P. R. at that point, arrived in town a week ago Saturday night. His business here was guessed at by some, but known only to a few. To be plain about it now since the secret is out, he came to get married as will be seen elsewhere in this issue. In a short interview with Mr. Cottrell we learned that North Bend is an important divisional point on the C. P. R., 129 miles east of Vancouver and 125 west of Kamloops. At this point the engines, engineers and conductors are changed, all cars, engines, way bills, etc. inspected and repairs made if necessary. The climate is healthful. Lying as it does almost between the wet and dry belts of British Columbia, North Bend has a sufficiency of rain but not too much like some places farther west, nor yet too little as experienced by those living in places a few miles to the east.

The country is not suited to agriculture, but gold mining is carried on to a considerable extent. On the Fraser river near North Bend the Sixash Indians are engaged in placer mining and just now a new dredge for mining purposes, is being put in at a cost of over half a million dollars. Besides this hydraulic and quartz mining is being carried on in the vicinity, but as to the financial aspect of the question Mr. Cottrell tells us nothing is known by the general public, and any opinion that must be formed is based wholly on the fact that operations have been going on now for years and new machinery is being constantly added.

The scenery both east and west is described as magnificent and romantic, and from photographic views of the neighborhood we have no doubt that nature in her primeval grandeur appears here in her full glory. We were pleased with our brief interview and learned something from the free and genial Mr. Cottrell answered our questions.

EXAMINE THE TONGUE. The skilled physician reads your condition by a glance at your tongue. If it is coated and you have a bitter taste in your mouth in the mornings he knows your liver is torpid and sluggish and prescribes the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They cure biliousness, stomach troubles, and all liver and kidney disorders. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box. At all dealers.

HENRY'S CORNERS.

Mr. Andy Hunter last week tripped around his last year's route to see how many would re-new their patronage of the Holstein creamery. The result is he will have a full load next summer.

This Wednesday Mr. Thos. Daley will join heart and hand with Miss M. Moore and travel together the journey of life which we predict will be most successful as both possess health and vigor, are energetic and are taking an early start. We join the people of this part in wishing them much happiness.

A large number of the young people gathered at the home of Mr. W. Hunter one night last week and spent a few happy hours as is often done at Mr. Hunter's. They are a most hospitable family.

Mr. Sam Patterson, Jr., was so unfortunate last week as to lose one of his team by inflammation or influenza ways as it is termed by some who have suffered loss by it and in fact there has been many fatalities through it lately.

Mr. Jas Mathews has purchased a fine bay horse for a handsome sum, and Mr. Sam Patterson, Sr., has also purchased one to take the place of the one he lost a fortnight ago.

A wedding takes place over on the South Line on Wednesday. Mr. Henderson and Miss McPhail congratulations.

Hadn't you better put up a picket between your Rob Roy and Bunesan Scribs? We notice they occasionally have a tug of war over very pleasant news such as young ladies visiting in that part.

Mr. Jas. Wilson is preparing to take the manure of his farm again this summer and has laid in a quantity of hay. His intention is to engage some good man to do the work. Jas. Mane vacates it about the 10th of March and moves onto the new farm he purchased from Mr. Geo. Lawrence.

We intended to give as an evidence of the icy, bad state of our hills back here Sam Allan's experience, mishaps and inability to climb one of them, but we have been authoritatively informed that he was driving four girls in a single cutter at the time. We will dismiss the case as that would not be very conclusive evidence.

Miss Katie Black is assisting Mr. J. G. Johnson's mother in looking after his household duties at present.

The sheriff was down this way from the County Capital last week and left invitations with Messrs S. P. Peters, Sr., T. Reid and R. Nelson to attend as jurors the Spring Assizes. All right good men.

Mr. John Allan, Jr., has gone to the vicinity of Alma to spend the summer. He will be much missed around here as he did much to keep up the good cheer of the place.

Sawmiller G. W. Wilson is getting in his stock of logs. Prices are considerably better this year consequently a much larger supply is coming in.

TRAVERSTON.

There are very few of the pioneer well-bodied cutters left in the country. Dave Kerney parted with his last week for one of the modern beauties.

Mr. Joe McGrade recently visited friends at St. Catherine's and Stratford. Joe is greatly attracted by the country south and west.

The Council is making a wise move in letting the contract for the Glen-cross bridge at such an early date. It will give contractors an opportunity to get the material on hand before spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cook took a trip down to see Normanby friends

on Saturday. Mrs. C. will remain a week. Tom is busy getting out the timber for a stable to be erected on newly purchased property next summer.

The Robson home was brightened last week by the presence of Miss Maggie Robson, of Durham, and Miss Renon-of Hamilton.

Mr. Napper and two sisters, Misses Hattie and Maggie, of Carzill, are the guests of Mr. E. W. Hunt's family at present.

Parties are the rage just now. A score of Edge Hill Sweet Hearts spent Thursday evening with Tom and Mary Glencross. A select group of Zionites, and a number from Glascott, purpose surprising Mr. and Mrs. Jack on Thursday night, while smaller groups meet quite often. Surely we'll soon have some bridal costumes to portray.

Zion Epworth Leaguers are having a bright Literary on Thursday night. It promises to be a most entertaining evening. Adults will be charged a nickel, but will get a quarter's value.

Mr. Waring, of Vande-leur spent a couple of days last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Will Timmins.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cts. a bottle. Every bottle guaranteed, at any Drug Store.

CORNER CONCERNS.

Mr. Wm. Mathews' sale was well attended and brought fair prices despite the stormy day. Auctioneer MacKay holds the hammer faithfully over every article whether it storms or shines, until it has brought its worth.

Mr. Jim Eden is able to be around again, and is commencing to get things in shape for his numerous framing contracts.

Mr. Pete Black has purchased the farm of the late Mrs. Micks. It is the other half of the farm which he already owns. Price \$370.

Mr. Colin Blyth, of Normanby, drove up the other night to see Mr. G. W. Wilson, of the mill after the last hay, and like what many other men have done drove into the pond on the townline, and had considerable difficulty in getting his horse and rig out safe, as the water in the centre was up to his chin, although for some distance until a narrow piece of road is reached, which is elevated a few feet the water is only a few inches deep. Other such experiences in the same place led to petitions and warnings being sent to the council with no results so far, but a lot of broken promises. This incident may cause the matter to receive more consideration as Mr. B. declares if any serious results come from the bath he got he will sue for damages. We understand his horse was, at one period, in great danger of being drowned.

Mrs. C. Gray's home last Friday night was enlivened by the presence of a full sleigh load of her old friends and associates, of Normanby, who, with a selection from this part, spent a very pleasant night in games.

music and chit chat, with some gymnastics thrown in while their enjoyment going and coming was through their voices singing and joking while their arms were going to waist.

Judging by the ultra patriotic sentiment of the people of this part, our Patriotic Concert in the school Friday night, will surely be a success financially as well as otherwise. Some who fear their inability to be present have manifested their sincerity by handing in the amount of their admittance to the managing committee. A full house is expected.

Mr. George Lawrence, Sr., is suffering from an attack of quinsy, a disease which the whole family are very much addicted to, with the exception of Mr. William or Bill as he is usually called. He declares nothing has ever effected his throat or voice either.

General Jottings.

Lulu Manley, a six-year-old girl was smothered to death near Welland by a straw stack falling on her.

Clayton Kimberley, a resident of Belleville, was killed last week by a falling tree.

At a meeting of the representatives of the Dominion held in Montreal last week, it was agreed to advance the price 25% on all kinds of paper.

An Earthquake shock of several second duration was felt at Vankleek Hill on Monday morning of last week.

The Ontario Dental Association met in Toronto last week. Though the meeting was more largely attended than on former occasions only about 150 were present, out of 650 graduates.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard St., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"it soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." So will everyone who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 at any Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed.

Mr. Robt. P. Wenger is coming to the front in the poultry and pet stock line. On Monday he purchased an excellent Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel from B. Moore, of Durham, for \$2.50. This bird weighed 8 1/2 pounds when 8 months old.—Ayton Advance.

What Our X's say about Us

Our Exchanges and Correspondents say the Change is an Improvement. Thanks For Kind Wishes.

THE DURHAM CHRONICLE has been very much improved by a change in its make up from a 12-page 5-column sheet to an 8-page 7-column.—Mt. Forest Rep.

The old pioneer weekly, THE DURHAM CHRONICLE, has been enlarged to eight columns and is now one of the largest papers published in the country. Bro. Irwin has shown considerable enterprise in enlarging and improving his paper, which, no doubt will be appreciated by the business men of Durham as well as by his large number of subscribers.—Post.

A "jury" of doctors, specialists and medicine venders decreed that James Smith, of Grimsby, Ont., should spend the rest of his days in agonizing chains of rheumatism.

of three days recovery was so marked that the patient walked without assistance. Many have had a similar experience and have testified to it.

James Smith, a dairyman of Grimsby, Ont., was a great sufferer from sciatica and rheumatism. He was almost helpless; could not walk without crutches. He had tried any number of remedies, and had been treated by almost innumerable doctors without any permanent help. He began using South American Rheumatic Cure. In a few hours pain left him; in a few days he threw away the crutches and has never had a touch of the trouble since. You are at liberty to write him about his own case. No need for an hour's suffering. South American Rheumatic Cure can do as much for you as it has done for thousands.

South American Nerve is a wonderful tonic for the stomach. It cures all disorders of the digestive organs, repairs exhausted nervous power, puts on flesh, and is a general health builder.

South American Kidney Cure is a liquid kidney specific; it cures Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Inflammation of the Bladder and all disorders arising from imperfect working of the kidneys. It gives relief in six hours,

The Big Store! J. A. HUNTER. The Big Store! WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED 823 Pairs of Boots. In one shipment FROM A MANUFACTURER LAST WEEK. The Amount of our Sales Last Year was a Record Breaker with us but we want 1900 to be still larger. Stock taking shows a number of Remnants and Bargains such as these: Men's Heavy Duck Shirts, worth 75c, for 50c each. Fine Gingham, open front Shirts, worth 75c, for 55c each. Men's Blue Polka Dot Wearing Shirt, Collar attached, 65c each. Men's Heavy All wool Black Socks, made of our own yarn, at 30c pair. 1,500 Yards Crum's Prints! THESE PRINTS are known to be the very best made, and as we are the only people in Durham who handle them, you will save money by buying now as they have all advanced very high. Our Price is 12 1/2c Yard. The Same Old Price! NEW DRESS GOODS—In every style and shade. We are doing the largest trade in Durham in Dress Goods and the reason is simply because we carry the best Stock. New Wall Papers and Carpets! Lace Curtains & Roller Blinds! J. A. Hunter, - Big Store.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

The council met Feb. 12th pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Communications read as follows:—From Messrs. Rutledge, Ramage and Irwin, tenders for Printing; from C. W. Rutledge, an account for Advertising; from Barwick, Ayleworth and Wright, relative to Boyce do at on; report of Committee on Treasurer's securities; report of Committee appointed to interview Jas. P. Hunter, relative to deviation; from Dr. Rice, asking assistance for free Consumptive Sanitarium; from the Municipal Ward, an account for Assessment Rolls and Road Lists.

McConnell—McInnis—That the Report of the Reeve and Council for 1900, as to the full tenor of the Treasurer's securities be accepted and filed, and that they be paid \$2 each for their services, also \$1 for searches. Carried.

Arrowsmith—McConnell—That the Auditor Report as re-audited by the council be received and do, and that the Clerk be paid \$20 copies of the same printed for distribution among the ratepayers, and that the auditors be paid \$5 each for their services. Carried.

Firth—McConnell—That Guy Williams be paid \$10 for 60 cords of wood for Mrs. Wilson. Also that Godfrey McTaggart be paid \$2.50 for timber for wood for Hugh McDonald. Carried.

McConnell—McInnis—That as the deviation across part of Lot 24, con. 11, was established and By-law No. 124 passed October 6th, 1874, and registered in the Registry office for the South Riding of the County of Grey, on the 21st November, 1874, that this council take no further action in the matter, and that the Clerk send a copy of this resolution to Messrs Barwick, Ayleworth & Wright, Toronto. Carried.

Arrowsmith—McConnell—That C. W. Rutledge, of the Standard be paid \$1 for advertising Court of Revision for 1898, also \$1 for 1899, and applications for assessor seventy-five cents. Carried.

McInnis—Arrowsmith—That C. W. Rutledge, of the Standard be awarded the Township printing for 1900, his being the lowest tender. Carried.

McConnell—Firth—That the report of the Reeve's Local advice concerning the Glen-cross Bridge and deviation be adopted and filed, and that he be paid two dollars for his trouble. Carried.

McConnell—McInnis—That the Reeve be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for a new bridge at Lot 5, Con. 9, and have the contract let as soon as possible so that contractor can get materials on the ground first winter. Carried.

Firth—McInnis—That The Municipality be paid \$5.14 for Assessment Roll and Road Lists. Carried.

Arrowsmith—McInnis—That Wm. Black be paid \$1.10 for kettles for stall. Carried.

Arrowsmith—McConnell—That the Reeve Peter McInnis and Joseph Firth be paid \$5 each for committee work, and the Reeve \$5

for expenses to Owen Sound at the Good Roads Convention. Carried. Firth—Arrowsmith—That By-Law No. 356, appointing Township officers be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed on the By-Law Book. Carried. McInnis—Arrowsmith—That the Clerk be paid \$20 on salary. Carried. McInnis—Firth—That Dan McArthur be paid seventy-five cents for retaining bridge at Lot 27 Durham Road. Carried. The Council adjourned to April 16th, at 10 a.m. J. S. BLACK, Clerk.

An exchange reports that it received the following communication from one of its patrons:—"Send me a few copies of the paper which has obituary about death of my child a month or two ago. You will please publish the enclosed clippings about my niece's marriage, and I wish you would mention in your local columns, if it doesn't cost anything, that I am going to have a public sale and will tent part of my farm, also that I have a few extra calves to sell at public auction. Send me a few copies of the paper this week, but as my time is run out you may stop my paper, as times are too hard to waste money on a newspaper."

Droppings in the Throat

A Symptom of Catarrh Permanently Cured by Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure.

The hawking and spitting which the catarrh sufferer goes through in the morning to clear the throat of the droppings is a marked symptom of this distressing disease. In the early stages the discharge may be slight, but it becomes so thick and tough that considerable effort is required to expel it from the throat.

It is encouraging for the catarrh victim to know that he can be relieved of this distress and permanently cured of catarrh by using Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Both acute and chronic catarrh are eradicated from the system by Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. It clears the choked up passages, heals the ulcers, and quickly conquers disease.

Mr. Thomas Squirell, 214 Bay Street, Ottawa, Ont., states:—"I was afflicted with a very severe form of catarrh for nine years, and was so bad that the doctors gave me up to die of consumption. A careful, systematic use of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure brought about a complete change. I no longer have any hawking and spitting, and am perfectly cured. The doctors burnt out my throat three times for this disease."

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A RHEUMATIC CRIPPLE'S RELEASE!

A "jury" of doctors, specialists and medicine venders decreed that James Smith, of Grimsby, Ont., should spend the rest of his days in agonizing chains of rheumatism. But common sense and modern medical science produced rebuttal evidence and procured his release.

Great South American Rheumatic Cure turned the tables, relieved the pain in a few hours and healed, Cured and Freed.

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from the distressing, wracking, burdensome ailment. No medicine of modern times has proved half so effective in giving almost instant relief, or has made as many cures bordering on the miraculous, as the great South American Rheumatic Cure. So often has it proved its efficacy in cases that were placed on the "no cure" list by doctors and specialists, that many of the most eminent lights in the profession have been frank enough to make confession that South American Rheumatic Cure, without discussing its formula at all, has proved the most efficacious of remedies, and to

back up their convictions are prescribing it daily in practice; and doctors have always been the slowest to convince of the merits of any proprietary remedy. South American Rheumatic Cure is a powerful, potent, but harmless. It is a specific for all phases of Rheumatic Ailments; it goes directly to the seat of the troubles, dissolves and eradicates from the system the foreign matters which cause the excruciating pains which stiffen and swell the joints. It acts quickly and surely, and as proof of it there is ample testimony to show that in cases of many years' standing, where the patient was almost helpless, bed-ridden and so acute was the suffering, that it was necessary to turn the victim in sheets, because it was torture to have even the gentlest touch of the hand on the body. In twelve hours after the first dose was taken all pain was gone, and inside