

Top Cliff.

Fine weather with cold, frosty nights and sunny days. The frost put a stop to the ploughing process. It would be wise to observe the goosebone prophet's predictions of another stormy winter by laying up early a good supply of burning element so as to avoid the necessity of cutting up shade trees and orchards in a blinding snow storm.

Miss McCannel tendered her resignation as teacher of our school. Miss McCannel is a good and faithful teacher and a lady in all respects. Mr. Donald McDonald is her successor for 1905. His long experience in the work is sufficient to qualify him to fulfill the duties of his profession and predecessor.

Archibald McCraig is busy shingling his new house. Rather a cold job these cold days but we can see the progress of every day as the work goes on.

Alex. McEachern is home from the Northwest after spending some three months there. We don't know what his intentions are of moving out there or not.

We are informed that Hugh McDonald (Red Hugh) is to have a sale in a short while and intends renting his farm.

Collector A. McLellan gave us his annual visiting lately. Taxes are not much higher than last year. Nevertheless the cry is of supporting the House of Refuge. We think our Township Officials have done very well and their actions during the year that is now closing deserves another stormy day on Nomination Day (if the Lord favors them with such) but whether or not it would be well to give them another year by acclamation for being so good this year.

Elections over, Editors and Politicians of both parties will now lie side by side and a looker on cannot discern one from the other, and the Lions and the Lambs will feed together and become so tame that a little one can lead them. Should the good Dr. resign from contesting the Ontario Elections which are now nearing, we are not sure whether we heard some one predicting that the Editor of THE CHRONICLE and the Editor of the Review would contest the coming elections. A good idea. Both are good men—as good as could be produced in the country. But before accepting the nomination both should come to a mutual agreement that the one would set up the praises of his opponent through his Journal if as he himself were somebody else, and the other do the same—as self praise is no recommendation.

The season for parties is commencing. There were a few in the locality already. Personally we were never much in favor of parties, but as we heard an old bachelor say about women, we suppose they are necessary for some good purpose or other.

Miss Bella McKinnon (Hugh's) is spending awhile in Toronto this fall. Misses Kate and Minnie McIntyre left for Toronto some time ago.

Miss Dora McIntyre, of Rochester, is spending awhile at home with her mother of this place.

Mr. Donald Graham, Jr., is at present spending a few weeks with his father, Mr. Donald Graham, Sr., of Pricville. It is some six or seven years since "Donnie" went to a far off country, and he now can afford to spend awhile at his father's home.

Mr. Joseph McDonald, of British Columbia, spent a few days with his parents at Pricville and other places. Joe used to be miller at McGowan's Mills, Pricville, years ago and was a favorite with everybody.

Mr. and Mrs. Weller, of King Tp., visited McDonald's and Ferguson's, Proton, and Alex. McMillan, South Line.

Mr. John S. Cameron, President of the Sunlight Life Insurance Company, Atlanta, U.S.A., visited his sister, Mrs. John McInnes for a few days some time ago.

We are informed that a young lady who occasionally visited Top Cliff from Durham is to be united in marriage before another CHRONICLE reaches us. Of the acquaintance reached us. Of the acquaintance reached us. Of the acquaintance reached us.

Mr. Dan. McDonald, (Curly) of Fort William, spent a week or two at the old home here recently. Dan. is President of the Iron Workers' Union at Fort William and was sent as a delegate to a large meeting in Toronto a few weeks ago.

Inspector Campbell visited our school last week and gave an excellent report of the progress done in the school which speaks well of the teacher, Miss McCannel.

We are sorry to be losing some neighbors in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Fisher intend to move to Pricville in a few days, but we hope our loss will be some one else's gain as man was never meant to be living alone more especially in this age when the case can easily be remedied by asking and thou shall receive.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. Henry Hooper's illness who is very poorly at present.

Mr. John McIntyre, of Bruce, is spending the winter with his cousin, Norman McIntyre.

Thos. McDougall is quite a master-player of the Highland pipes already.

Angus McEachern, who spent some time at home, will be leaving again in a short while. Angus is motor man on a street car in Cleveland, U.S.A.

Mrs. McDonald is back to her own place again after spending a week or two with her nephew, Red Sandy McDonald, of Proton. The old lady has the peculiar notion that she would like to die in her own house. She is now 86 years old and is living alone. She sold her farm and has plenty to keep her during her short stay where there is company.

The McLachlan boys Gravel Road, has a large contract of hauling wood and timber from Orchard's Mills, Egremont.

Neil McCannel finished his new barn lately.

Henry Eckhardt is acting the good Samaritan these days by collecting for the poor.

Rev. Mr. Matheson, of Pricville, held prayer meeting in our school here lately and was largely attended.

Rev. Mr. Matheson and Rev. Mr. Birch of Orangeville exchanged pulpits last Sunday.

The trustees of Pricville school accepted the application of a Mr. Carmichael, of Meaford, out of thirty to teach for 1905.

Now, Mr. Editor, for fear you will be lighting your pipe with some of these papers we'll stop.

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Crawford.

(Intended for last week.) Miss McKenzie has resigned her position as teacher here.

Mrs. J. Brown of North Dakota is visiting her mother Mrs. McKinnon at present.

Mrs. Hector McDonald is visiting friends in Hanover and Walkerton at present.

Mr. J. Sherman is having a cement floor put in his stables.

Mrs. A. Koebel is under the Doctor's care at present.

Mrs. R. Twamley was the guest of Miss A. Boyce on Sunday.

Miss Hutton of Louise was the guest of Miss McKenzie on Sunday.

J. Sherman's horse ran away the other day but nothing serious occurred.

Mrs. Teasdale has been visiting friends in Walkerton for the past week.

The Misses Kennedy visited at T. Flannigan's on Tuesday.

One great man says: "Russia must be born again. If that is the case Russia had better be twins if it intends to lick the Japs."

Stricken with Pneumonia.

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Coz He Got More Votes.

I am greatly disappointed. The way election ran. They say of all the candidates I'm far the better man. And on my reputation Most everybody votes. But the "other" got there Coz He Got More Votes.

I have been much elated. The way my friends have worked. The duties put upon them. Not one of them have shirked. They assured me of election. While taking off their coats. But the other fellow "got there," Coz He Got More Votes.

My wife says I am handsome. So I put my photos out. Placing them in such positions They'd be seen without a doubt; But when the votes were counted, Quite blasted were my hopes. For a homely "rooster" got there, Coz He Got More Votes. —Charles T. Duffie, in Detroit News.

Fall Cleaning Of The Orchard.

Much can be said in favor of an annual fall orchard cleaning, although many of our fruit-growers are indifferent in this matter. Aside from the fact that there is more leisure after the fruit has been gathered than in the rush of early spring when so many odds and ends must be attended to, there are many urgent and convincing reasons why our orchards should be very carefully cleaned of rubbish and litter during late fall and early winter.

People often wonder how it happens that certain insects appear in such alarming numbers during the summer. A few careful observations during the fall and winter will show how these insects pass the cold period of the year. The egg masses of the tent caterpillars will be found encircling the smaller branches. If these brackets of eggs be removed whenever seen, much serious injury will be averted the following spring.

The canker-worm pass the winter in the egg state and these eggs are often to be seen in masses on branches. The codling-worm passes the winter in a cocoon, under bits of bark, boards and crevices, and a general clearing will get rid of many of these troublesome pests. The grape-vine flea beetles and the plum curculio pass the winter in their full grown beetle condition in sheltered spots, often near the base of the plant. Squash bugs also winter over full-grown in sheltered spots, under boards, and in corners of outbuildings.

There is also a necessity for a thorough cleaning up of the orchard for the purpose of destroying many of the fungi which remains on the ground in diseased leaves and fruit. It is a well known fact that many injurious fungi produce winter spores, and though the leaves decay, the spores do not. In early spring these will produce spores which will soon spread to the early leaves. The diseased fruit, plants, and leaves, should be burned, not thrown on the manure pile, for then the spores will be able to survive the winter, and reproduce the disease the following season. Moreover, many fungi persist in the leaves rapidly in the spring and produce spores which are soon blown by the wind to the leaves where they germinate and produce disease.

It may safely be said that if all leaves, decaying fruits, and diseased twigs be burned at the approach of winter, the damage from fungous diseases would be lessened very materially.

The above is a Press Bulletin from the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. By Prof. W. Lochead, Biologist.

Growing Rhubarb In The Cellar In Winter.

(By H. L. Hatt, Horticulturist.)

Most farmers who have a garden at all usually have a good supply of old fashioned pie plant or rhubarb. This vigorous growing plant provides a wholesome substitute for fruit early in the spring before strawberries come in. It is not generally known, however, that it can be made to produce its crop in an ordinary cellar during the winter, when it would probably be more appreciated than when grown in the usual way in the garden in the spring.

The rhubarb plant makes its most vigorous growth under natural conditions early in the spring, when its large leaves store up in the thick fleshy roots a large amount of nutriment for the production of seed during the summer and growth early next season. To get the best roots for winter forcing, it is well to allow the plants to make their full growth with little or no cropping of the previous season, and above all not to allow them to exhaust themselves by throwing up seed stalks. The more liberally the plants are manured, and the better they are cultivated, the stronger the roots become and the better crop they will give when forced in the cellar.

In preparing the roots for the cellar, they should be dug up late in the fall, just before the ground freezes hard. They should then be left where they will be exposed to severe freezing for three or four weeks. If placed under cover in an open shed, or where they will not be buried in the snow, it will be all the easier to get at them when it is time to take them to the cellar. About Christmas time they may be put in the cellar and should be banked with earth to keep the roots moist. Care should be taken that the plants are set right side up, as at that season it is sometimes difficult to tell which side of the ball of earth the crowns are on. In the course of a few days the roots will thaw out, and usually enough moisture is thus accumulated to keep them fresh for some time. They should be watched, however, as they may need watering once or twice during the winter to keep the soil moist. The warmer the cellar, the more quickly growth will start, but for the best results a rather low temperature, about the same as that in which potatoes are kept, is best. In a partially lighted cellar, the leaf blades will expand very little, and all the strength of the roots will go to the development of the stalks. If the cellar is light, it is well to darken the part where the plants are kept. If the roots are strong and vigorous, stalks one and a half to two feet in length and two inches in diameter will be produced with little or no expansion of the leaf blade at the top. When grown thus in the dark, none of the chlorophyll or green coloring matter of the leaf develops, and the stalks are bleached to a pinky white.

When cooked and made into sauce or pies, they turn a beautiful pink color and are much finer in appearance and flavor than stalks which are grown in the ordinary way in the garden. Cropping may begin as soon as the stalks are well developed, and may be continued for several weeks, until the roots have exhausted themselves after which they should be thrown out, as they are of little use for growing again.

We would suggest that our readers try growing two or three roots this winter, and let us know the results next spring.

An Editor's Trials.

This is the way a western editor describes only a few of the ups and downs of a rural editor: Then again you may lose a friend who finds "0" upside down in a line of obituary poetry. Next week you try to make the correction, leave the dot off the "0" and another subscriber is gone. One will quit root and branch when you ask for the dollar due you, and other will go to Stew Creek and not finding his name in the paper, top of column next to reading matter, off goes another name. The oldest daughter, a most lovely girl, Sallye, graduates and you speak of her as Sallie and you are up again. There is a new arrival at Sam Jones', you forget whether it is a boy or girl, but think it is a girl and say so in your paper. The next week you meet the father of that fine boy and probably you are down again. By the way when you don't know what it is always say boy. Experience has taught us that this is a safe rule. We don't attempt to explain, but it's true all the same. However, such things should not happen. An editor ought to know what would suit each individual or he ought to take each item before it is published and let the person whom it concerns censor it. An editor has plenty of time to do this as he has to do it to hunt news and clean rollers, set type, clean his floor, pen short items and hustle advertising, press the paper fold them and mail them, write wrappers talk to visitors, distribute type, read proofs, correct mistakes split wood (when there is any to split), build the fires hunt the scissors, dodge the bill, dun delinquent take cussing and tell the subscriber he needs money; these are only a few of the things a newspaper man has to contend with, and yet he should not make mistakes in paper while attending to such minor details, at the same time lying on oxtail soup, lettuce, prunes, sunshine, wend pudding and imagination for dessert.

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Sept. 6.—6mc. DURHAM P. O.

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Holland Centre,
Sept. 28. 1m pd.

Farm for Sale.

BEING LOTS 41 AND 42, ON THE BENTINECK, containing 74 acres—30 cleared, the balance being good hard wood bush. Also homestead in Normanby, containing 52 acres—all cleared. Both places are well fenced, well watered and in good state of cultivation. The homestead contains good comfortable house, good barn and stable. Evergreen complete. For further particulars apply to

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October 8th, 1904.—1mpd.

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Alfred Corbett, Wm. Torry, and Lindsay Trustees.
Oct. 31—3pd.

Farm for Sale.

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