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THE COUNTY OF GREY.

FORTY YEARS AGO.

(Continued From Last Week.)

AGRICULTURE.

The agriculture which settlers are compelled to adopt in the bush is not of a kind to which Agricultural Science can very well adapt itself; though it is astonishing in how few years a settlement is cleared up, stumps got rid of, good fences built, improved dwellings and barns erected, and modern appliances to lessen labour one by one introduced. Many examples might be named, where ten years have changed an uninhabited forest to fine farms, with thrifty Canadian husbandry, improved implements, well-bred stock, with ease and competence. The establishment of County and Township Agricultural Societies has done much to promote farming interests; and every year is produced, not only a larger quantity, but generally speaking a better quality of the various agricultural products. Ten or twelve years ago, 10,000 bushels of spring wheat was about the largest amount annually shipped from Owen Sound. Now the quantity is about 200,000 bushels.

According to the Census Reports, the amount of spring wheat produced in Grey in 1860, was 718,148 bushels; fall wheat, 43,731 bushels; barley, 26,261 bushels; pea, 140,165 bushels; oats, 367,350 bushels; potatoes, 544,419 bushels; turnips, 1,022,915 bushels; hay, 20,884 tons; wool, 58,187 lbs; pork, 8,057 barrels; to these figures, if correct at the time, it would be safe to add now 25 or 30 per cent.; but from a careful comparison of the returns in other departments where data exists to judge by, we are led to believe these figures are considerably below the mark. The culture of fall wheat has been very much extended since the date of the census.

MANUFACTURES.

Manufactures are always slow to take root in a new County. The great requisites, motive power, capital, facility of obtaining raw material and for exporting manufactured products, are seldom all found in conjunction in the newer parts of the country. In Grey, there is abundance of water-power. Under their appropriate heads will be found descriptions of ten different rivers, on every one of which are water-privileges more or less numerous and extensive. No County in Upper Canada exhibits more water-power in close proximity to navigable water, than Grey. And we note the fact that by far the larger portion of it is unemployed.

The manufactures of Neustadt and Clarksburg have risen into importance during the last five years; Mr. Forest during the last eight years; and within the last three years, iron manufacture in Owen Sound has, from comparative insignificance, attained its present proportions. The attention of the manufacturer and the capitalist is requested, in the following pages, to the many openings for profitable enterprise, in the various townships and villages of the County.

Saw-mills are numerous; but being a hardwood County, Grey will never have any lumber to export. Grist-mills are latterly greatly increased in number; and merchant flouring, for export, is becoming an important branch of manufacture, whose field of extension is almost limitless. Iron manufacture, from the facility of obtaining iron from Montreal and coal from Lake Erie, without transportation, presents peculiar advantages. There are three important foundries in Owen Sound, a very extensive one in Durham, beside three or four in other places. Wool manufacture might be profitably

engaged in to ten times its present extent. Wool growing in Grey, as it will always prove itself in an upland, rolling, limestone country, is found to be a very profitable and successful branch of rural economy. Clarksburg takes the lead in woollen manufacture. There are several extensive tanneries in the County; and where hemlock bark and hides are so easily obtained, an article of such universal consumption as leather ought to be very largely manufactured.

From the Census Report of 1861, we glean the following figures. They are without doubt much below the truth; but we give them in preference to giving no figures respecting the domestic manufactures of the County. The returns of "Mills and Manufactories" are so glaringly defective, that it would only be misleading the reader to introduce them. For instance, only four grist and flouring mills are set down for the County, although it contained then about twenty; only two woollen factories and carding and fulling mills, although it could show seven or eight; no foundries, although there were four or five; and no fanning-mill factories, although there were two well-established factories in Owen Sound alone. Distinct from the returns of mills and factories, we find the following figures:—Felled cloth, 10,225 yards; flannel, 43,731 yards; flax and hemp, 1,571 lbs; maple sugar, 194,117 lbs; butter, 591,155 lbs; cheese, 37,441 lbs.

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS.—The County Municipal Officers are as follows:—Warden, William K. Fleisher, Esq., (Artemesia P. O.); Co. Treasurer, Frederick Le Pan, Esq., (Owen Sound); Co. Clerk, George Jas. Gale, Esq., (Owen Sound); Co. Solicitors, Cressor & Cressor, (Owen Sound); Co. Auditors, W. H. Carney, Esq., Owen Sound, and John Moodie, Esq., Durham. Other County Officers are:—Thomas Lunn, Esq., Owen Sound, Registrar; William Jackson, Esq., Durham, Crown Land Agent; Malcolm McNab, Esq., Owen Sound, Collector Inland Revenue; Thomas Gordon, Esq., Owen Sound, Coroner; Charles Rankin, Esq., Owen Sound, Co. Surveyor; John Blythe, Esq., Owen Sound, Inspector of Weights and Measures; John Mills, Esq., Owen Sound, High Constable; John Miller, Esq., Governor of Co. Gaol; Charles Moore, Deputy Sheriff; Jas Douglas, Deputy Registrar.

JUDICIAL OFFICERS.—Judge of County, Surrogate and Division Courts, Henry Macpherson, Esq., Owen Sound; Sheriff, Joseph Maughan, Esq., Owen Sound; Clerk of County Court, &c., Peter Inglis, Esq., Owen Sound; Clerk of the Peace, William Armstrong, Esq., Owen Sound; Co. Attorney, John Cressor, Esq., Owen Sound; Registrar Surrogate Court, Peter Inglis, Esq., Owen Sound; Master and Deputy Registrar in Chancery, D. A. Cressor, Esq., Owen Sound; Clerks of Division Courts, No. 1, Charles R. Wilkes, Owen Sound; No. 2, William Jackson, Durham; No. 3, Thos. Plunkett, Meaford; No. 4, Thos. J. Korke, Heathcote P. O.; No. 5, John W. Armstrong, Proton P. O.; No. 6, Henry Cardwell, Chatsworth P. O.; No. 7, James C. Wilkes, Mount Forest.

GRAVEL ROADS.—Four years ago, one hundred and eighty miles of gravel road were constructed in the County, in one grand scheme, at an expense of about \$300,000. That so large an extent of road-making was undertaken at once, was due to the fact that the sanction of the rate-payers in the several localities, could only be obtained to a scheme which brought some benefit to their own neighborhood; and so the attempt was made to suit every portion of the County. There are four roads—the Garafraza Road, running north and south, between Owen Sound and Mount Forest; the Toronto Line, running diagonally across the County N. W. and S. E.; the Durham Road, running across the County E. and S. W., a little S. of the centre; and the Northern Road, from the County Ljoe near Collingwood Harbor to Owen Sound, and thence westward toward Saugeen to the County limits. Notwithstanding all the criticisms expended on alleged extravagance and mismanagement in the construction of the roads, and their inferior quality when made, both of which charges are doubtless to some extent true, the great fact remains that this system of roads has reached almost every man's door—that it has opened up new markets and new routes of traffic—that it has added to the value of farms in the townships—that it has added to the market price of the farmer's produce, by allowing him to take larger loads, and allowing the Country Trader to send his grain more speedily and economically to market;—and the special glory of the County of Grey is, that she has not a toll-gate within her limits! A year ago three roads were divided among the various Township Municipalities, whose duty it now is to keep them in repair.

EDUCATIONAL.—A Grammar School has for some years been established at Owen Sound: James Preston, Esq.,

Master. The County Board of Instruction consists of Rev. A. H. R. Mulholland, (Owen Sound P. O.), Chairman; Thomas Gordon, Esq., (Owen Sound P. O.), Secretary; Rev. R. Dewar, Rev. T. Stevenson, Dr. McGregor, T. Lunn, T. Scott, J. W. Frost, T. G. Francis, T. Ryan, A. Grier, and W. Ferguson, Esquires.

The Local School Superintendents are four, viz:—J. G. Francis, Esq., (Owen Sound); for Keppel and Sarawak, Derby, Sullivan, Holland, and Sydenham, including the town of Owen Sound; Thos. Ryan, Esq., (Mt. Forest P. O.), for Normanby, Egremont, Bentinck and Glenelg; Andrew Grier, Esq., (Griersville P. O.) for St. Vincent, Collingwood and Euphrasia; and William Ferguson, Esq., (Priceville P. O.), for Melancthon, Proton, Artemesia and Osprey.

MAGISTRATES.—The list of County Magistrates will be found in connection with their respective towns or townships. There are two, however, who though residing outside the limits of the County, are nevertheless Justices of the Peace for Grey, and whose names if not placed here, would not otherwise be noted. We refer to Wm. BULL and JAMES ALLEN, Esquires, both of the township of Anabel. In making up our list of Magistrates, we have taken all names found upon the last Commission of the Peace, as furnished by the Clerk of the Peace for the County; paying no attention to the number who have or who have not "qualified."

(Continued Next Week.)

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NORMANBY COUNCIL.

The council of the township of Normanby met on Aug. 8th. Members all present. The minutes of former meeting were read and confirmed.

Orders issued on the treasurer as follows: Wm. Dickson, pathmaster, 80 yards gravel, \$4; Mrs. O. Jungbut, 242 yds. gravel taken by J. Hellwig, \$12.10; Mrs. O. Jungbut, 166 yds. gravel, \$8.30; Jacob Herzberger, 40 yds. taken by R. Mackey, \$2; Daniel and Philip Kraft, respectively, 495 and 170 yds. taken by pathmaster G. Dietrich, \$14.00; A. Kenna, pathmaster, 147, J. Feick 136, Thos. Ryan 170 yds., total cost \$33.25; P. Morris, 37 yds. taken by L. Loops, \$10.45; D. McGrie, 30 yds. taken by J. W. Cornish, \$8.75, including \$1 for right of way; J. Kerr, 78 yds. taken by W. Crawford, \$8.90; Wm. Carson, 82 yds., \$4.10; J. Horst, 172 yds. taken by J. Allenson, \$8.60; J. Becker, 80 yds. taken by J. Metzger, \$4; Thos. Casey, 140 yds. taken by W. Young, \$7; A. Krueger, rep. sidewalk in Neustadt, \$4; J. Hellwig, to pay parties, ditto, \$3.50; S. Hellwig, 340 ft. plank for repairing sidewalk, \$4.75; J. Herzberger, filling approach to bridge lot 5, con. 17, 85, C. Seim, digging ditch and putting in tiles, culvert sidewalk between lots 29 and 31, con. 8, \$4.60; J. W. Cornish, repairing culvert baseline lot 29, con. 2, cost of material, \$1.70, work \$1.00, total cost \$2.70; P. Hassett, repairing towline culvert lot 75, con. A and B, and filling approaches, \$3.80, ditto, \$1.50; J. Edwards, pathmaster, improving Victoria st., Aytton, \$4; Wm. Kenna, ditto, Caroline and Arthur streets, and repairing crossing Arthur and Albert streets, \$8; C. Hoff, filling in old culvert, sidewalk between lots 5 and 6, con. 7, 75 ct. J. Meyer, to pay parties improving Derbecker's hill and repairing culvert, \$4.50; N. Widmeyer, pathmaster, repairing Meyer's bridge, \$2; burying and sheep, \$6; P. Farrelly, balance in full of contract building Herzberger's bridge, \$4.50; C. Miller, 50 8-inch tiles and 10 6-inch tiles taken by J. Feick, pathmaster, and 60 6-inch tiles taken by Wm. Kenna, pathmaster, for culverts in Aytton, \$5.20; commissioners for letting and inspecting jobs, Gardiner \$4, Schreiber \$2, Koenig \$2, Glebe \$1, reeve \$8, total \$14; councillors, services at meeting of date, \$12.80; A. Fortney paid treasurer \$25, amount in full for timber bought standing on baseline, con. 12 and 13.

No action taken on application to drive piles on Carmoy's hill, on Normanby and Minto to pay half; J. Edwards, pathmaster, 12-10 mills for county rate, 2 1/2 10 for township rate, and 2 mills for general school rate, also by-law passed levying school rate for current year. Council adjourned to meet at Diemert's hall Aytton, on Thursday, the 31st day of September. GEO. HOPF, Clerk.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

Harvest Excursions

Table with columns for dates (Sept. 3rd, Sept. 17th) and destinations (Winnipeg, Regina, etc.) with return fares listed.

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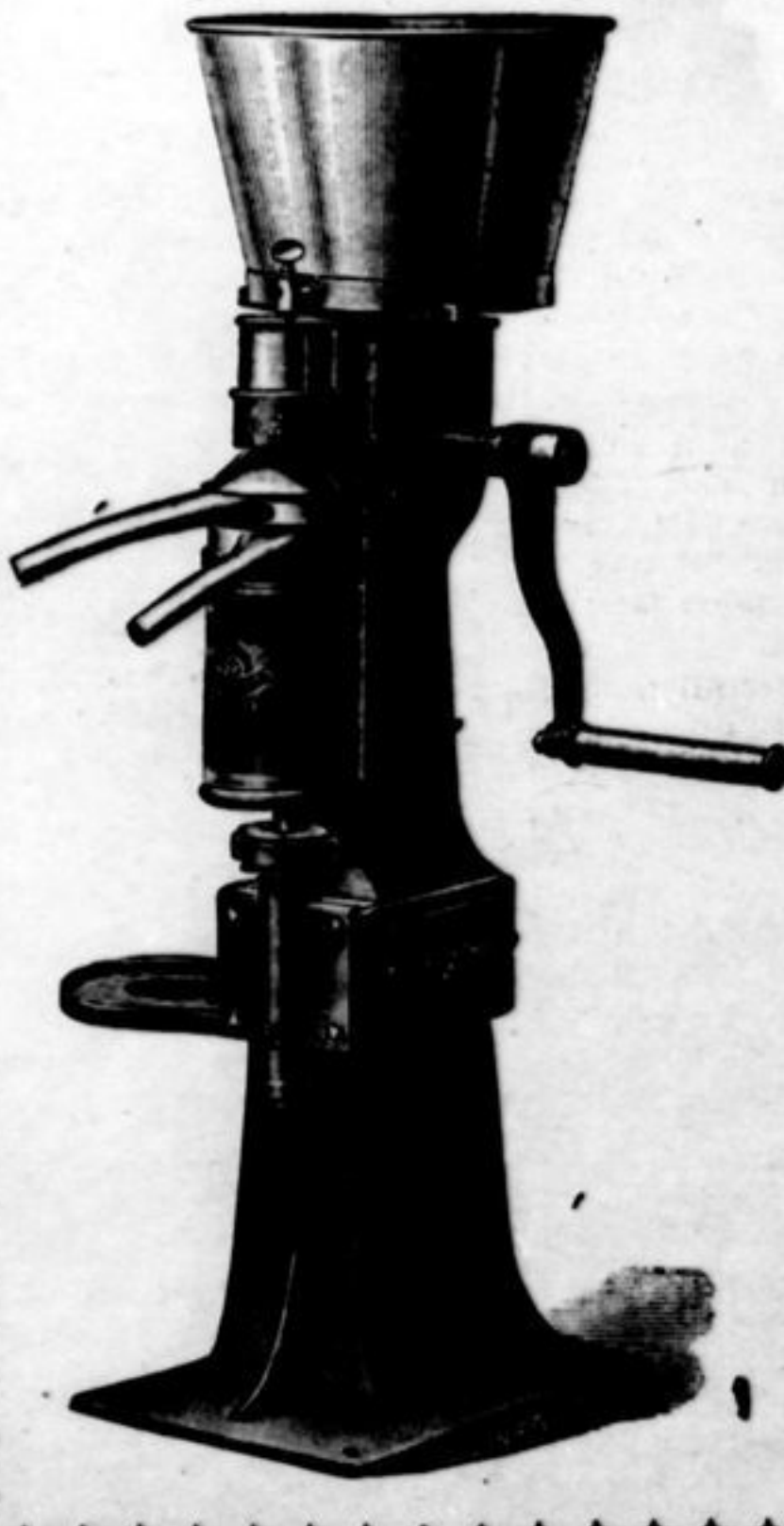
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