

DUMORE.

Miss Moore of Toronto is a guest of her Uncle Mr. Andrew Leslie.

Mr. and Miss Rutherford of Galt are visiting friends and relatives in these parts.

Miss Bessie Kinnell of Swinton Park is spending a week with her friends here.

Mr. John McLeith had the misfortune to lose one of his horses last week while hauling wood home from the bush. It was a quite a loss to John as horses are getting valuable now.

A boat of both young and old people attended the tea-meeting at Normandy last week and report a good time.

A boat of young folks spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. Jas Isaac Monday night.

Well Mr. Editor news is kind of scarce this week, the only thing that is occupying the minds of the people here is to find out the scribble. We feel sorry for some of the young people they are blaming. About some of the items of last week we wish to say to a few parties, if the shoe fits why let them wear it.

HUTTON HILL.

La Grippe has seized Mr. G. Noble Sr. and is settling in his head. He is attended by Dr. Jamieson.

Miss G. Armstrong is the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. Armstrong who has been very ill from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hutton visited the former's mother Mrs. E. Hutton of Durham lately.

A nail pierced one of Miss C. Wells' feet, which will require her to remain quiet for some time.

Mr. A. Alexander is preparing to erect a barn next summer. What may we expect Sandy?

Our young people were divided last Friday evening attending the pie socials of North East Normandy and Ebenezer, and the entertainment held in Durham by the Trinity Church. Each and all were pronounced equal to their expectations.

Mr. Wm. Alexander's name is added to the sick list.

Miss C. Foreman was the guest of Mr. M. Campbell recently.

A runaway team caused Mr. Wm. Noble's horses to take fright. He was badly injured receiving a deep cut in his forehead and numerous other injuries.

Mr. and the Misses Leeson were guests at T. E. Hutton's.

Mr. Wm. Red was taken ill last Friday having to give up his duties before the noon hour. He resumed his task on Monday but was compelled to remain at home on Tuesday. We extend our sympathy and heartily hope he will soon be strong again.

SCOTCH TOWN.

Mr. Neil Black has returned from Braintree where he spent a week visiting his sons Arch and Joe.

Mr. James White has commenced a harness shop at his residence.

Messrs Irvin Anderson and Peter McArthur accompanied Messrs. Alex. and Malcolm Maclean to Traves City Michigan, two weeks ago.

A few of the youth and beauty of Irish Lake, Maple Grove and Prillville, surprised Mr. and Mrs. P. Sullivan of T. P. Cliff by robbing them from their stables on Wednesday evening of last week, where an enjoyable night was spent until the wee sma' hours. Mr. and Mrs. S. are as jolly as of yore and agreed with the saying that two sleeps are better than one on such an occasion.

A lengthy broad mink is seen prowling quite frequently during the night, fortunately there was no fool unssing who it came daylight.

Mr. Malcolm McInnis Durham Road was a caller at Mr. D. Graham's on Sabbath last.

Mr. Archie Brown of Bottineau who is spending the winter at the parental home in Bentneck was visiting friends in Hennesan and this vicinity for a few days returned to Bentneck last week, accompanied by his brother Alex. who also spent a night in this burg.

DORNOCH.

Mr Geo Hunt, Mt Forest, is this week a visitor with relatives in the village.

Rev Mr Glechrist who has lately been officiating at Crawford, very acceptably filled the Presbyterian pulpit last Sabbath.

Messrs W Grant and C Carson, Varney, combined business with pleasure in a trip through here last week. They purchased a fine horse from Mr Alex Stewart for a handsome sum.

A bouncing baby boy has arrived to stay at the home of Mr. Donald Smith.

Mr Henry Dellhunter, who has been absent for a couple of weeks on important business, returned last Saturday.

Last week Mr Donald Stewart disposed of one of his farms, being lot 10 on the 2nd Con. to Mr H. Alexander. This, adjoining his own, makes an excellent farm for Mr A. to whom we wish success in his undertaking.

Mr Honeaire, Sullivan, is retiring from farming and has sold his stock and implements to Mr. A. Hughes. Mr H intends to move to Buffalo, N. Y.

W N McDonald's sale was well attended, considering inclement weather, and sold well, fair prices being realized for everything. He intends to see the N W in spring.

A joint meeting of Rocky Saugren and Dornoch sessions was held in Dr Smith's residence to see about pulp supply. Dornoch congregation are united on Rev Mr Graham, Bayfield, but the sister congregation does not seem to be of the same mind, which is unfortunate. The pulpits will be supplied with probationers again.

Rev Mr Little attended the session meeting here last Friday as moderator. His friends, who are many here, accorded him a cordial welcome.

On Wednesday the 25, the annual meeting of the Presbyterian church was held here. The attendance was large and gratifying to the officers. The financial report showed a balance on hand. More money being contributed to church and mission purposes than ever heretofore. Mr. George the efficient treasurer was re-elected for another term, G. Lamb was elected Sec. The following compose the managing committee for this year: Messrs B. Ledingham, D. L. Smith, W. Ledingham, D. MacArthur, J. Mills, G. Lamb, A. McCracken, Jas. Ledingham and H. R. Riddell. The last two named being respectively Chairman and Secy. The congregation was in favor of giving a call to Rev. Mr. Graham of Bayfield.

One by one the first settlers who have borne the hardships and trials of pioneer life are fast passing away. Last Monday the 23, as the sun was setting in the western skies the spirit of Mrs. J. McArthur took its flight to the great unseen, aged 79 and 5 mos. She had been ailing for some time but the end came very unexpectedly. Kind hearted, sociable and charitable is the testimony and eulogy of friend and neighbors who have known her for years. Deceased and her husband settled on lot 17 con 2 Bentneck when it was an unbroken forest, and by perseverance and industry hewed out a comfortable home on which they rested in their declining years. The remains were laid at rest in the Latona cemetery on Thursday beside her husband who predeceased her four years ago. Rev. Mr. Little delivered impressive discourses at both home and grave and paid a fitting tribute to the departed. Two sons and five daughters mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate mother, and to them we extend sympathy.

ROCKY.

Mr A H Jackson is getting home lumber for a barn he is going to erect next summer. It is to be 50 x 70 feet and the contract has been let to Mr. H McKechnie.

David Watson and family are leaving for Milton, where he has secured a situation to run a large farm.

Jas Wilson and Jno Murdoch are cutting wood for A Jackson. He has the right boys.

Miss Ada Middleton arrived home from New York city looking as if Uncle Sam's domain agreed with her.

Wm Ewan brought home a new baggy. Now girls, look out!

The Misses Banks left last week. Vict. to visit her sister, Maud and Ada to visit their grandfather.

HOLSTEIN.

Severe weather this week, bearing out the old proverb 'as the days begin to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen.'

Young and old are finding out that La Grippe is no respecter of persons.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Patterson, Woodland, visited at W S Horsburgh's on Sabbath.

Mr and Mrs G R Gilroy, Mt Forest, were visitors at J H Brown's the beginning of the week.

Miss N Orchard, of Durham, has been spending a few days with friends in the village.

Miss Cunningham Shelburne, is at present visiting at the parsonage.

Rev J W Magwood preached at Shelburne on Sabbath.

Anniversary services of the Methodist Church were preached on Sabbath by Rev V H Emory, Shelburne, morning and evening. The services were of a high character, and the music by the choir was excellent. Large congregations enjoyed both services.

Monday evening in spite of bad weather there was a large turnout to the usual tea-meeting. Appetites were sharpened by the cold and the good things provided by the ladies were thoroughly enjoyed.

This year, a well-prepared programme was entered upon, Mr. Magwood being voted to the chair. After the opening piece by the choir the Misses Burrows gave a duet, quartette by Messrs Mickelbore, Emory, Thair and Ham. Solo by Miss Jennie Doupe, 'Star of Bethlehem.' Instrumental by Miss Tens Orchard, address by Rev Mr Emory to young men, which was practical and instructive. Solo by Mr Emory. The choir, led by Dr Brown, gave choice music at intervals.

The Methodists of Holstein will soon have a first class choir under the leadership of the Dr. After the usual votes of thanks to Mr Emory, the choir and all who took part, the meeting closed with the benediction.

A PEEP AT PITTSBURG.

By an old Glenelg boy.

Mr. Jno. M. Campbell writes enthusiastically of the wealth and importance of his adopted city.

[Some time ago we asked Mr. C. to give REVIEW readers a sketch of his adopted home. 'Twas a mistake we fear: it will make us green with envy. But here it is: as much as we have room for in one issue. Ed.]

Pittsburg, that quiet and historic old city of the United States, which lies at the headwaters of the Ohio River, formed by the intersection of the Monongahela and Alleghany rivers, stands to-day one of the greatest manufacturing cities in the world. The city was first made famous when George Washington, the father of his country, made his bold stand with a band of English followers, against the combined forces of the French and Indians in 1755. History has it that Washington seeing the importance of such a site, in view of the fact that it guarded surprise from the enemy by way of the three rivers, built a small block-house or fort, which he called Fort Duquesne. The place was burned by the Indians, but later was rebuilt, and called Fort Pitt, after the earl of Chatham, England. It was afterwards called Pittsburg. This fort has stood at this historic place at the west end of the city until a year ago, when it was torn down, and the relics taken in charge by a society called the Daughters of the Revolution. Picture if you can, a country with nothing but wilds, traversed by Indians and but few white men, that to-day is one of the great if not the greatest manufacturing cities in the world. Were our forefathers able to ascend from their graves imagine their surprise and consternation at the bustle and uproar of our modern and latest inventions. They would think the place a bedlam. Despite the fact that the city has been visited by two very dangerous conflagrations, and in fact was wiped out by fire in 1845, it is still on the advance and if the Greater Pittsburg Bill, which is to-day before the legislature, passes, as it is to be expected it will, Pittsburg will rank as the fifth largest city in the world. The city is surrounded with nothing but one section of suburbs, with the exception of the city of Allegheny on the north side connected by bridge.

The principal industries are iron and steel, coke and glass manufacturers together with the large breweries. At least these give about nine-tenths of the city's industrial employment, while the city has a few woolen, cotton and tin mills, yet the output from these is not sufficient enough to class the city with the rank. The principal iron mills are Jones & Laughlins, Oliver & Phillips, Republic Iron Works, Carnegies 33rd Street Mill, Byers, Labelle Street Works, and Moorhead Works. It is not to be overlooked too that this city is the home of the Westinghouse Electric and Air-brake Works, famous the world over. The main works is at East Pittsburg, but all business is conducted in the city main. A description of the works will be found in a later issue of the paper.

Now, as to the value of the city. The city has perhaps the finest residences of any city in the United States with perhaps the possible exception of New York. Unlike any other city its finest homes are in the east end section, whereas in other cities the most valuable homes usually owned by business men are in the west end of the city. This is accounted for by the manufacturers being in the south and western section. The city is also the possessor of a number of valuable parks, which are free to the people. They are:—Schenley Park, 430 acres, lying the east central part of the city, Highland Park which lies in the extreme north east limit of the city and comprises 300 acres, West End Park which lies in the 36th ward, Holiday Park on Duquesne Heights with 34 acres, Grandview Park in the 30th ward comprising 18 acres, Herron Hill Park, 13 acres, and the smallest park of all, or what is known as Second Avenue Park, 312 feet in length and 40 feet wide.

(To be Continued.)

THE LAND OF THE GAEL.

A recent copy of the Oban Times has drifted to our sanctum with a specially interesting account of T'ree island from which had not a few readers of the REVIEW. It also contains a Canadian interest for we have a fine speech from Lord Strathcona, our High Commissioner to Britain, who, at a Volunteer Concert at Ballachulish, made some flattering references to our own country.

"He could assure them that there were in Canada close on forty thousand citizen soldiers, who, for physique and efficiency, were as fine a body of men as could be found anywhere. His Lordship concluded an appropriate and interesting address by referring in terms of the warmest praise to the loyalty that exists in Canada—and not, he was sure in Canada only, but in all parts of the Empire. He was pleased to see the ties of friendship and goodwill between Canada and the mother country being drawn closer every year, and was assured that if the necessity arose, we would be found standing shoulder to shoulder."

The reference to T'ree includes the following description of "This quiet and beautiful island." "Visitors, at present are few, but this will be remedied when the new pier now being negotiated is put up. The population is well upon 3000, and consists mostly of crofters, with a good sprinkling of cottars. These have been a very prosperous class at T'ree. Their dwellings are models of cleanliness; the crofts are all of good size, and the people are in comfortable circumstances. On a recent visit to the island, we found harvest well forward, good crops, and fully an average as to bulk and quality. One large farm on the island, that of Mr. Barr, commands a rent of £1000. It is a model of good management. What strikes one is the absolute contentment of the people. There is no such thing as quarrels with the landlord, the Duke of Argyll, or the resident factor, Mr. MacDairmid, and no one ever heard of an islander being in the law courts. Island life goes on in the even tenor of its way from January to December. The islanders are practically a law unto themselves, not that they live constantly upon the island, for they are frequently travelling by steamer to and from markets. They are industrious, and as regards means, quite comfortable. The land as a rule is of excellent quality, well cultivated and fruitful, as, for instance, Mr. Steven's farm in the south-west of the island which is quite a model farm. No crofter sells his croft, it passes down from father to son. The life of the islanders is not all work—far from it. They have a vast deal of idle time, and enjoy life to the full. The delightful breezes of the Atlantic Ocean are wafted over the island the climate is unusually fine, and the islanders are blessed with vigorous and healthy constitutions. There are epidemics, and Dr. Buchanan, the invaluable medical officer of the island, is by no means fully employed, although he has 25 miles of country under his supervision. The doctor is the one indispensable man in the island, and he can never leave it on any pretence except for a day or two.

IN THE MATTER OF CHURCHES

the people are fully "churched" for there are no less than five ministers, and in School Board matters the island has its own Board, and attends to its own education under its efficient clerk, Mr. Alexander MacLean. The people

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are by no means behind in education, for a large proportion of them speak English in addition to Gaelic. All speak Gaelic.

The situation of T'ree is one of its greatest charms, and the health of the islanders is the best proof of this. Houses are not too plentiful, but we notice that a good many of the old ones are being replaced by substantial stone and lime dwellings. There is abundance of stones suitable for building purposes all over the island. The crofters build their own houses, rear their own produce, live on it, and sell it, and it is marvellous how really little money is required or even circulated in the place. Excepting tea, sugar, and tobacco, they seem to have everything within themselves. Lady Victoria Campbell, daughter of the proprietor, resides there six months of the year, and is much beloved by the islanders for her many benevolent deeds amongst them.—"Perthshire Constitutional."

G & B. Mutual.

[We are indebted to Mr. John Livingstone, Agent of the Company here for the following report.]

The Annual Meeting of the G. & B. Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held in Telford's Hall Hanover on Saturday the 21st January, at one o'clock in the afternoon. On account of the stormy weather prevailing there were not as many Policy Holders present as usual. Mr. Arch Todd was appointed chairman. The Directors' and Auditors' Reports and Financial Statement were read and considered, and duly passed. Wm. Little, Jas. Brocelbank, E. Fursman, Henry McNally and Geo. Ries, were elected Directors to fill vacancies, and Alex. Stephen and T. H. Wilson were appointed Auditors. Wm. Little, Brant, and Thos. Milligan, Bentneck, were elected President and Vice President respectively. The President, Vice President, and Messrs. Brocelbank, Fursman and Arch McUnig, were elected Executive Directors for the year.

Following is the Report of the Directors. To our members of the G. & B. Mutual Fire Ins. Co. Gentlemen—Your Directors in presenting their 21st Annual Report have much pleasure in calling your attention to the healthy increase in the business of the county for the past year. At the end of 1897 there were 1293 policies in force and at the end of 1898 there were 1308, being an increase of 195 policies in last year. They have however to regret that their losses have been considerable. The total losses adjusted and paid during the year were \$3079.64, of these \$290.17 were caused by fire and \$2789.47 by lightning. On looking over the books of the Company they find that losses by lightning are rapidly increasing and the destruction of property thereby much greater than in cases of ordinary fires caused by the rapid manner with which buildings with their contents are consumed after being struck. They find this has been the case last year in losses caused by lightning, owners of risks reporting that although present at the time of the fire they were powerless to save any contents on account of the rapidity with which buildings burned. The standing of the Company is as follows: number of Policies issued during the year, 472; amount insured thereunder, \$478,340.00; total number of Policies in force 1308; amount insured thereunder \$1,280,911.00; but for further particulars you are referred to the Auditor's Report and Financial Statement herewith submitted. I am Gentlemen on behalf of the Directors respectfully yours, William Little, President, 21st January 1899.

THOROUGH-BRED BOARS.

The undersigned will keep for service at Lot 17, Con. 2, Normandy, season of 1898-99, the thorough-bred Berkshire, "North Star." Also a thorough-bred Tamworth Boar. Pedigrees may be seen on application. TERMS:—1.00 JOHN MARSHALL JR.

FARM FOR SALE.

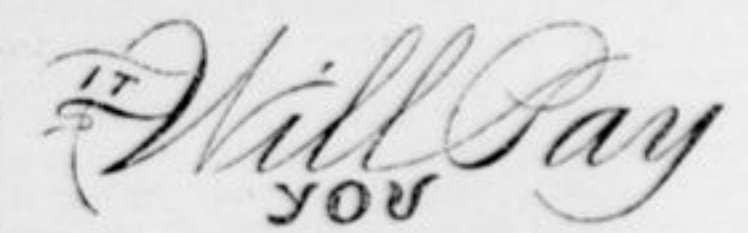
Being East and West Parts of Lot number Five (5), in the 2nd Concession, W. G. R., of the Tp. of Bentneck, known as THE CORBETT FARM, and containing 93 acres. For particulars inquire of H. PARKER, Durham.

THOROBRED DURHAM BULL.

The undersigned will keep for service, season 1898, at lot 49, con. 2, S. D. R., a thoroughbred Durham Bull, named THRETON, aged 2 years, purchased from the herd of H. Parker, Durham. Pedigree may be seen upon application. Terms 75cts, payable Feb. 1st, 1899. ALFRED HINKS, Prop.

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STRAYED.

From the premises of the undersigned, Lot 1, Con. 14, Egremont, a yearling brindle heifer, white spot on forehead and on each hip, white tip on tail and white underneath belly. Had bell on when she left home. Any information that will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded. JOHN BROOKS, Holsten.

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSESSOR.

Applications for the office of Assessor for the Township of Glenelg, for the year 1899, will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Monday the 8th of February next. J. S. BLACK, Tp. Clerk, Glenelg, January 9th, 1899.

TENDERS.

Will be received by the undersigned up till 1st February next, for clearing up, and removing timber from "Saugen Park" near the Durham Cemetery. Specifications may be seen at the Office of the Town Clerk. GEORGE RUSSELL, Secy. Durham Cem. Co Durham, Jan. 23rd, 1899.



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