

DURHAM REVIEW

C. Ramage, Editor and Proprietor.

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Priceville.

Mr. Editor owing to having the Grippe we were prevented from contributing anything to the Review for the last few weeks, but now since he has let go his severe grip on us we are thankful that we are able to sit down for a while and pencil a few of the happenings that transpired during the last few weeks.

Among the number that are suffering from Grippe we find them as follows, viz: Rev. Mr. Matheson was unable to attend to his ministerial duties for two or three Sundays, but is again nearly allright. Mr. and Mrs. D. McCormick, Dugald McLean, John McRae and family, Mr. Reilly and some of the family and a host of others in town. Along the South Line nearly every body is affected with the disease some are getting better while others are deeply afflicted with its effects.

Mr. John Mather lies in a precarious condition as he is troubled from the effects of a severe accident that happened to him a year or two ago, but we sincerely hope that he will recover from his troubles.

Mrs. Jas. McDonald, who at one time was giving up for dying is again recovering from her illness, but her life is hanging on a brittle thread which may break at any moment and now since our beloved Queen has passed away she thinks the hour of her departure is nigh at hand also, as they were both of an age.

We are having fine weather and beautiful roads, although somewhat icy.

Dr. Boyle is busy harvesting attending the sick and afflicted in the locality, a peculiar season of the year for gathering in the sheaves but in the Dr's case it is a fact.

Dr. Hutton gives his weekly visit to Priceville yet and is always busy when he comes.

Archie McCuaig has his wind mill and chopper in running order, it is one of the highest in the Dominion being about 80 feet from bottom to top.

Miss Grant who is substitute for Miss McLeod in our school here is well liked and is a lady in all respects.

Miss Leeson the new teacher at Top Cliff school is getting along fine and is distinguishing herself as thoroughly adapted for the position.

Mr. Jas. Atkinson, Dentist, left for good to accept a higher position in his line of business in a large firm in the city of Glasgow, Scotland. He says they are a score of years behind the times in dentistry in the old land and no doubt he will mark in the highest ranks in dentistry when there.

Commissioner John McArthur spent last week in Owen Sound attending the County Council.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McArthur, of Hopeville, spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. McArthur of town lately.

Mr. McDonald, son of Allan McDonald, late of Proton, but now of Manitoba and Miss Sarah McArthur of Welbeck, spent a few days in Hopeville and elsewhere and returned again on Friday last.

The Rev. Mr. Varley, of the Methodist church kindly took Mr. Matheson's pulpit on Sunday during Mr. Matheson's illness, but by the way Mr. Varley has a strong attachment to the Presbyterian church he having received the best gift he ever got in this life out of the Presbyterian body by getting his life partner, who we understand was a thorough Presbyterian and on the other hand Mr. Matheson owes a debt of gratitude to the Methodist body for Mrs M was a staunch member of that body, till she joined with Mr. Matheson and Presbyterianism.

The annual meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church on Monday Feb. 4th at 2.30 p. m. All interested should make it their business to attend.

The Gaelic meeting was slimly attended last Sunday. It is too bad to have the preacher spend a whole morning merely preaching to empty pews an amendment is necessary for the welfare of the congregation.

Messrs John and Donald McMillan, South Line, bought a load of thorough bred sheep, down in the vicinity of Guelph.

Mr. John McInyre, of Bruce, is visiting friends on the South Line for the last couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McPherson leaves Montana this week for their home at Ceylon where they are to settle on their farm near there.

Died at his residence, South Line Artemesia, on the 22nd inst., Mr. Jas. Gilles, native of the Isle Islay Argyleshire Scotland, aged 81 yrs. Mr. Gilles was an old resident of the South Line and was a quiet and inoffensive man, he was confined to the house for the last eighteen years from the effects of a paralytic stroke and later on he became totally blind. He leaves a family of grown up young men and women to mourn his loss, he was buried in McKinnon's cemetery S. Line. On the North Line on Jan. 18th, James Henry, a young man died after a few weeks illness from diabetes, aged about 25 or 30 years. Death claims the youth as well as the aged and is no respecter of persons.

Mr. Hemstock has sold his farm to a Mr. Thompson somewhere down the country. We are sorry to lose such a valuable neighbor as Mr. Hemstock but we wish him and family success in their new home in Chatsworth.

Dave Hinks and Willie McLeod are busy drawing logs for Keyland, North Line, to Collinson's mill, Ceylon.

We cannot say for a fact, but we heard that Mrs Butters rented her hotel recently.

Mr. Angus McDonald writes to his mother and sisters saying he is getting along well in the gold mines of Alaska at Douglas city. Angus is an exceptionally dutiful son and brother, he always remembers mother and sisters with his means and in every other respect.

Edge Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Moffat, of Greenoch, visited at the latter's mother, Mrs Ritohie and other friends around Edge Hill.

Sorry to hear that Mrs Wm. Weir is still very poorly.

The prayer meeting held in the Grange Hall last Thursday evening by Rev. Mr. Farquharson of Durham, was largely attended.

Mr. Jeff Whitmore, who has been away timbering out at Maxwell, for the last couple of months returned home last week. Sorry to say he is not very well.

Mr. Sam Lawrence and Robt Whitmore were cutting wood at Mr. Geo. Staples the latter part of last week.

Sorry to hear of Mr. Jas. Staples getting his finger broken and another badly bruised while unloading timber at Glenroaden mill.

Quite a number from around here attended a party given at A. Crutchley's and all report a good time.

Mr. C. C. McFyden returned from a visit to friends in Normanby.

Mr. N. Whitmore and J. O. Donnell, made a stick of timber in Mr. George Aljoe's bush, last week, which measured 190 feet. They are hustlers.

Mr. Walter Middleton, of the Rocky took a flying visit to the avenue last week.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL

New council met in the Town hall, Jan. 14. Present reeve, D. McTavish; Councilors, John A. Boyd, Alex Muir, George Thompson and Joseph Gibson. All made the prescribed declaration.

Minutes read and confirmed. Joseph Blackburn and R. N. Henderson applied for and were appointed auditors. C. W. Bellamy was appointed assessor. J. P. Ottewill, V S as a member of the local board of health for 3 yrs.

The following election expenses were paid: Div. 1 H D McLaughry; Div. 3 T M Bannan; Div. 4 Jas Hemphill; Div. 5 D G McLean; Div. 6, Geo Waring; Div. 7 G Lattimer; Div. 8, H R Dyson, were paid \$9.00 each. Div. No. 2, W J Bellamy \$6.00; W J Smith delivering ballot boxes \$3.00; W H Thurston, printing ballots and stationery \$21.00. Total \$93.

McTavish—Gibson—That Joseph Badger be paid five dollars for road job at lot 172, base line west, as per report of Messrs Boyd and Muir. Carried.

Boyd—Thompson—That R McDowell, C E, be paid his account, \$13.50, for plan and surveying deviation of road at 30 side road, con. 1, N D R. Carried.

McTavish—Gibson—That the account of the village of Markdale, \$18, for three years fees of hall for division court purposes be paid. Carried.

Muir—Thompson—That the following accounts be paid: J Thompson wood for town hall, \$3.00; W Barnhouse, wood for town hall, \$1.50; John Lawler, wood furnished Mrs Spence, an indent, by order of Council, \$6.25. Carried.

Boyd—Thompson—That D McCornack and J B Sloan, collectors, div. 1 and 4, having returned their rolls they be paid their salaries, \$26 each. Carried.

Gibson—Thompson—That account of Lucas & Wright for advertising re J I Graham and A McCabe, \$5, be paid. Carried.

Thompson—Muir—That the Reeve and Mr Boyd be a committee to enquire into the validity of the treasurer's surties. Carried.

Gibson—Muir—That the trustees of S S No 4, be loaned \$43 as requested until their rate of 1901 is collected on account of misunderstanding of their requisition of 1900. Carried.

Muir—Gibson—That in regard to Mr Holman's claim re repairs to line fence between his lot and the gravel lot owned by the corporation. The Reeve and Mr Boyd are hereby authorized to examine the place and act in accordance with their best judgement in the matter, if considered wise they may offer the said gravel lot for sale. Carried.

Muir—Boyd—That the clerk order six copies of the Municipal World for the use of the members of this Council and Clerk. Carried.

Muir—Boyd—That the Council do now adjourn to the first Saturday in February. That the regular meeting of this Council be held on the first Saturday of each month during the year except the month of December, which meeting is fixed by statute. Carried.

Council adjourned.—Contracted from Fisherton Advance.

VARNEY

Mr McEwen, of Mr. Forest, at present visiting at Mr. Adam Little's.

Mrs Fred Fineste was the guest of Mrs John Carson on Sunday last.

Mrs T Allan was visiting Varney friends last week.

Mr and Mrs Wm Clark was visiting Egremont friends for a few days this week.

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Miss Lizzie Allan is spending a few days with Normanby friends.

Miss Alice Watson fell on the ice and broke her arm.

Mr John McCalman is very poorly at present. We hope he will soon be around again.

Miss Alice Dunn is under the weather at present. We hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Miss Aggie Dunn, left for Toronto last Monday, where she intends to remain for some time.

By the looks of things we think J will soon be starting to school.

Mr and Mrs A W Leeson left this morning for Indiana where they will remain for a short time.

Mr and Mrs James Gordon were the guests of their daughter Mrs R J Eden one day last week.

Mrs John Carson and Mrs Wm McCalman called on Mrs Leeson one day last week.

Quite a number gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs T Clark, on Friday last and spent a very enjoyable evening.

Miss Maggie McNeice and Mrs McCannell were the guests of Mrs John Carson one day last week.

Miss Nellie Gadd, is visiting Normanby friends at present.

We hear that Jimmy is inquiring for note paper. That's right Jim, write it up good.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATION.

Although Premier Ross does not make a boast of it, the educational system of Ontario is one of the best in his cap. He had the conduct of that department for many years, and when Mr Harcourt took it over he came into a well-ordered inheritance.

Later, the educational system has come in for some criticism, mainly because it is a system, and has certain blemishes that must always go with systems, however perfect. No one admits more frankly than Mr Ross himself that it will admit of improvement. He has thoroughly grounded in his mind the doctrines of Froebel, and a favorite dictum of his is that the ideal system of education would furnish every child with a tutor. Meanwhile there are one or two things which defer this desirable consummation, and which must be considered by statesmen. In Ontario, there is a very general zeal in learning. Fathers are not content that their children should trudge along in the same grooves as they have done; they admit, with Solomon, that increase of knowledge is increase of sorrow, but argue that it is likewise increase of possibilities; consequently the average of literacy in Ontario is higher, and the school attendance is larger, than in any other Province of Canada. Where there is such a prevalent appetite of learning, it means that many must eat from the same dish.

J. G. HUTTON, M. D., C. M.

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There cannot be a teacher to every pupil, however great the yearly supply. One teacher must divide his attention among many students. A system is therefore a necessity, and the statesman's duty is simply to make that system as flexible as possible. Another thing that publicists must consider is the amount of money at their disposal for a certain purpose. There are many claims on the treasury of the Province—aid to agriculture, aid to railways, aid to industries that will increase the wealth and happiness of the people. The garment must be cut according to the cloth, consequently, education must not ask for more than its share of the public funds.

With these limitations, it is surprising how the educational system of Ontario largely fostered by Premier Ross, has developed. It has always been good enough to point at with pride when we were abroad, and wealthy States of the Union have often looked enviously towards its results. It has given the greatest number of students the greatest amount of good with the least friction, and, spite of its little inequalities, has turned out a prodigious number of good men and women. It has seeded this Province richly with culture and high aims; it has planted its influences all through Canada; and it has given our young men considerable prestige in the United States where they are known, for their thoroughness and general information.

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