

Canadian Cattle in Aberdeenshire.

The removal of the British embargo on Canadian cattle is evidently still a live question in Scotland, as shown by the following item from a recent issue of the "North British Agriculturist," a paper which has strongly opposed the free admission of Canadian "Stores."

"A rather curious debate for a Literary Society, "Should the restrictions on Canadian cattle be removed"? was held in the Public Hall, New Deer under the auspices of the local Literary Society. The local papers state that there was a large attendance, and considerable interest was taken in the debate. Mr Milne, coachbuilder, supported the negative and Mr Godsmann, of Mains of Federate, the affirmative. Mr Milne made an able speech in favor of his side, pointing out the injury that would be done to small farmers and crofters who depended mainly on their stock for a living, were Canadians admitted; but Mr Godsmann who argued mainly on Free Trade theories was one too many for him and in the end carried the affirmative by a considerable majority. The great majority of those present were not farmers at all, but the vote shows how opinion may go even in this large cattle breeding country."

Unless all signs fail, the Second Annual Ontario Auction Sales to be held in Ottawa on Feb'y 12th., and in Guelph, Feb 28th will prove a pronounced success. The inspectors appointed to visit the farms of all breeders who had entered stock, have now completed their work. Only animals of good quality and in good thrifty condition, that are likely to prove profitable to purchasers have been accepted. Among the latest entries are two fine young Guernsey bulls from the herd of Hon. Sydney Fisher of Knowlton, Que., which is without doubt the largest and best herd of Guernseys in Canada at present. Both contributors to the sales and prospective buyers will feel confident of the ultimate success of this plan, when they know that the innovation is supported by such men as Hon S Fisher, Hon Jno Dryden, A Johnston, &c., &c. Catalogues of the sales are now ready for distribution, and may be had on application to the Sec'y., Mr A P Westervelt, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

F. W. Hodson, Live Stock Commissioner.

Canada's Chief Veterinary Adviser.

The Minister of Agriculture for some time back has been finding considerable inconvenience in the administration of the Veterinary Branch, owing to the fact that the Chief Veterinary Adviser, Dr. McEachern, resided in Montreal and was not required by his appointment to give his whole time and attention to the work of the Department. Many incidents have occurred of a purely domestic character within the Dominion, which indicated difficulties in this regard. Lately one or two questions of greater importance in connection with outside matters have also arisen. The situation became so difficult that the Minister took the question up with Dr. McEachern, and came to the conclusion that it was absolutely necessary for the future efficient working of the branch that the Chief Veterinary should reside at head quarters, and devote his whole time and attention to this work, as other Government employees are required to do.

In consequence of his connection with the Veterinary College of McGill University and the many large enterprises, in which he is engaged, Dr. McEachern felt he could not fulfill these conditions. He therefore handed in his resignation. When accepting this resignation the Minister felt that recognition was due Dr. McEachern for services rendered in the past. He therefore appointed him Honorary Veterinary Adviser to the Dominion Dept. of Agriculture.

Dr. J. C. Rutherford, of Portage la Prairie, who was in the employ of the Dept. during the last season, for the purpose of testing with tuberculin animals in the United Kingdom for export to Canada, has been appointed to succeed Dr. McEachern, as Chief Veterinary Inspector for the Dominion, it being understood that he shall make Ottawa his headquarters, and devote his whole time and attention to the work of the Dept. Dr. Rutherford's well known reputation as a veterinary, and his experience in all public matters, are guarantees of the efficient working of the Dept. under the new arrangement.

F. W. Hodson.

THE EARLY SPRING MILLINERY.

At no other season of the year, perhaps, does the fashionable woman devote so much time and thought to the selection of headgear as when Spring is dawning and new gowns are the order of the day. There is a fascination in the Easser hat or bonnet, and every woman will appreciate the smart modes illustrated in the March Delineator. These are for the most part of foliage and flowers and worthy examples of the milliner's art. The flowers used in adorning the new Spring hats are small and, in almost every instance natural in color. The favorite decoration this season is the edelweiss or snow-flower.

Horse Salts, Sulphur, Saltpetre and all kinds of Horse and Cattle Medicines at lowest prices at Darling's Drug Store.

PRICEVILLE.

Intended for last week.

At a recent meeting of all concerned in the Sabbath School in connection with the Presbyterian Church here, Mrs Mary McAuley was appointed bible class teacher and Peter Muir superintendent. The bible class is one of the largest in the county, having about forty members, all young men and ladies.

We are pleased to note that Hector McDonald's little girl, who had pneumonia, is absent again.

Since we started writing we see that we are to have abundance of snow before long.

The good sleighing during the last week caused a big rush of logs at our saw-mill. Mr McLeod, the proprietor, has overhauled the mill and put in new machinery where needed. His new saw makes excellent work. He pays the highest price for all kinds of logs delivered at the mill and as he is an all round good honest fellow he will be well patronized by the community generally.

Commissioner McArthur spent last week at the County Town attending to his official duties.

Barrister and Mrs Dixon spent a couple of days with their son Dr Dixon, of this town and returned early last week.

The annual tea-meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening the 20th February. A good program will be given during the evening. Dromore choir is to be in attendance. Good speeches expected by Rev gentlemen from abroad and at home. Dr Hutton is to be chairman.

The other day while Hugh McPherson was cleaning out his well he came in contact with a large snake coiled up amongst the stones. Hugh retreated when Eve's tempter dared him to come near her and her snake-ship will be likely to find winter quarters in the well as Hugh declares he will not tackle it for a while.

We notice a new barber in town this week. Mr Dugald McPhail has put up his sign, where he will be found at all hours ready to attend customers, &c. Give him a trial.

We are of the opinion that there is too much freedom given to Railway authorities, for the other day while a lot of farmers were on business at Fisherton Station and a car was loading, the engine barely moved the engine 10 feet from the crossing, causing horses who are not accustomed to rolling stock to become fractious and unmanageable. Why not move the engine 20 rods or so down the track when loading so as to give all kind of passers by freedom from being in danger of being precipitated down the embankment near by? We hope some of the gentleman at the big house or small house will pass an act putting restrictions on railway officials not to have the public crossing obstructed when unnecessary to do so, for in reality the way belongs to the farming community and public generally.

W J Blakeston, Principal Dundalk School, was in town Saturday last. Mr Blakeston has a strong attachment to Priceville although not a resident now.

The good people of South Grey, are highly favored this winter for the wheels of time have changed giving in turn to a pleasant winter with snow enough to make good travelling and no more, while our neighboring cities are almost suffocated by snow.

Mr John McIntyre, of Bruce, is paying his annual winter visit to his friends on the South Line, Glenelg.

Mr and Miss Morrel, of Guelph, are visiting at their uncle's Mr Alfred Hincks, South Line, at present.

Miss Dorothy McIntyre, of Rochester, is paying a visit to her mother at the old home, South Line, Glenelg, where she intends to remain for some time.

A number from here and vicinity attended the Scotch concert at Durham and reports a good program given.

Mr John McInnes, of Vancouver, is visiting at the old home, Durham Road, Glenelg, (son of Mr Allan McInnes) during the last couple of weeks and is returning again this week. It is 13 years since he left the old home.

In a letter received from Mrs Black, Oak River, Manitoba, she says Hugh McDonald (Sailor Neil's son) is dangerously ill with inflammation of the lungs and his recovery doubtful. His many friends in the County of Grey wishes his speedy recovery.

Parties are numerous this season and the old fashioned amusements are carried out wherever they meet.

Miss Flora McIntyre, who spent the former part of winter in Toronto, returned a few days ago and looks as if city life is her.

Veterinary McIntyre is kept busy attending to sick horses and cattle during winter as there are a lot of sick animals from the effects of distemper and other ailments.

Mrs M. Ozie, of Duluth, (Christena McDougall) pending a while with her aged father and mother on the North Line, Glenelg, Mr and Mrs Duncan McDougall.

Monday noon, Feb. 3rd, since writing the former part of this letter we have experienced the worst storms for years. As the roads are completely blocked in all directions the only outlet will be to make ways through fields as the snow is light where there are no fences. We can testify from experience this morning while attempting to make the distance of one mile that it took us two hours to make the journey and we are not unaccustomed to walking either. We were blowing our trumpet too loud at the commencement of our writing, but as it was a beautiful night on Saturday night when we wrote the former part we thought the weather was going to continue fine. Visitors will be obliged to lay over and remain where they are probably for another week.

It is likely Mr E. H. R. in this will hardly reach the Review Office in time for this week's issue as we cannot get to the office even on foot for a day or two, however we will have to take the weather as it comes, be it rough or smooth.

Our churches were kind of empty yesterday, Sunday, on account of the storm.

It still continues to blow at time of writing. No-body to be seen on our highways or by-ways to-day.

Died at Priceville, on Saturday the 8th February, 1902, Miss Annie McKinnon, aged about forty-five years. Funeral took place on Monday to the cemetery in this place. Miss McKinnon was in failing health for some time. She being living alone did not have the best of care, but kind neighbors looked after her as well as possible. Her sister Kate came to take care of her about a week before she died. Funeral was not largely attended on account of bad roads. Rev Mr Matheson officiated.

The annual tea-meeting in the Presbyterian Church here was postponed to Feb. 20th instead of 12th as was previously announced. Owing to the storm bills were not out in time.

Lots of teams and shovellers out to-day (Monday) breaking roads. We had the roughest week experienced for a number of years, during the past week.

Malcolm McDonald, formerly of this place, but of late years of Vancouver, is visiting friends at present in this place and neighborhood.

Mr Neil McConnell received word that his sister Mrs. McLeod, of Stayner, is suffering with typhoid fever. Mrs. McLeod only recovered lately from a severe case of appendicitis. Hope that she will be restored to health soon.

North Egrement.

We are glad to report that the people of this healthy part of the country are all enjoying good health. Mrs A. Bell, who may well be styled the good samaritan, has contributed of her share to this happy result. She is at present staying at Mr. Alf. Tucker's.

Mr Jackson of Galt, accompanied by Mr Barclay, (the general Tom) of our town, called on some of our citizens one day last week with a view to supplying them with music. They succeeded in disposing of an organ at Mr Wm Hunter's, whose charming young daughter will we hope still further charm with her skill in the days to come, so mote it be. Jas. Ford we are also told has purchased an organ from the same firm and it is determined to become a musician if it should cost him a leg. He is also the possessor of an auto harp, and a fiddle, and probably other musical instruments of lesser note. We know that Jimmie already has some knowledge for music vocally, and with earnest application will no doubt succeed in instrumental.

Mrs Jones of O. Sound, visited her father Mr John Hornsby and other relatives and friends last week, and returned home on Saturday. Mrs Jones reports all well with her friends in O. Sound.

Mr D. McKinnon bears the pain for having already read during the short time in which the library has been started, the greatest number of books, viz., over a dozen. We trust that some kind thirst for knowledge will some day stand him in good stead as no doubt it will.

Any amount of the beautiful on the roads here now, enough to do till June warm days. Just to think of them gives a degree of satisfaction, which all are welcome to a share of.

A DURHAM MOTHER.

Tells How She Helped Her Little One Through The Dangerous Teething Period.

There is no period in baby's early life requiring greater watchfulness on the part of the mother than when baby is teething. The little one often suffers such pain, is cross and restless day and night, requiring so much care that the mother is worn out looking after it. The teething period is often accompanied by stomach troubles, sometimes by diarrhoea and sometimes constipation at other times convulsions. The prudent mother will anticipate and prevent these troubles by keeping baby's stomach and bowels in a natural and healthy condition by the use of Baby's Own Tablets. In every home where these tablets are used baby is bright, good natured and healthy, and mother has real comfort with it. Mrs. Walter Blackwell, Durham, Ont., says:—

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MILTON L. HERSEY, M. A. Sc., Provincial Analyst for Quebec, Montreal, Dec. 23, 1901.

VICKERS

Mrs. John Park left last week for her home, near Detroit, accompanied by her niece and nephew Rebecca and Kenneth Park.

Miss Alice Schiek visited friends in Hepworth.

Mr Henry Reay purchased a fine horse from Mrs Bailey for \$100.

Miss Maggie Harris, of Holland Tp. is at Mr Wm. Legate's and intends to remain all winter.

Mr Grat Wise is somewhat under the weather with la grippe.

Mrs Bailey is also ill with la grippe but we hope to hear of their speedy recovery.

We are glad to hear that Mr Alex Grierson is recovering from his dangerous illness.

Messrs Jno Fitzsimmons and Wm Bolt, both of Berkeley, visited at Mr Wm Legate's recently.

Mrs J Lawrence and Mrs C Lawrence visited at Mr T H Lawrence's last week.

The storm was very fierce here last week. The stage did not get through and the roads are so blocked that traffic is almost impossible and on account of this the school was closed for a week.

Artemesia Council.

Artemesia council met on Monday last, the reeve in the chair. All the members were present except Mr Thompson. Minutes of previous session were read and confirmed.

A letter from S. Rivers of Tilsonburg on concrete culvert pipes was read.

By a number 604 to repeal by-law No 603, appointing an assessor for 1902, was introduced and read a first, second and third time and signed by the reeve and clerk.

The auditors' report on the accounts of 1901 was presented.

Muir-Gibson—That John Bellamy be paid one dollar for piling wood at town hall. Carried.

Boyd—Muir—That the council be a committee to finally audit the auditors' report. Carried.

The council went into committee on the auditors' report.

The committee arose, the reeve in the chair.

Gibson—Boyd—That the report of the auditors on the accounts of 1901 as presented and finally audited by this council be passed and the auditors be paid for their services \$10 each as per by-law, and that one hundred copies be printed for distribution. Carried.

Boyd—Muir—That the reeve is hereby authorized to procure for Thomas Manders, an indigent five cords of stove wood, he having applied for the same. Carried.

Boyd—Muir—That as Robert P. Legate has proposed to this council to purchase the water power on Alma street known as Eugenia Falls and the road allowance between the north limit of Simpson street and the south limit of Besquith street in the town plot of Eugenia with a view of utilizing said water power, the reeve and clerk are hereby appointed a committee to inquire into the matter with a view of closing up and selling said road allowance, which is of no practical use as a highway and if necessary procure legal advice in the matter, and to report to this council at an early date as possible. Carried.

Boyd—Muir—That this council adjourn to meet on Monday 10th inst., to appoint an assessor and other officers for 1902, and the March session be dispensed with unless the reeve shall consider a meeting necessary for any purpose. Carried.

Council adjourned.

COUNTY MEETING.

The Annual County Meeting of L. O. L. for S. Grey was held on Feb. 4 in Durham. The attendance was fair considering the storm. After general routine business was disposed of the election of officers took place with the following result:—County Master, Dr. Allen, Mr Forest; Dep. Master, Wm. Ritchie, Bentinek; Rec. Secy, J. G. Wilson, Durham; Treas., W. A. Anderson, Durham; Chap. John Williams Durham; Fin. Secy., Robt. Eden, Varney; Lecturer, Jno. Aldred Varney; Dir. of Ceremonies, Wm. Stevenson, Mt Forest; Depy Lecturers, W. D. Adair, Mt. Forest & Wm. McFarler, Mt. Forest.

Condolence.

At the district meeting of L. O. L. the following resolution of condolence was passed on motion of Bro. Jno. Williams and Jas. Eden:

Whereas it has pleased Providence to take from us our esteemed brother Wm. Alexander, Bentinek; Be it resolved, that while bowing in humble submission to His will, which is always for the best, we feel Durham District has lost a brother whose unswerving loyalty to the order is worthy of our emulation.

Resolved that we sincerely condole with the family and friends of the deceased in the sad bereavement which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict them with and commend them for consolation to Him who hath said that he putteth our tears in His bottle, not even a sparrow falleth to the ground without His notice and that all things work together for good to those who love God.

Signed in behalf of the Durham District L. O. L.

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