

NOTES BY THE WAY.

EN ROUTE TO AULD SCOTIA.

INTERESTING LETTER FROM MR. R. MACFARLANE, SR.

Our readers will be pleased to have some letters from our traveler townsmen narrating experiences on the trip to the old land. We are much indebted for his first begun in Montreal but ended later.—Ed.]

Vancouver Hotel, Montreal, July 29, '02.

Editor Review and other Durhamsites. Dear Friends,—

Here we are in the big Metropolis of the Dominion, all safe and sound. We left Toronto at 10 p. m., last night by C. P. R. line. Only one stop was made before reaching Peterborough, which place we made at 12.30. At daylight we were near Perth and O! what a bare flat country and poor buildings. It got better after leaving Smith's Falls, and better still as we neared Montreal.

We got here at half past seven a. m., and its general appearance reminds one of some of the cities of the old land, with its small streets and some other features. But what a wealth of fine buildings are here! Large retail establishments, Warehouses, etc. Fine churches and colleges not surpassed in the Dominion; on all sides indications of wealth and refinement. You can go over nearly the whole of the city with a cab and five in it for \$2.00 and it would be impossible for me to describe the many notable things we saw; the splendid parks, the large stone buildings, the fine hotels, and the great stations, the C. P. R. being much the finest.

It is also a sight to see the fine steamers of the Allan line that cross the Atlantic so speedily and so comfortably compared with what was the experience when our fathers and mothers crossed. The hardships of the olden time are now gone and it is a pleasure to cross the "pond" having every comfort one could wish. Just think! those fine steamers carrying one 3,500 miles and board for \$55. We went to visit Mount Royal and from the fine elevation you can see the whole city and have a good view of the Victoria Bridge and the great St. Lawrence. Here are two cemeteries also Protestant and R. Catholic and they are certainly fine and must receive a great deal of attention to make them so attractive.

We all go abroad the fine Allan liner, "Sicilian" tonight, and the "all" includes besides our own company of five Mr. Walter Nichol, Sr., Glenelg; Mr. and Mrs. Jno McDonald, Chatsworth; Mr. Jas McLaughlan and son of Owen Sound, so you see we are quite at home with so many "kent folk." Wednesday morning we were wakened up at daylight by the steamer turning her head down the St. Lawrence, and after we have passed out of the busy harbor with its turmoil of shipping coming and going, what a fine sail down our noble river that every Canadian should see. On the banks can be seen the little French houses, so many as sometimes to appear as a straggling village. The farms seem all to be small, 50 acres or so, running down to the river. Every little while we come to a Catholic church with two square spires one on each corner and they look well outside, but are very poorly finished inside we are told.

We get to Lake St. Peter, about 30 miles from Montreal about 9 a. m., and reach the city of Three Rivers about 11. This seems to be a large place, named from three rivers that join the St. Lawrence within about a mile of one another. We are now 80 miles from Montreal.

We have about 65 passengers. The Sicilian is a very fine boat, just think she carries 5000 tons freight, yet is large and swift too. She has just passed a liner that went out 2 hours before her, but what can you expect? The owner is a Scot, the crew are Scots, the passengers are Scots, so you may know what will follow!

Every little while we pass a little town and arrive in old Quebec about 3 p. m., a very good run of 190 miles. What a lot of memories crowd round this old historic place! What a fine sight to see the large citadel with its cannon frowning over the river. You pass by the spot where Wolfe led his men up the height and wonder in amazement how those "hellmen" ever scaled a spot where a goat can hardly climb, but we know when it comes to a brush such men never say die. As it was with Wolfe so it was with Wauchope and others in S. Africa the call of duty the path of danger, the field of glory and sometimes gory death, but still untarnished honor, and a deathless name.

Now we are off for Bonnie Scotland, the land of mountain and glen, of "brown heath and shaggy wood," of the whistle, the broom and the crimson-tipped daisy, the land every true Scot in other climes holds in reverence and delights, where opportunity presents, of revisiting. So good bye. My next letter will be from the historical old town of Paisley.

R. MACFARLANE, SR.

Letters from Miss Gregson.

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suddenly from this earth. I cannot say that I should like to call them back again from that blessed fold of Paradise where all Christ's flock is waiting including my dear Father and Mother who died 16 and 15 years ago my mother being left a young widow of 30 yrs with 6 little children to care for. But such a mother—she worked hard to keep us nice, and her dying wish was that her twin boys should never be parted. We were scattered among kind friends, the two boys going to Ontario fighting their way together, but somehow got separated and for a few years we got no news of them though we had written. I had been writing only to dear Jack and a thought struck me I would write to both. At last I had a reply from both of them. Each was enquiring of me where the other was, they having lost each other also. I was able to let them know, and at last Jack went to George only to die together as you say. They told me what a joyful meeting they had when they saw each other. I can't tell you how full my heart is for those dear boys. How I will miss their nice letters.

I must again thank you for all the trouble you gave yourself in securing their hair, and the nice flowers, they smell lovely. I have got them with your kind letter, which I will always keep and value. You will be glad to know I have got my brother Jim home safe again. He is in Portsmouth at present expecting to go abroad soon. He was also through part of the South African war and was with the men of the ship "Powerful" that saved Ladysmith.

I must also mention that I have had a very kind sympathetic letter from Mr. Jas. Carson, and another very kind letter from Miss Sirrs. She tells me that my dear brothers were at her home to tea the Sunday before that terrible accident. It is nice to hear them spoken so kindly of. I do think you are kind good Christian people. I shall always think of you as such.

May God bless you all in Durham. Yours very sincerely ANNIE GREGSON.

THE PROVINCIAL VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO.

Mr. Editor,—

This Association is formed to establish harmony of action, insure prosperity, to get legislation necessary to promote the best interests of the firemen of Ontario. The firemen and especially the Volunteer firemen of Ontario are slowly but surely coming to the front among the many organizations of the land, and why should they not? They are ever ready when the alarm sounds to sacrifice their time, health, and more than that sometimes their lives. Who can tell but the alarm of fire may be the call to sudden death? Like the soldier this is a part of their work, there is no chance to flinch from their duty, yet I want to say it is a very trying position for honest conscientious men to fill. They are expected by the average sized citizen to be of equal capacity and experience to the men of our largest cities. They must lay aside all personal considerations for the good of the town they represent as firemen, and submit in the most humble way to the criticisms of those, who for the sake of talk, want to have some fault to find and, who in most cases could not tell a nozzle from a hydrant. Yet for all this these firemen do their best without much of any reward or even recognition of their work. Something more should be done if only some plan of common acquaintance by way of entertainment to show that their services are appreciated, but to achieve this work there has got to be co-operation which depends on the good will and efforts of each and all concerned.

R. TORRY, Chief Durham Fire Brigade.

Dromore. Rev D L Campbell, wife and family are taking their annual month's holidays. They intend spending part of it on the upper lakes.

A picnic from Greenside vicinity will be held at Hamilton's Lake on Wednesday of this week.

Rev Mr McLellan is filling the pulpit at Amos Church during the absence of the pastor.

Haying is now nearly finished. The crop has been good and the farmers seem to be satisfied with the prospect of an abundant harvest.

The young people are looking forward to the time when the launching of the boat will take place on the Lake. They are expecting an invitation to attend the ceremony.

The home of Mr James Tucker is brightened by the presence of their two sons, James from Toronto, and Willie from Markdale. They are fine lads and we are pleased to see them both.

BUNESSAN.

The rain of this week brings the hay making to a stand still. Some farmers are through in this part while others have a lot to do yet.

Miss Annie McArthur of Toronto, is visiting her cousins, Dan and Maggie McInnes.

Mrs McNeil and daughter of the States, are at present visiting Mr Thos Grey. Mrs McNeil is a sister of Mr John Mitchell near Durham.

Mr Thos Ginn got a bad fall the other day which may lay him up for a while. Miss Emma Swallow and Mr Calvert of your town, took a drive out to Mr C Kennedy's one evening last week.

Some one fired a shot from a gun in our burg Sunday evening last. It's a wonder such persons could not find time to practise with fire arms only on the Sabbath.

What we would like to know.—If Mr G found his way back home after seeing the two girls home one evening last week.

THE BIG STORE

J. A. HUNTER.

Selling Out

As mentioned in last issue, Mr. Alex. Russell of Elora, has purchased the Big Store stock and takes possession on or before September 1st next.

We have a few very interesting bargains to offer you before we go. Call and see what we are doing: It's no trouble to show you the goods.

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We dont quote any prices this week for we expect to see you in anyhow, and we will show all our bargains.

Don't forget that we keep open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Accounts

We have a large amount of money in our Ledger and, of course, when the business changes hands, we expect to commence making collections. Customers will oblige us greatly by calling before the 20th of August and arrange for settlement of their account either by cash or note.

J. A. HUNTER THE BIG STORE

NOTICE.

In view of the fact, that the work on factory is now taking on such proportions that it is dangerous to walk around some of the buildings unattended by a guide and further that it is our desire, that all employes, shall give their undivided attention to the completion of the work. Therefore no visitors will be allowed, except by special permission from the Toronto office.

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Tenders Wanted.

Tenders will be received up to Friday the 15th day of August, for completing or for both excavating and completing a tank near Wolfe's stable on Lambton Street. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Clerk's office.

A. McLAUGHLAN, Chairman Fire and Light, Com.

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NEIL McCANNEL, Chairman of Com. Dated this 28th day of July 1902.

HOPEVILLE

Pastor Kenning of this town, left on Friday 1st to do missionary work elsewhere. A young man by name of Varley is left in charge of his house and church. He comes from Tara.

On Saturday 2nd at the manse, a son was born. This adds another to the family of Mr and Mrs Kenning. Mother and child are doing well.

Mr Charles Dezell, oldest son of Mr John Dezell, who was away in the far west, has returned to his old home to see his parents.

Everybody is busy with haying and cutting fall wheat. Both crops never were better here.

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C. MCKINNON



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