Past and Present in British Columbia. THE MANSE, GRAND FORKS, B. C.

MY DEAR MR. WHIDDEN,-A tremendous change has come over this country. It is practically staked out from Col. river to O'Ranagan and recorded. We have a good trunk road from Marous to Penticton and new roads cut up past Clark's place on N. Fork of Kettle River. Stages are running daily on some parts of the road Certainly from Marcus to us there is a great traffic at present. The claims are simply located, - some are being worked and now capital is coming in, and a few bonded claims are raising quite a furore. Three new townsites are being surveyed. \* \* \* \* \* Grand Forks is already in existence, with store, saloon and hotel. It is a town of un-

believers and gamblers. A second large \$15,000 hotel is now in progress at Grand Forks, and license is being applied for. All the mountain road is in the way of the mines, tapping them. Three roads are built into the Winnipeg, Greenwood, and Wellington Camps. Greenwood city is a new city four miles north of Boundary. It is being laid out now. Brothers Wood of Enderby, are owning and running it. Boundary Falls was re-surveyed last week and lots are on the market. I now take services under winter arrangement, one Sabbath in Prairie and Camp, next Sabbath at Greenwood, Boundary and Midway. Monday fortnightly at C. McKinney, Tuesday at Anarchist Mountain. At the latter place we have 37 children in 19 families. So you see I am busy enough. It is too much to spread yourself over three fields,-you get dreadfully thin in body, soul, and doctrine, for it is too exhausting.

On Thanksgiving we are to have a grand concert-social for the schemes of the church. \* \* \* In the meantime there is not much money to handle, yet a market for all the produce is got from the mines. The British Columbia Government has intimated that payments are to be made on all lands, steps are to be taken toward canceling the lands with all improvements. Our peo ple are all behind and every cent scraped up goes to help pay up these claims.

Probably in spring there will be a great rush-in fact it threatens to be a boom of

I do pray we Presbyterians will take up our three fields here, and so cover the ground. No one else is here, and it will be a magnifi-

I would like to leave here in spring rather than autumn. We will all regret it for climate is lovely. The children just love the place and do not wish to go east, and I feel about this field as if it was "my eldest born," It is no easy thing to tear yourself away from a work which you have seen grow under your care. At any rate, I will leave a good home, and a pretty church all clear of debt. and ready for attack on the great coming flood of humanity that is certainly coming next spring.

I wish to see a fresh, vigorous man here. Besides, I am afraid I won't have funds to take us all east, for I have really got no money since coming here, and expended \$460 dollars of my own besides, on church and Manse. Thanks to you and such as you, you have enabled me to erect clear these ouildings, and they stand at present value:— Church, \$1800, Manse \$1100, fencing and outhouses at \$275; total \$3,175. Our log nanse is all sided up to match church and is being painted. Church seven-eighths done. The grounds, 3 acres, are all fenced in with a strong, nice picket fence. A home which any from east would like and be glad to occupy. I will write you again.

Meantime I am yours gratefully,

I. PATON. cupy. I will write you again after our social.

Being the first Missionary in this part of the Province I will add a word to the above letter, that you may see the marvelous growth south of the Province of British Columbia, 300 miles inland from the coast in the Selkick mountains. Carson and Midway are almost on the international line. Besides being an extensive mining, it is also a magnificent grazing country. Thousands of cattle and horses roam over the country, and become fat on the bunch grass which grows rank and rich both in the valleys and on the foot-hills. The country is well-watered and well-wooded: only the soft woods grow there however. It is rich in gold, silver, iron, and coal.

I was the first minister to conduct a burial service in the valley. I married the second couple in the valley; built the first church (now used as a manse), helped organize the first school, and saw the first school house built near the present church.

We had no regular mails in the valley. Our letters and papers were brought from Marcus on the American side, 40 miles distant, by Indians. We paid 10c. for 2 letters; papers came in packages for which we paid a package. There was a mail service on the Canadian side once a month, as far as Quartz Camp. We petitioned the government and in the spring of '91 got a fortnightly mail from Vancouver as far as Spragget's, on the opposite side of the river from the present townsite of Carson. Mr. Spragget kept a novel ferry-boat in the form of two white Persons wishing to cross the river would hail the ferryman to send over a horse which would swim across of its own accord

which would swim across of its own accord and bring back the passenger.

Five years ago there were but 20 shacks in this part of the country, 40 men, 9 women and 25 children. To day, there are 2,000 persons. We had no roads, nothing but a narrow trail. Trucking was done almost wholly by pack-horses. There were no bridges when I first went there but during the winter there were two built: one across the Kettle river 4 miles above Midmay, and one at Grand Forks, the place of the present townsite of that name. The Kettle river when full is nearly as large as the Annapolis townsite of that name. The Kettle river when full is nearly as large as the Annapolis river when full above the Bridgetown bridge. In making the journey from Rock Creek to North York we had to cross the Kettle river North York we had to cross the Kettle river several times. Eight months of the year we could cross at the ford where the water was about 3 ft. deep. During the months of May to August when the snow is melting on the mountains it was necessary in crossing to swim the horse. Rather a peculiar sensation, the first time one uses his horse as a ferry-boat in a rapid river with the water ice cold. But like everything else, one gets used to it, and the horses seem to enjoy a cool bath after a hard ride. Mexican saddles were used altogether. They were girted on the horses almost as tight as though they grew there. This was necessary, for in riding over a rough country, or in "rounding up" stock a loose saddle would not only gall the horse's back, but the rider would be in constant danger of being thrown from the sadstant danger of being thrown from the sad-dle. Each saddle had two girths, and in stant danger of being thrown from the sad-dle. Each saddle had two girths, and in crossing the river it was necessary to loosen the hind one or the horse could not swim. A neat little paper is now published at Midway. The C. P. R. made a survey through this valley five years ago, and will doubtless eventually make this a direct route to the coast, striking the Fraser river about 30 miles above Chiliwhack. It is said that this will shorten the present route to the coast this will shorten the present route to the coast about 300 miles.

R. S. WHIDDEN.

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From the Ingersoll Chronicle. That a sound mind in a sound body is one of the best and greatest gifts of a kind Providence no one will deny. Mankind in all ages have sought to obtain the clixir of life, have hunted for some means of prolonging health, vigor and vitality—have in fact hoped that they might find

"Some blithe wine
Or bright elixir peerless they could drink
And so become immortal."

But while man can hardly hope to attain that coveted prize this side of the eternal world, yet it is evident to all who give the subject any consideration, that modern science, skill and education in the treatment of the ills that flesh is heir to, have worked wonders in restoring the human body to its original "form divine," and in relieving nany sufferers from untold misery, bringing them back to health and happiness, and giv-ing them a feeling that life is indeed worth living. A case in point, in our own town, having reached the ears of a reporter of the Chronicle the scribe determined to satisfy his curiosity by calling on the party who had had such a happy experience and investigate



"Busily at Work." for himself. He called at the boot and sho shop of Mr. John Toull, King street west, and on entering the building the reporter found "Father Toull," as he is familiarly known in town, busily at work on a pair of shoes for one of his many customers, at the same time humming over to himself the tune of a cherished hymn, for by the way, in his younger days Mr. Toull was considered a good local preacher among the Methodists of this section and frequently filled the pulpits of some of our local churches in the pastor's absence, and he still loves to sing, preach or expostulate on some scripture theme or favorite hymn. The reporter was cordially received, and on making known his business, the old man's countenance brightened and his eyes sparkled with delight. It was interesting to note the fervency with which he volunteered, as he said for the sake of humanity, to tell what he could do of his case, and we will let it be told in his own words. He said:-" For twenty years I was subject although I had tried almost everything that kind friends recommended to me. My family physician would sometimes give me some medicine that would help me for a short time, but without permanent benefit. He told me I might drop dead at any moment and I tell you I expected to do so on many occasions. I had heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when they first came out but I had used so many remedies that I just about lost faith in everything of that kind, and had become resigned to my fate. However, I came in contact with so many that had used

Pink Pills, and who assured me that they had been benefitted by their use, that at last since 1890. This country is on the extreme I decided to give them a trial also, and eral years ago I commenced taking them. I ontinued their use until I had taken eight boxes, and I am now happy to say that I have never had a symptom of the diseas ing of God, Pink Pills cured me. I might also say that last fall I was attacked with rheumatism, which became so bad that I could scarcely walk from my work to the ouse, and for a long time I could not get out to church. I tried a number of things recommended to me, but receiving no good from their use, so I said to myself one day, Pink Pills did me so much good before for my heart trouble, I'll try them again, so I gave them another fair trial, with the result that the rheumatism has gone out of my oones, and I have not been troubled a bit with it since. Everyone said the old man, as he waxed warm over the thought of his happy experience, who knows old Father Toull, knows that what he tells is the truth After thanking Mr. Toull for his kindness

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and courtesy, the reporter left the shop with

the same opinion as to the truth of his state

nents, and impressed with the belief that

from his rugged, hearty appearance and

cheerful disposition, the old gentleman is

Sorrow and Human Kindness.

A pale little lad in the train glanced wistfully toward a seat where a mother and her merry children were eating lunch. The ears gathered in his eyes, though he tried to keep them back. A passenger came and stood beside him.

"What's the trouble?" he asked. "Have you no lunch?"

"Yes, I have a little left, and I'm not so awful hungry." "What is it, then? Tell me; perhaps I

"It's-it's so lonely, and there's such a lot of them over there, and-and they've got their mother." The young man glanced at the black band

The young man glanced at the black band on the boy's hat.

"Ah!" he said, gently, "and you have lost yours."

"Yes, and I'm going to my uncle; but I've never seen him. A kind lady, the Doctor's wife, who put up my lunch, hung this card to my neck. She told me to show it to the ladies ou the car, and they would be kind to me; but I did not show it to any one yet. You may read it, if you like."

The young man raised the card and read the name and address of the boy. Below were the words:

the name and address of the boy. Below were the words:

"And whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these little ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple, verily I say unto you, he shall in no wise lose his reward."

The reader brushed his hand across his eyes, and was silent for a moment.

"Tll come back very soon," he said, and made his way to the mother and her children.

dren.

And presently little George felt a pair of loving arms about him, and a woman's voice, half sobbing, calling him a poor, dear little fellow, begged him to come with her to her children. And for the rest of the journey, at least, motherless George had no lack of "mothering."

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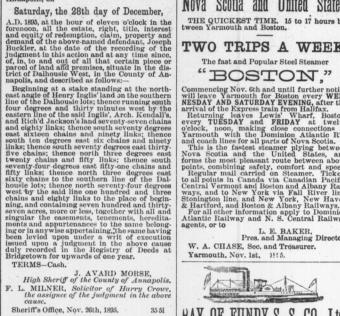


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Don't expect your cattle to get fat and give lenty of milk on straw alone. Feed them

as you would yourself, when you have plenty Don't turn your cattle out to roam over he meadows in order to save a feed in the barn. What little grass is there will help to

protect the tender roots through the winter's old, and the poaching by the cattle's feet will do more damage to the field than what you will save in feed by turning them out to Don't forget to use the curry comb and brush on the cattle at least once a week, and oftener, if possible. The cattle enjoy it, and thrive better when it is done, and lice have

less opportunity of flourishing on them.

When milch cows are groomed regularly, there will be less hairs and dirt to fall into

the milk pail, and, consequently, fewer bacteria to injure the milk. Don't put off for a day attending to such cattle as have lice on them. A day's delay often means a large increase in the number of eggs laid, or of young lice hatched out. Dress the cattle promptly with whatever wash or treatment you prefer, and don't let

the lice get the start of you.

Don't stint the cattle in bedding, if you can possibly avoid it. A well-bedded stall or box gives comfort to an animal, and keeps it clean. When an animal is comfortable, then it will thrive, and make the best use of

Don't let the cattle stand out in the ward on cold days till they shiver. A little exercise will not hurt them, but on very cold days they should not be left out long.

Don't force your cattle to go a quarter of mile to a creek to get water in the winter time solely in order to save vonrself the rouble of pumping water for them. If you watch them, you will see that on cold days very few of them will trouble to go to the creek for water, preferring to do without sooner than face the cold blasts. If you have many cattle, and pumping is laborious work, it will pay you to get a windmill to do

this for you. Don't forget to put a lump of rock or some common salt in the mangers of your cattle. The former is best, as there is no waste with it, and it is always there for the cattle to lick it when they wish

Poultry Notes.

Milk in any form is good for laying hens; it contains all the elements of egg food in almost the proper proportions; and no food will make hens lay like wheat in some shape, with a regular ration of green cut bones. Then keep them comfortable and busy. The days are at hand when the early pul-

lets and the hens which moulted first will

begin their song of production, a song which is ever music to the poultrymen. See that they have the combustible material to raise afficient steam to keep the machinery at work and bring forth the product. In the variety of farm products poultry hay become a source of income at all seasons of the year; but, aside of this, the farmer should have more chickens to save the butcher's bills, and to afford him a chance

duce enough; the city markets are rapidly Ask the average farmer if he gives any time or attention to his poultry, and he will of his life. He was there disguised a tell you no; the women folks gather the eggs | Highlander. and raise a few young ones, but they do not pay. Of course they do not, nor would the cattle, horses or pigs if looked after in the same slipshod manner; but they will never

from pork and salt meats. We do not pro-

listen to your preaching. Fowls need lime, but it is the better way to give them foods rich in this material. Chopped clover contains both lime and nitroenous matter. Peas are also rich with it and wheat is a lime food. The wheat should be given after clover, lest it be too concen trated, and fatten the fowls instead of making them lay.

Celery Under Glass. FOR LATE SPRING AND EARLY SUMMER MARKET—BLEACHING THE HOUSE GROWN Celery goes out of the market in April. when the stored crop is exhausted, and un-

till the early field product is received, in July, celery is not to be obtained. With a view to supplying the demand in May and June, experiments were begun four years ago at the Cornell (N. Y.) station with celery under glass. Professor L. H. Baily, who makes the following report, claims that it is a comparatively easy matter to grow celery, for late spring and early summer use. He says: The seed is sown in late fall or early win

ter in flats or seed pans. About one month after sowing the plants are pricked out into other flats, where they stand three or four nches apart each way. A month or so later hey are transplanted into beds, following lettuce, cauliflower, etc., thus for two months or more taking up little or no room, for the flats are placed in vacant places here and there throughout the house, and they need little other care than watering. They should be kept cool, for if one attempts force them they will likely run to seed. When the plants are finally transplanted, we like to put them in solid beds without

In six weeks to two months after the plants are turned into permanent quarters hey will be ready to bleach, and this operation caused more trouble than anything else. Many plans were tried, but all failed, until thick, hard wrapping paper, with an almost "sized" surface, proved to be an admirable success. The stalks were brought together and tied, and a width of paper reaching to within two or three inches of the tips of the leaves was rolled tightly about the plant. As the plant grew another width of paper was rolled about the first, and again reaching nearly to the top of the plant. Two applications of paper are sufficient. A month to six weeks is required to

bleach the celery by this proces in a cool house in April and May. The seeds of the station's last crop o house celery were sown Dec. 10, 1894; picked off Jan. 8, planted in beds Feb. 9, first tied in papers April 12, second tying May 9, celery for use May 21 and June 20. The Kalamazoo celery is well adapted to house cultivation. The quality of this house grown product is equal to that grown in the

Catarrh in the Head Is due to impure blood and cannot be cured with local applications. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured hundreds of cases of catarrh because it purifies the blood and in this way removes the cause of the disease. It also builds up the system and prevents attacks of pneumonia, diphtheria and typhoid fever.

Hood's Pills become the favorite cathartic with every one who tries them. 25c. STOVES TO ENGLAND.—The Enterprise oundry of Sackville reports that five stoves were sold lately to go to England. This is an experiment. Three of them were hall stoves, and the purchaser is under the impression that a demand for Canadian stoves pression that a demand for Canaula, of this class will at once spring up.

Joker's Carner.

There's going to be turkey and duck an And salid and ice-cream and pudding and jam, And oysters and tarts and chicken pic, And custards with frosting piled up high!

Oh dear!—how I wish I was big as a man!
For I want to eat just all that I can,
And to think of those tarts and custards
and all,
And I—oh dear, I'm so dreadfully small?

The Willows Man. "There is a good story on the Examiner," said J. Ross Jackson, the ex-newspaper man, to some friends in the Palace recently, "and although I'm out of the business I can't overlook its merits on that account. It appears that a druggist named Putnam was killed in Willows recently by a man named Schorn.
The telegraphed report came to the Call and
also to the Chronicle. The next morning when Managing Editor Hamilton of the Examiner was looking over the records of the day he discovered that his paper had been "scooped" on that particular item. He thereupon sent for Mr. Corey, the coast

editor of the paper.
"'Mr. Corey,' he said with a dignified look on his face, 'have we a correspondent in Willows?"

"'Did he send a report of that murde

... No.' " 'Fire him.'

"'How? By mail?" "'No. By telegraph. We can't dispose of a man like that too quickly. A correspondent who doesn't know that a murder

the position. Bounce him.' ". Mr. Corey went to his record book of the managing editor.

"'Mr. Hamilton, there are certain cirumstances in this man's favor that---" There are no circumstances that would justify such an exhibition of incompetency. Sounce him, I say!'
"'But Mr. Hamilton, this case has no

parallel. That man has a good excuse for verlooking the importance of the story.' "Well, what was his excuse?' inquired the editor becoming nervous. ""Well, answered Corey, scratching his

chin a moment, 'he was the man who got "Mr. Hamilton lapsed into silence and went on reading some proofs of the story of Mr. Hearst's latest investment in newspapers."

Did He Love but Once?

ORATORS WHO DELIVER EULOGIES SHOULD There are women in this advanced age of ivilization who are ready to hinder the efforts of reformers to abolish the funeral pyre of the Hindostanee.

A memorial meeting was held a few days ago in honor of a man who had been prominent in public work. His former colleagues and intimate friends filled the large platform. Among them sat his widow, weeping silently under her crepe veil. One after another the orators of the occasion laid tributes of eloquence at the altar of his memory. One, nore inspired and with a longer speech than the rest, followed the history of his life from the time of his birth, "in the troublous days when all Europe was aghast at the sight of

to a universal throne." "But the most important event of his life," he continued "happened at a later date. It was at a fancy ball that he met as he afterward said, the first and only love

"What?" he whispered, as some one tugged at his coat, but, went on: " And the lady of his choice was dressed"-here there was another tugwas dressed as a turkish cigarette girl. After a short courtship they were married." He then continued the eulogy of the youthful bride of the deceased in extravagant terms. When he sat down a neighbor orator whispered, "You forgot his widow." "Oh, no, I didn't. I gave her a good send-off."

"Good heaven," exclaimed "this is his third wife." A Considerate Ma "I always like to see a man a

Mr. Cumso at the dinner table. Mrs. Cumso smiled. "I admit that I am not always as consi erate myself as I ought to be, but"——
"Now, Harry," interposed Mrs. Cumso indulgently, "you know that you are model husband because I have often tol you so. There is only one thing, or perh

"As I was saying, my dear, when yo nterrupted me," Mr. Cumso went on, always like to see a considerate husband t does me good. I saw one to day down town."

"What did he do?" "Well, the snow lay pretty deep this morning and there was quite a demand for now shovels in the stores. I saw one man come in and ask to see some. He was directed to a pile of them in a corner, and cally one by one. 'Isn't there one you would like?' asked the salesman. 'They all seem to be pretty heavy,' said the customer. 'They are regulation size and weight,' replied the clerk. 'You can't get a lighter one anywhere unless you have it made to order.' 'I must look elsewhere, then,' replied the customer—and here is where his consideration for his wife made itself known "I must look elsewhere,' said he, 'for I really shouldn't like my delicate little wife to have to use such a heavy snow shovel as

that.' And the man went out to try to find a snow shovel that his wife could use.

Arriving at a Conclusion. Willie Slimson-Mamma, does Santa Claus get in his sleigh on Christmas eve and irive around to the houses of the little boys

Mrs. Slimson-Yes, dear.

nd girls?

all the little boys and girls in one night. Mrs. Slimson -He is, dear. Willie (thoughtfully)-I don't believe he loes it that way. Mrs. Slimsom-How do you think he

Willie-He must be pretty quick to visit

loes it? Willie-I think he plans ahead and does me of the work beforehand. Mrs. Slimson-What makes you think so? Willie-Well, I notice that he's got all

ny presents put away in one of the clo

Mrs. Woolberton (impatiently)—Get outen dis house, yo' good fo' nuffin', lazy nigger! Yo' oughter be 'shamed ob yo'self, sittin' dar all de day long watchin' yo' po' wife make de libbin' fo' de fambily. Mr. Woolberton (with a whine)-Yo' didn't uster talk to me dat way afo' we was

dun married. Yo' uster call me Sugar, Mrs. Woolberton-Yes; an' I calls yo' ugar now-loaf-sugar. Dat's what yo' is-

-MINARD'S HONEY BALSAM, exce

An Additional Appellation

loaf-sugar!