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A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING. **TOPICS OF INTEREST GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR FOR REPORTER READERS.**

Dr. Judson, of Lyn, has been appointed medical health officer in succession to Dr. Sharpe.

The death of Mrs. de Marsh of Bedford Mills, at the age of 102 years occurred last week. She came of a long lived family.

At a public meeting of the residents of Smith's Falls last week it was unanimously resolved to withdraw from the county of Lanark for municipal purposes.

Mr. A. G. Austin, of Lyndhurst, has received notice from the provincial secretary of Manitoba that an order-in-council has been passed appointing him a notary public for that province.

Mrs. Jos. Pettam, an aged lady of the township of Elizabethtown, sustained a fracture of one of her legs on Wednesday last as the result of a fall. The accident may prove fatal owing to the lady's advanced age.

The North Crosby Conservatives at a meeting held on Tuesday night of last week appointed the following officers:—President, Dr. G. F. Ferry; Secretary, J. H. Moulton; Treasurer, Jas. Dier; delegates, Dr. Berry, J. H. Moulton, and Jas. Dier, who vote by virtue of their office.

Here are Kipling's views on temperance: "I used to take a glass regularly," he says, "until one day, going along the streets of Manchester, I saw two 15-year old girls reel out of a public house, stagger across the pavement and fall into the gutter. From that time I have been a total abstainer. So are all my household."

The following members of 'H' Company, 56th Reg., Lisgar Rifles, Lansdowne, have made an application to be come members of the Canadian force which will go to London, Eng., in June next to represent the militia of Canada on the occasion of the coronation of King Edward VII: Fred W. McCannell, Arthur Burns and Chas. C. Goodall.

The members of the North Crosby Agricultural Society met in Victoria Hall, Newboro, last week and elected the following officers: President, Dr. King; Vice-President, G. E. Foster; Directors, J. V. Mulville, Westport; G. W. Preston, J. F. McNally, B. Crowther, J. Graham, J. A. Shaver, and D. Moriarty, Newboro; W. T. Leggett, Singleton. The society has a surplus of \$15 after paying all 1901 expenses, and with the aid of their many friends the directors hope to make this year's fair the most successful ever held. A meeting of the directors will be held on April 17th.

Cecil Rhodes is dead, but his name will live in history as the great empire builder of South Africa. Once at a certain public resort he rose from his meditations, and spreading out his hand over as much of the small map of Africa as he could, he said, "All this for Britain," and towards that purpose he worked with all his might and main. He was what men call an empire builder, a peculiar honor which comes to few people. Year by year Rhodes saw that his dream was being fulfilled. His diamond mining was earning fabulous dividends, and his stupendous enterprise demanded his close attention. And yet in politics he was exceedingly busy, and he saw since after slice of Africa added to the possessions of the nation he loved so well. As premier of Cape Colony he impressed his personality upon the policy of the government and its laws were shaped according to his will. He made mistakes. Lacking in the training which all diplomats require he allowed his wisdom to be swayed by his impetuosity, and in the Johannesburg raid, which he approved, and which aimed at the rushing of results he was not content to wait and strive for, he in some measure compromised his name and reputation. He made other mistakes. No man is infallible. On the whole, however, and judging the good as against the evil, his has been an honorable career, and one that will live in history.

For a breach of the old maxim, "Kiss but never tell," a man in East Liverpool, Ohio, got into a peck of trouble. He was a married man named Harry Colledge, as the police court records. He knocked at the

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LETTER FROM THE FAR NORTH.

Mr. Noah Shook has allowed us to make the following extracts from a letter received from his son up near the North Pole.

Hootalmqua, March 12th 1902.

DEAR PARENTS,—I am almost ashamed of myself for not writing sooner but it has been next to impossible for me to do so as I hardly get any time to myself. I have been in charge of the North West Mounted Police post here since last August and you cannot imagine how much writing and red tape there is to go through with daily. We have had a very mild winter here. The coldest weather is at present and it is only about 45 below zero. No doubt you have heard of the great discovery in the Yukon, about 100 miles from the Arctic ocean. There were two enormous petrified ships found embodied in the ice and near these ships was found a petrified forest of tropical growth, both three thousand feet above timber line. There were cooking and other utensils found on board which are unlike anything made at the present day. There is nothing about them that will give any idea of their age, but the general opinion is that they are several centuries old.

Well father I got an offer for my Dalton trail property which I staked in 1898. I got a telegram last Saturday asking if I would take ten thousand dollars for it, so, rather than hang on to it and take chances in a year or two of getting five times as much, I wired back that I would accept the offer. While I almost feel certain that in a few years this property will be worth many thousand more than I am getting, the old saying, that a bird in hand is worth two in the bush, might prove true in this case. Of course it will take some time to get the papers drawn up as the people buying will have to come here to finish the deal.

We have a telegraph service from Vancouver to Dawson, which means a lot to this country, as we get everything new from the outside world in a short time. If I do not make the deal I will be home a year from this fall anyway. So do not look for me any sooner as it will cost me five or six hundred dollars to come home.

I am sending you a camera view of our camp and a few of the boys. You will be able to pick me out, but if not, I am the one holding the bicycle. The picture was taken about a month ago and you will think it is not very cold here when you see the most of the men in their shirt sleeves and bareheaded. The building in the background is the main store of the post and the road house of the town of Hootalmqua.

Hoping to hear from home at an early date I am your loving son,
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That the total number of licenses issued during the current year was 40, and the total number of applications for licenses for the ensuing year is 40. All persons interested will therefore take notice and be governed accordingly.

J. E. PHILLIPS,
Inspector Brockville and Leeds
Dated at Cobtown, this 1st day of April, 1902.

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