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Anxious to win laurels for his bicycle club, a young man near Toledo a few weeks ago attempted to make a century run over muddy roads. At the eighty-seventh mile he collapsed; his body from the waist downward was completely paralyzed. Physicians say that he will never be able to walk a step.

"Keep your shoes and change your brains," Francis de Sales once said to some nuns who proposed going barefoot as penance. "Keep your ambition but change its object," might be said to many a would-be athlete of today.

From Klondyke Regions

Geo. F. Burt writes Home.

In a letter dated at Lake Bennett, B. C. on April 17 and addressed to his father, George F. Burt says: "We are all well so far, and getting along finely. We have only one more load to haul and then we will be through with our freight.

The road from Skaguay to Bennett is 42 miles, 7 of which is right up the bed of a stream. We had our freight hauled that far, at a cost of \$33. Then we had it packed on horses for six or seven miles which cost us \$280. at the rate of 3½ cents per pound, but it was a very "tough lay-out" and we would have had to pay 1½ cents toll. From there we hauled it to the summit which was about six miles right up over very steep hills. We had 1200 pound horses and they could only haul about 700 pounds, so you see it was pretty steep. There were a number of horses that fell down over and they had to be shot. But they dont think anything of a horse here.

After we reached the summit we moved to a place they call Log Cabin, which is 14 miles. We made one round trip a day, and hauled about 1500 pounds to the horse. It didn't take us long: it was all over lakes, but about one mile, and was a good road. From Log Cabin to Bennett is eight miles, and the worst road I ever saw, All we can haul is 600 pounds and we were kept busy fixing sleds. It takes from three in the morning until eight at night to make the trip. They claim they killed over 3000 horses on it last fall. We haul over the carcasses of many of them. It must be very unhealthy here when warm weather comes.

I dont know how far we will go down Lake Bennett yet, but will go only far enough to get lumber to build our boats. We will saw our own lumber as it costs \$250. per thousand feet.

When our boats are completed we will take it easy until the Lake breaks up. We have about six feet of snow here yet, but it is going very fast. The weather is so warm I have not had to

wear mittens since I came. It is about like March in New Brunswick, only the weather is very changeable, sun shining one hour and snow falling the next.

I saw nothing of John Campbell's boys in Vancouver.

We are all well so far.

Geo. F. Burt.

BRISTOL.

Dr. Churchill spent a couple of days in Woodstock last week.

A. W. Phillips, who travels for a Montreal house, spent Sunday at home.

G. S. Wiggins went to Waterville on Saturday to take charge of a grist mill there.

Mrs I. N. Boyer went to Houlton on Wednesday last, and will remain some days visiting friends there.

The appearance of the Primitive Baptist church has been greatly improved by being repainted. F Haughn of Florenceville did the work in a very creditable manner.

M. A. Tompkins has been making a marked improvement to his lawn, having it handsomely terraced, and it now presents a very pretty appearance. Mr. Kay of Waterville had charge of the work.

Last Friday was duly observed by the schools as Arbor day, and the usual exercises were enthusiastically carried out. Mr. Merritt of the advanced department is a capable and painstaking teacher, and has the confidence of both scholars and parents.

G. Walton of Westmorland Co., is visiting his sister Mrs. Dr. Atkinson. Mr. H. Walton of Glassville was also in Bristol on Sunday,

Robin Boyer is receiving congratulations on an interesting domestic event—a son.

Mrs. J. Nesbit is visiting friends in the village after an absence of four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Phillips went to Woodstock on Thursday.

Wm. McIntosh has been repairing his residence which now presents a neat appearance.

No Uncertain Verdict.

The Ladies Are Continually Praising Diamond Dyes.

The strong assertion can be made, without fear of contradiction, that no other package dyes for home dyeing ever commanded the praise and admiration of the millions as have the wonderful and popular Diamond Dyes.

Mrs. W. F. Curtis, Albany, P. E. I., says "I have used Diamond Dyes for seven years and have always had success with them."

Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Manitoulin Island, Ont., says: "I have used your Diamond Dyes for many years with greatest success, and like them better than any other make of dyes."

Mrs. Jas. McClelland, Surrey Centre, B. C., says: "I have bought your Diamond Dyes for a great many years, and they have proved good and true."

Mrs. Chas. Leask, Arden Station, Man., says: "I am a farmer's wife and have used lots of the Diamond Dyes in my time; they always make old clothes look as good as new."

Mrs. W. J. Porter, Peterboro, Ont., says: "I have been using your Diamond Dyes for years, and they do all that is claimed for them."

Mrs. Aubin, Shefford Vale, P. Q., says: "Have used Diamond Dyes for many years and think they are the best; do not wish to try any other make."

Mrs. Chas. Gagne, St. Chrysostome, P. Q., says: "Your Diamond Dyes are splendid and should be kept in every home."

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