

## CAUSE FOR ALARM

WHEN YOU GROW WEAK AND YOUR CHEEKS LOSE THEIR COLOR.

This Means Anemia, and if Neglected, Consumption May Follow—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the Only Certain Cure.

Anemia, or poor or watery blood, is a disease from which most growing girls and many young boys suffer. It comes at a critical period of the young person's life, and unless prompt steps are taken to enrich the blood and strengthen the system, decline, and most likely consumption will follow. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only medicine that acts directly upon the blood and the nerves, promptly restoring the ailing one to complete health and strength.

The following statement from Mrs. Lena M. Ryan, of Welland, whose daughter was a victim of anemia, gives the strongest proof of the value of these pills. Mrs. Ryan says: "About three years ago the health of my daughter, Berdie, became so bad that I was seriously alarmed. She was pale and almost bloodless; had no appetite, lost flesh and suffered from severe headaches. I took her to a doctor and although his treatment was followed for some time, it did not benefit her. I then tried some other remedies, but these also failed and she had wasted away to a mere shadow of her former self. At this stage I was advised to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and she began this treatment. Almost from the outset these pills helped her and as she continued their use, the color came back to her cheeks, her appetite improved, the headaches ceased to trouble her, and by the time she had taken eight boxes she felt stronger and better than she had ever done in her life before. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are unsurpassed for all ailments of this kind and strongly recommend them to other mothers."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills not only cure all cases like the above, but also cure all other troubles arising from poor blood or weak nerves, such as rheumatism, partial paralysis, St. Vitus dance, indigestion, kidney and liver troubles, scrofula, and eruptions of the skin, etc. These pills are also a direct cure for the ailments from which so many women suffer in silence. Give the pills a fair trial and they will not disappoint you. The genuine are sold only in boxes that have the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," on the wrapper around every box. If your dealer does not have them, send direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and the pills will be sent postpaid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50.

Eden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stillwell entertained about 75 of their relatives yesterday, it being the tenth anniversary of their marriage. Those from a distance were Simeon Ostrander and wife, of Cass City, Misses Redge and Hazel Myer, of Wallaceport. Edwin and William Ford, of Bloomington. Mrs. Lewis and family, of Port Huron and Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, of Glen Meyer. They were presented with both numerous and costly presents, showing the high esteem in which they are held. The Rev. Silcox officiated.

Miss Clara Hutchinson, of Toledo, is visiting her uncle, J. Kotekabaw.

Miss Aggie Healy is spending her vacation with her parents.

Mr. A. Dean and wife are visiting in Michigan.

D. D. Healy and family spent Xmas in Watstock.

Milton Patton has been successful in getting a school near Lagorsoll, at salary of \$350.

## Family Quarrels.

"How many serious family quarrels, marriages out of spite and alterations of wills might have been prevented by a gentle dose of pills." With the liver and kidneys sluggish, and torpid digestion is impaired and temper ruined. But Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills by invigorating the action of these organs insure good digestion and sound health. One pill a dose, and 25 cents a box.

Mt. Salem.

Miss Eva Soper returned to her home in Aylmer last Saturday after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Koyle.

Special services were commenced in the Methodist church last Monday evening.

Mrs. Fande, who has been visiting at E. V. Learn's, was taken suddenly ill last week, but is improving slowly.

Misses Priest and Little attended the Mission Workers' convention at Aylmer last week.

J. Sheppard is slowly improving from his recent attack of rheumatism.

George and Colonel Ball visited their cousin at Kinglake last week.

W. H. Smith does not improve very fast.

Mr. and Mrs. I. McTaggart have returned from their wedding trip.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

## THE MARKETS.

Wheat Figures Higher at Both Liverpool and Chicago—Prices at Leading Wheat Markets—Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Jan. 5. Liverpool wheat futures closed 3/4 higher to 1/2 lower today than on Saturday, and corn futures unchanged to 1/2 higher. Lard and bacon are quoted 1/2 lower at Liverpool today.

At Chicago to-day, May wheat closed 1/2 higher than Saturday, May corn 1/2 higher and May oats 1/2 higher.

## THE VISIBLE SUPPLY.

As compared with a week ago, the visible supply of wheat in Canada and the United States has increased 63,000 bushels; corn decreased 528,000 bushels; oats decreased 201,000 bushels. Following is a comparative statement for the week ending to-day, the preceding week and the corresponding week of last year:

	Jan. 5, '92.	Dec. 29, '92.	Jan. 5, '02.
Wheat, bu.	49,741,000	49,678,000	38,929,000
Corn, bu.	6,284,000	7,112,000	11,703,000
Oats, bu.	4,797,000	5,000,000	5,062,000

To recapitulate, the visible supply of wheat in Canada and the United States, together with that of Europe, is 71,821,000 bushels, against 73,518,000 bushels a week ago, and 90,769,000 bushels a year ago.

## LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

Following are the closing quotations at important wheat centres to-day:

	Jan.	May.	July.
New York	79 1/2	75 1/2	72 1/2
Chicago	71 1/2	75 1/2	72 1/2
Toledo	70 1/2	75 1/2	72 1/2
Duluth, No. 1, Nor.	72 1/2	75 1/2	72 1/2

## TORONTO ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Wheat, red, bush, \$0.69 to \$0.71  
Wheat, white, bush, 0.68  
Wheat, spring, bush, 0.69  
Wheat, goose, bush, 0.64  
Barley, bush, 0.44  
Peas, bush, 0.76  
Rye, bush, 0.51  
Oats, bush, 0.31  
Buckwheat, bush, 0.33

## TORONTO FARM PRODUCE.

Hay, baled, car lots, ton, \$5.00 to \$5.25  
Potatoes, car lots, 1.10 to 1.15  
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls, 0.19 to 0.20  
Butter, tubs, per lb., 0.23 to 0.25  
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls, 0.22 to 0.23  
Butter, creamery, boxes, 0.22 to 0.23  
Butter, bakers', tubs, 0.16 to 0.17  
Eggs, new-laid, doz., 0.25 to 0.26  
Turkeys, per lb., 0.13 to 0.14  
Geese, per lb., 0.08 to 0.09  
Ducks, per pair, 0.75 to 1.25  
Chickens, per pair, 0.45 to 0.75  
Honey, per lb., 0.08 to 0.10  
Honey (sections), each, 0.12 to 0.15

## TORONTO HIDES AND WOOL.

Hides, No. 1 steers, inspected, \$0.08  
Hides, No. 2 steers, inspected, 0.07  
Hides, No. 1, inspected, 0.07 1/2  
Hides, No. 2, inspected, 0.06 1/2  
Calfskins, No. 1, selected, 0.10  
Calfskins, No. 2, selected, 0.08  
Lewards (dressed), each, 9.00 to 9.25  
Tallow, unwashed, 0.08 to 0.09  
Tallow, rendered, 0.06 to 0.06 1/2  
Sheepskins, No. 1, \$0.75 to \$0.80  
Wool, fleece, 0.14 to 0.15 1/2

## MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Jan. 5.—There were about 400 head of butchers' cattle, 12 calves and 150 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were out strong, and there was a good demand, with slightly higher prices paid for all round. Prime cattle sold at from 3 1/2 to 5 1/2 cts per lb.; medium beasts at from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 cts; the common stock at from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 cts per lb. Cattle sold at from 3 1/2 to 5 1/2 cts each, or from 4 to 5 1/2 cts per lb. Sheep sold at from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 cts, and lambs at from 4 to 4 1/2 cts per lb. Fat hogs sold at from 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 cts a little over 6 1/2 cts per lb. weighed off the cars.

## EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

Buffalo, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 4500 head; steady to slow with last week's general market; prime steers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; heavy steers, \$5.00 to \$5.50; butcher steers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; heifers, \$3.25 to \$4.50; cows, \$2.25 to \$4.25; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.00; stock, \$2.75 to \$4.25; feeders, \$3.75 to \$4.50; bulls, \$2.00 to \$4.00; stock heifers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; good to choice, fresh cows and springers, steady; others \$2 to \$3 per head lower; good to choice, \$5.00 to \$6.00; medium to good, \$3.00 to \$4.50; common, \$1.50 to \$2.00. Veals—Receipts, 510 head; 50c higher; tops, \$9 to \$9.75; common to good, \$5.50 to \$6.75.

## NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 4623; steady to strong; cows steady to shade lower; all sold; steers, \$4.40 to \$5.00; bulls, \$3 to \$4.50; cows, \$1.50 to \$3.75. Shipments to-morrow, 750 cattle, 1137 sheep and 3540 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 1094; veals firm; barnyard veals, \$3.00 to \$3.50; stock veals, \$3.50 to \$4.50; city veals, \$3.50 to \$4.50; westerns, \$3.50 to \$4.50; city dressed veals firm at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cts per lb.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,082. Sheep firm to 1 1/2 higher; lambs 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 higher; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; export do., \$4.50; city, \$3 to \$4.25; wethers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; Canada lambs, \$3.50 to \$4.50. Steers, 11,329; steady; state hogs, \$5.50 to \$6.75; western animals.

## CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 26,000; steady; good to prime steers, \$5.40 to \$6.25; good to medium, \$3 to \$5; stockers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.50; cows, \$1.25 to \$3.00; heifers, \$2 to \$4.25; canners, \$1.25 to \$2.40; bulls, \$2 to \$4.25; calves, \$4; Texas-fed steers, \$3.75 to \$5.

Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; closed weak; mixed and butchers, \$6 to \$6.35; choice to good, heavy, \$6.40 to \$6.65; rough to heavy, \$6.15 to \$6.40; light, \$6.50 to \$6.60; bulk of sales, \$6.10 to \$6.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 29,000; sheep and lambs steady to 1 1/2 lower; good to choice wethers, \$3.75 to \$4.50; fair to choice mixed, \$3.75 to \$4; native lambs, \$4 to \$5.00.

## BRITISH CATTLE MARKET.

London, Jan. 5.—Live cattle steady at 12 1/2 to 13 1/2 cts per lb. for American steers, dressed weight; Canadian sheep, 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 cts per lb.; refrigerated beef, 9c to 9 1/2 cts per lb.

## Death of Ex-Ald. Steiner.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Ex-Ald. Newman L. Steiner died suddenly at his home, 116 Pembroke street, shortly before 12 o'clock last night of heart failure. Deceased was 73 years of age and was born in Bohemia, Austria, in 1837, and was the 11th child of a family of 14. As a rebel in the Kosuth rebellion he was sentenced to death, but escaped to Canada.

## Mr. Sifton in Detroit.

Detroit, Jan. 6.—Hon. Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior in the Canadian Government, arrived in Detroit Sunday with several clerks of his department and will remain at the Hotel Cadillac until to-day. The object of his visit is to inspect the Canadian immigration agency at Detroit.

## Fell 600 Feet to Death.

Hurley, Wis., Jan. 6.—Three miners were killed in the Windsor mine yesterday. They were descending in the mine riding on the skip, and lost their balance, falling 600 feet,

## A BANK GETS EVERYTHING

Bank of Hamilton Ahead of Depositors of "Private" Bank.

All Available Assets of Defunct Anderson & Son's Institution at Oakville Held by Bank of Hamilton, Which Has Securities and a Blanket Mortgage on Landed Estate—Effort to Be Made to Put Creditors on an Equality.

Oakville, Jan. 6.—There are 481 depositors, representing an aggregate of \$240,000 in the bank of Anderson & Son, and not a cent remains to be divided! That is the condition revealed yesterday as a result of a conference of Assignee Clarkson and a committee representing the creditors. Every scrap of security, all available assets are in the vaults of the Bank of Hamilton. To-day the depositors will assemble in the Town Hall to receive the formal announcement of the broken bank's status from the assignee. Briefly, this is the dismal story of the finish of the Anderson private bank.

## Committee in Session.

The committee which conferred with Assignee Clarkson yesterday was composed of John MacDonald, George Andrew and D. O. Cameron. At the Murray Hotel they went over the books and discussed the situation informally preparatory to giving to the depositors to-day the information. The books show that the assets are all in the hands of the Bank of Hamilton. They schedule \$117,000, but the Cyrus Anderson residence here, and the farming land near Oakville, is put in at \$45,000. The committee thought this would not sell for more than \$15,000. Then \$11,000 was scaled off of the securities, which were thought uncollectable. This leaves \$75,000 in the form of notes, mortgages and other collateral security held by the Hamilton bank.

## Bank of Hamilton.

The Bank of Hamilton bases its claim on an alleged payment of some \$60,000 for the Andersons on the indebtedness of Anderson & Scott private bank at Palmerston, which was wound up a year ago, and an advance of some \$20,000 since to tide over the Oakville bank.

To secure themselves the Bank of Hamilton took a blanket mortgage on all the Anderson real estate in Halton and Wellington Counties and in Hamilton and Toronto. This mortgage was executed Dec. 13, 1901, but was not filed for record until Dec. 11, 1902.

Those representing the depositors say this transaction will be required into account. Suit will be brought requiring a full explanation.

A mighty legal effort will at once be made to force the assets back into the assignee's hands to be realized upon for the benefit of the creditors and depositors. Other litigation will develop in the form of suits for several thousand dollars of drafts alleged to have been sent by different people to the Bank of Hamilton on the Anderson Bank. These were held for two weeks to a month, it is alleged, and then returned dishonored.

As far as the books indicate, and their accuracy is said to be without question, the Bank of Anderson & Son never earned the money paid on deposits. The bank was paying 5 per cent for notes when it seems to be accepted that 3 per cent was about all the best business men were able to make money earn.

## Private Fortune Wasted.

When Cyrus Anderson opened this bank 16 years ago he put into the business \$80,000. All of that has been dissipated.

The only thing the Bank of Hamilton forgot to take is about \$4,000 worth of personal property, furniture, etc., left in the Anderson home. The depositors can have this to divide among themselves if they wish to throw the grey-haired man, whom they so long trusted, with his wife, into the street.

The talk of a newer interest remaining to Mrs. Cyrus Anderson in the real property of her husband's, mortgaged to the Bank of Hamilton, is correct.

The heaviest depositors are the Macdonalds, family, John, George, Alexander, their wives, two sons, Alex. Jr., and James, representing \$15,000, and Mrs. Ferris Doty has \$15,000, while her son Charles represents \$4,000. The Oakville Navigation Company is in for \$4,000. Other deposits range from \$1,500 to \$25. While the whole town has been hit pretty hard, it is not believed there will be any failures among the citizens.

## Depositors Are Determined.

The meeting of depositors held in the Council chamber last evening, to discuss a line of action to be taken at the general meeting to-day, was largely attended. According to the brief statement given out by the chairman, John MacDonald, the outlook is not very promising for big dividends. Mr. MacDonald stated that he, with Mr. Cameron and Mr. George Andrew, had been closeted with Mr. Clarkson, the assignee, all the afternoon, and from the statements shown him the depositors may expect but very little if any dividends at all. From what he could see at the present time there was only some \$3,000 or \$4,000 left for all the depositors. The Bank of Hamilton would scarcely have enough to pay their own claim. A motion was moved recommending committee to be appointed as inspectors to to-day's meeting, and take the very best advice possible to probe the whole matter to the bottom, and see where the money has gone. Mr. MacDonald pointed out if they could render invalid the blanket mortgage given the Bank of Hamilton over a year ago, when he was insolvent, then there would be something for the depositors. To-day's meeting, it is expected, will be largely attended by the townspeople as

well as the farmers all over the township. Everybody has been busy filing their claims for days, and a highly interesting time is expected.

## EX-PREMIER SAGASTA DEAD.

Former Advisor of the King of Spain Passes Away.

Madrid, Jan. 6.—Former Premier Sagasta died at 6.30 o'clock last evening. The news of Senor Sagasta's death created a painful impression throughout Madrid. King Alfonso displayed profound regret when he heard the news.

His Majesty had desired to visit Senor Sagasta during his illness, but was told that to do so would be contrary to etiquette. Senor Sagasta was born in 1827.

Senor Sagasta's intellect was unimpaired until his last hours. He talked to his daughter, the Presidents of the Senate and of Congress, and to Archbishop of Toledo. King Alfonso has written a touching letter of sympathy to Senor Sagasta's family, and during the former Premier's illness the Queen-mother and other members of the royal family frequently sent officials to enquire as to his condition.

## CANADIANS ON THE FENCE.

Sir John Colomb Replies to Sir Charles Tupper's Criticism.

London, Jan. 6.—Writing to The Times yesterday Sir John Colomb denies Sir Charles Tupper's statement that he opposed the Pacific cable scheme. Sir John opposes the demands of Canada, and says the pockets of the English people are not to furnish contributions to carry out projects of commercial advantage to the Dominion, while the Kingdom is to bear the burden of protecting these undertakings in the event of war, and so long, Sir John adds, as Canadian statesmen are content to sit on the fence and the Dominion neither pays nor guarantees a brass farthing towards the British war debt, he will feel it his duty to continue that opposition.

## G.T.R. IS PROSPEROUS.

Financial Journals of England Report Bumper Half Year.

London, Jan. 6.—The Financial News says there can be no question but that the Grand Trunk Railway Company has enjoyed a bumper half year.

The Financial Times says there was a recent revival of the old-fashioned suggestion of a leakage of information regarding the earnings of the Grand Trunk, but it fails to find any confirmation in the traffic statement of the past ten days of the half year.

## BURNED TO DEATH.

A Watchman in Pittsburg, Pa., and a Boy in Dallas, Texas.

Pittsburg, Jan. 6.—Fire in the Pittsburg Stair Company plant on Water street yesterday morning resulted in a money loss of about \$5,000, and the death of Edward Reilly, the watchman.

## Stable Boy Burned to Death.

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 6.—J. H. Williams, a stable boy, and 23 horses were burned to death Sunday in the plant of Hughes' Bros' Extract Company.

## DAILY WIRELESS PAPER.

Contracts Let to Have One Compiled and Published at Sea.

London, Jan. 6.—According to The Daily Telegraph, this morning, contracts have been completed to start a daily paper to be supplied with news by the aliconi system of wireless telegraphy on board a British liner running between Liverpool and New York. The first publication will occur the end of this month.

## Protest Against Gown.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—A deputation of about forty members of Dominion Methodist Church waited on Rev. Dr. Rose last night to protest against his wearing a gown. It is understood the interview was unsatisfactory. The deputation after the pastor withdrew formed an association to oppose the introduction of "undesirable innovations in the Methodist Church." W. J. Pain was elected president, J. S. Eagleson secretary.

## Found Dead in Bed.

Iona Station, Jan. 6.—Miss Jennie Kerr, youngest daughter of Mr. Alexander Kerr of Southwood, living about a quarter of a mile north of this village, was found dead in her bed yesterday morning. She retired the night before apparently in the best of health and spirits.

## The Torture of Itching Piles

Mr. John Harvey, Mayor of Arrnprior, Ont., states: "Only persons who have experienced the torture of itching piles can form any idea of what I suffered from this horrible disease. I was advised to try Dr. Chase's Ointment, and can positively say that it has completely cured me. I tried very many so-called cures for piles, and can truthfully say that there is no remedy on the face of the earth like Dr. Chase's Ointment for this purpose. I would not be without it for any amount of money, and can heartily recommend it to all sufferers, as it is the best thing I ever used."

There are several imitations of Dr. Chase's Ointment, but so far it is the only preparation extant which is positive and certain cure for piles of every form. You can rely on it absolutely, and it is only a waste of time and money to try substitutes. 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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