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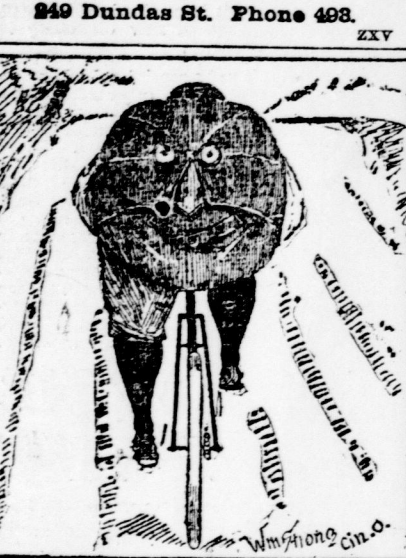
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CLEVER ADVERTISING.  
At a certain large public library there  
is a rule, which ought not to be neces-  
sary, that men and boys must remove  
their hats on entering. One Saturday  
afternoon, when the room devoted to  
the circulating department was crowd-  
ed, a man of middle age came in and  
took his place in line. He had a book  
or two under his arm, as if for the  
purpose of making an exchange, but  
he did not remove his hat. On the  
contrary he had it jammed down well  
on his head, and there was a deter-  
mined expression on his face that  
seemed to betoken a firm purpose not  
to take it off.

An attendant stepped up to him, and  
quietly asked him to remove his head-  
gear.

"No, sir," he responded, in a loud  
voice. "You have no right to make a  
man take his hat off. This is a free  
country."

"Certainly it is," rejoined the at-  
tendant. "But you can't get books at  
this library if you don't observe its  
rules."

"I'd like to know why not?"

"Because it's the rule. That is suf-  
ficient."

"You insist on my taking off this  
hat?" asked the man, in a still louder  
voice.

"Yes, sir. I do."

"By this time the attention of every-  
body in the room had been drawn to  
the obstinate visitor."

"Well," he vociferated, "I'll take it  
off, if you insist, but I want you to  
understand I do it under protest!"

He removed the offending hat, dis-  
closing a head as bald as a billiard  
ball, with this inscription painted upon  
it in black letters that could be read  
twenty feet away: "Use Smithy's  
Shaving-soup."

And he was the observed of all ob-  
servers for the next half-hour.

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So says Dr. Curlett, an old and honor-  
ed practitioner, in Belleville, Ontario,  
who writes: "For Wasting Diseases and  
Scrofula I have used Scott's Emulsion  
with the most satisfactory results."

The object of all ambition should be  
to be happy at home. If we are not  
happy there we cannot be happy else-  
where.

Yorkville Fire Station, Toronto, March  
3rd, 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Having used Dr. Chase's  
Pills for Constiveness, I am very pleased  
to say that I consider them superior to  
any pill I ever used, as they have per-  
fectly cured me of this trouble. Thos.  
J. Wallace, Fireman.

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FINE WEATHER.

Toronto, Ont., April 17—11 p.m.—The  
pressure tonight is higher over Mani-  
toba and upper lake region, and lower  
over the other portions of the Domini-  
on. With the exception of a few  
thunder showers in the vicinity of Lake  
Ontario, the weather has been fair and  
mild throughout Canada. Minimum and  
maximum temperatures:—Esquimaux,  
33-54; Edmonton, 34-52; Qu'Appelle,  
30-44; Winnipeg, 28-54; Port Arthur,  
32-50; Parry Sound, 32-48; Toronto,  
40-62; Ottawa, 42-64; Quebec, 32-58;  
Halifax, 40-58; Kamloops, 42-54; Mon-  
treal, 34-54.

Probabilities—Lower lakes—Northerly  
to easterly winds; fine; stationary or a  
little lower temperature.

Local temperatures—The highest and  
lowest readings of the thermometer at  
the observatory on Saturday were 45  
and 35.5 above; on Sunday 63 and 37.5  
above.

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News About Town

—Mr. W. Chipman, of Montreal, in-  
spector for the Molsons Bank, is at  
the Tecumseh.

—Mrs. R. H. Padden, of 35 Franklin  
street, Rochester, N. Y., is visiting  
friends in this city.

—Mrs. W. J. Stout, of New York, is  
on a visit to this city, the guest of  
Mrs. C. W. Davis.

—Rev. E. H. Middleton, Rev. A. L. Rus-  
sell and Rev. Richard Hobbs exchange  
pulpits yesterday morning.

—The Misses Elsie and Madeline  
Price, of Mount Elgin, are visiting  
Mrs. Westcott, Ridout street, city.

—Misses Mary and Grace Clapole,  
city, have returned from a pleasant  
visit with Mr. and Mrs. Freer, Four-  
teenth avenue, Detroit.

—Miss Florence O'Brien, of Horton  
street, has returned home after spend-  
ing her Easter holidays with Dr. and  
Mrs. Hawkins, of Detroit, Mich.

—The Misses Hall, the lady evan-  
gelists, began evangelistic services in  
the First Methodist Church yesterday,  
and will continue each evening this  
week.

—Rev. Dr. Medd, of the Queen Street  
Methodist Church, Sarnia, preached  
Epworth League sermons at the Ham-  
ilton Road Methodist Church yester-  
day.

—At the unanimous request of the  
board of managers, Miss Nellie Rendell  
has agreed to retain her position as or-  
ganist for the Adelaide Street Baptist  
Church.

—The street railway company started  
a gang of men at work this morning  
repairing the Springbank road, which  
was considerably damaged by the flood  
a few weeks ago.

—The government gunboat Petrel  
put in at Port Stanley on Saturday  
night. This is her first appearance  
there. She harbored at Owen Sound  
during the winter.

—Three elders were elected at the  
First Presbyterian Church yesterday.  
They are Messrs. Harry M. Lay, John  
Levie and Thomas Bryan. They  
will be inducted on Sunday, May 1.

—A class of fifteen candidates (ten  
ladies and five gentlemen) were con-  
firmed at St. James' Church, South  
London, last evening by the Bishop of  
Huron. During the offertory Miss Dora  
Taylor, contralto, sang a solo very ac-  
ceptably.

—The Times: The first of the  
new boilers for the electric railway ar-  
rived Saturday evening from Leonard  
& Sons, London. The new building  
near the gas works, is completed, and  
the generators, etc., will be here on  
May 1. The road will be in running  
order on May 24.

—The employees of the United States  
Baking Company, of Detroit, recently  
presented Mr. S. J. Watts, son-in-law  
of Senator Mills, of this city, with a  
handsome and valuable gold watch.  
Mr. Watts has been bookkeeper in the  
Detroit branch for a number of years,  
and now goes to Toledo, to become as-  
sistant manager of the branch there.

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review: After  
the next meeting of the town council  
we will probably see the system of ward  
appropriations abolished and the ex-  
penditure of money for street improve-  
ments left in the hands of the board  
of works. The board sat until a late  
hour last night and discussed the  
question in all the different bearings.  
The result was the passing of a resolu-  
tion in favor of the abolition of the  
system, and the board will report at  
the next meeting of the council.

—Rev. Robt. Johnston, in St. An-  
drew's Church last evening, preached  
an eloquent sermon on the power of  
Satan. He chose his text from St.  
Luke, x, 21. "Christ as the  
Stronger Man" will be the subject of  
the reverend gentleman's discourse.  
Next Sunday St. Andrew's Church pul-  
pit will be occupied in the morning  
by Rev. A. MacWilliams, of Went-  
worth Presbyterian Church, Hamilton,  
and in the evening by Rev. Mr. Var-

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Rev. Mr. Johnston will preach  
the anniversary sermon at Wentworth  
Church, Hamilton.

—The Hill Street Mission anniver-  
sary was celebrated yesterday. Mr.  
W. H. Symonds, of Mass., was the  
guest of honor, and gave an interest-  
ing address at the morning service, and  
at the evening platform meeting was  
Wright speaking. The pastor, Rev.  
Mr. Sawyer, presided. Mrs. Wright  
spoke from the text, "Freely ye have  
received, freely give." Mrs. Thornley  
spoke, showing what an obstacle the  
liquor traffic was to the evangeliza-  
tion of the world.

—Mr. W. A. Hutton, of Norfolk,  
Virginia, delivered a sermon on  
men in the Auditorium yesterday af-  
ternoon. There was a large attendance  
and much interest was manifested by  
those present. Mr. Hutton is an elo-  
quent speaker, and gave a thoughtful  
and conscientious address. Mr. G. N.  
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—The board of directors of the Y. M. C.  
A. held a dinner Saturday night, at  
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Hutton, international secretary, of  
Norfolk, Va., and W. H. Symonds, of  
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## CONFERENCE EXAMINATIONS.

Large Number of Young Men Who  
Would be Methodist Ministers.

Beginning tomorrow at 9 a.m., the  
London conference examinations will  
continue for three days at the Askin  
Street Methodist Church. A large num-  
ber of probationers and candidates for  
the ministry are to meet the board of  
examiners, and their knowledge on  
some thirty subjects will be tested. The  
examiners are Revs. W. Williams, D.D.,  
J. Wilson, M.A., F. R. Gundy, G. H.  
Cobbedick, M.A., B.D., W. G. H. McAl-  
ister, M.A., C. T. Scott, B.A., A. L.  
Russell, M.A., B.D., S. Bond, C. W.  
Brown, B.A., B.D.

A public meeting will be held Thurs-  
day evening, at which certificates of  
standing will be presented to the suc-  
cessful probationers. Addresses will be  
given by Rev. J. Philip, B.D., of Ridge-  
town, on "Oriental Side Liqueur," and  
Rev. W. Williams, D.D., of Listowel, on  
"Shall We Use God, or Shall God Use  
Us?"

The probationers and candidates to  
be examined are the following:

Probationers—Third year—W. J.  
Ashton, Morpeth; Jos. Coulter, Edin-  
burgh; A. W. Dever, Bervie; W. A. Find-  
lay, Clifton; A. C. Jones, Tupperville;  
A. E. Lloyd, London; E. J. Millard,  
Nile; I. McKelvey, Hensall; T. E.  
Murray, London; T. A. Steadman,  
Shedden; J. P. Sutcliffe, Dorchester.

Second year—H. A. Graham, Thors-  
dale; W. J. Mortimore, Ferguson; A.  
Lapson, Camlachie; W. A. Smith, S. T.  
Lambeth, Finch; J. E. F. F. F. F. F.  
strong, Goderich; C. R. Carscallen, Mor-  
lin; A. C. Farrell, Carlingford; D. W.  
Rutherford; J. W. Moore, Dorchester;  
J. C. Reid, Malahide; J. I. Strathroy;  
Ethel; D. H. Trimble, Gesto; A. E. M.  
Thompson, Bayfield.

Candidates—Walter Cohoon, Berr;  
Wm. Haggith, Centralia; Robert  
Hicks, Ellmville; W. G. Mahon,