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YOUR BACKACHE WILL YIELD

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Rockland, Maine.—"I was troubled for a long time with pains in my back and side, and was miserable in every way. I doctored until I was discouraged, and thought I should never get well. I read a testimonial about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and thought I would try it. After taking three bottles I was cured, and never felt so well in all my life. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all my friends."—Mrs. Will Young, 6 Columbia Avenue, Rockland, Me.

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After pay day, how much of your money have YOU to show? And in the evening of life—when your earning capacity has become exhausted—upon what, or whom, will YOU depend?

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DUNDAS ST.—MARKET LANE

POOR MEN CHARGE THAT COUNCIL IS PERSECUTING

Object to Have to Put Up Dog Tax and Buy Muzzles at the Same Time.

The poor man, with a dog for his "kiddies" is not enamored of the recent dog legislation, especially that portion of it that compels him to pay $2 immediately for the dog license, or $4 if the pup is impounded without a tag. This is the time of the year that the average workingman finds it somewhat difficult to obtain the money, and it will necessitate the killing of many dogs, and consequent sorrow in the family, as a large number of them find it impossible to get the money.

They claim that the scare is exaggerated, and that in a short time conditions will be normal. They consider it persecution to have a dog-catcher camping on the highway to pick up any dog that might have pulled the muzzle off.

A Hardship.

"A large number of poor men will find it impossible to raise money for a dog tag at this season of the year," said Inspector Sanders. "Some of them find it hard at any time, but at this season it is particularly hard, owing to the lack of work. It will mean that many will have to destroy their dogs. Of course, there should be a lessening of the number of dogs in the city. However, a poor man should be allowed to have a dog for his children if he likes."

Mayor Says Its Proper.

Mayor Beattie considers the regulation placed on dogs proper, in view of the scare.

"If a person can afford to keep a dog, he can afford to pay the tax," said his worship. "In view of the scare that is abroad we could do nothing more than we have done."

A large section of citizens are annoyed at what they call persecution, and some of the aldermen are marked as objects of their wrath.

BOY AND GIRL BITTEN BY DOG

Lindsay, Feb. 24. — Retta Edwards, a young girl living at Manilla, was attacked and bitten by a dog a few days ago, and Master Garnet Williams, of Lindsay, was attacked by a large black dog, and bitten, the ivories drawing blood. Both victims received prompt medical atention, while the dogs were dispatched.

Death of Infant.

Gordon Brock, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brock, of 86 Stanley street, died in Victoria Hospital this morning after a brief illness.

Hand Injured.

Norman Greves, a young man employed at the London foundry, had a hand very painfully injured yesterday by getting it twisted in a belt. The ligaments were badly torn, and the hand was considerably lacerated. Dr. Stevenson attended Groves, who will be laid up for a couple of weeks.

Scarlet Fever Cases.

Two more cases of scarlet fever were brought to Victoria Hospital today, but as two of the patients suffering from the disease were charged, the total number of cases remains unchanged.

A Runaway.

A horse belonging to Dr. E. Davis, of South London, took fright this afternoon on High street, and ran away. The deep snow at the side of the road caused the cutter to upset before the horse had gone far, and this made the horse fall also, with the result that one of the shafts was broken.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

Mr. James Corrigan, of Adelaide street, a well-known C. P. R. brakeman, is very seriously ill in Victoria Hospital, and his recovery is not looked for. He has been suffering from heart trouble for some time.

LATE MRS. WEIR.

The funeral of Mrs. Robert Weir was held this afternoon from her late residence, 493 Adelaide street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. Canon Hague, of Memorial Church.

The pallbearers were Messrs. William Taylor, William Rider, Duncan McDermid, John Richards, James Larkin, and William C. Southcott.

EAST END NOTES.

Miss L. McKay, of 350 Glebe street, has returned from Harriston, where she visited her brother, Rev. W. M. McKay.

EASILY TIRED EXHAUSTED

DOES THIS DESCRIBE YOUR CASE?—THEN READ THIS LETTER ABOUT

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

The accompanying letter describes so well the condition of a person whose nerves are weak and exhausted that little need be added.

The dangers of such a state of health is sometimes overlooked by persons who do not realize that the next step is some form of paralysis which leaves one helpless in mind and body.

Mrs. Edward Schwartz, Ladysmith, Que., writes, "It is a pleasure to let you know how I was benefited by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I was rundown and weak, unable to do any housework, was easily tired and exhausted, lacked energy and ambition, was very nervous, easily irritated, could not concentrate the thoughts, hands and feet were cold, I could not sleep, had frequent headaches and dizzy spells and palpitation of the heart.

"Nervous prostration was my trouble, but Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cured it all, and I cannot find words to express my thankfulness for this wonderful medicine."

The results achieved by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food are often more wonderful than words can tell. In cases such as this patient persistent treatment is necessary, but you are encouraged by steady and natural improvement until the cure is thorough and complete.

There is a satisfaction in knowing that each and every dose is bound to be of at least some benefit in rebuilding the wasted nervous system.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 for $2.50, all dealers; or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. Write for a free copy of Dr. Chase's Recipes.

Troubled

Every Winter With Severe Colds.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup Cured Her.

Mrs. W. J. Hammond, Hamilton, Ont., writes: "I beg to say that I have used Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for my youngest girl who was troubled every winter with bronchitis and very severe colds. At night she would keep us all awake with her coughing until I tried your Syrup, which gave her instant relief. After the first bottle was finished I got more, and always kept a bottle in her room at night. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is certainly a wonderful thing in a case like the above mentioned and no one can praise it too highly. I have taken every opportunity to recommend it to all my friends and relatives."

There is nothing to equal "Dr. Wood's" for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Croup, Asthma, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Pain or Tightness in the Chest, and all Throat and Lung Troubles.

It prevents Pneumonia and Consumption.

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RAILWAY VOTE WILL END NEXT MONDAY

If It Is Favorable to Conciliation There Will Be Another Conference.

It is expected that the railwaymen throughout this district will have finished voting on the question of submitting their demand for increased wages to a board of conciliation by next Monday or Tuesday, and when the result is known if the vote is favorable, there will, it is expected, be another conference with the officials in Montreal to arrange for the meeting of the board and the appointment of delegates.

LIVE HOGS ARE FIXING TO JUMP OVER MOON

That Is, the Price Threatens to Go Sky High Before Very Long.

The price of live hogs promises to be still higher in the near future. Detroit quotes them at $9 50, and Chicago as high as $9 65, which is the highest price that has been paid since the war, and at present there is no indication of any change, at least in the way of a decrease.

London prices are considerably under that figure, as they follow the Toronto market rather than the American, and Toronto quotes hogs at $8 50. London figures at present stand at $8 40. There is little doubt, however, but that the American figures will have at least an indirect effect upon the price of hogs here, and a very decided advance may be expected in the near future.

OFF TO PASTEUR FOR THIS DOG-CATCHER

Hamilton Official iBtten by a Dog He Had Caught.

Hamilton, Feb. 24. — James Lindsay, the official dog-catcher, was this morning severely bitten on the leg by a dog, which he caught. He may have to go to the Pasteur Institute, New York.

PREMIER LAURIER BACK AT OFFICE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 24. — Sir Wilfrid Laurier was at his office this morning looking after his business as usual, his cold being much improved.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

New York, Feb. 23.—Arrived: Furnessia, from Glasgow.

Boston—Arrived: Romanic, Genoa.

Liverpool—Arrived: Campania, New York.

Leith—Called: Lituania, New York.

Barcelona—Called: Buenoc Ayres, New York.

Naples—Called: Louisiana, New York.

Malta—Called: Cincinnati, New York; Cincinnati, New York.

New York, Feb. 24.—Arrived: Kroonland, Antwerp; Oceana, Bermuda.

COBALT STOCK.

Special to The Advertiser from Edward Cronyn & Co., Toronto.

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Toronto, Ont., Feb. 24. — Beaver 32, Chambers 37, Crown Reserve 380, Cobalt Lake 18, Coniagas 560, Foster 23, Green-Meehan 8½, Kerr Lake 940, La Rose 453, Little Nip, 29 7-8, Nipissing 1015, Otisse 10, Rochester 19 1-4, Nova Scotia 37, Silver Leaf 10, Temiskaming 53, Trethewey 141.

POTATOES.

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—There is no change in the condition of the wholesale potato market. Supplies are heavy and local demands are steady, keeping trade active at present prices. Quotations range at 45c to 48c per bag on track at Toronto, and at 55c to 60c per bag out of store.

LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO, Feb. 24.—Cattle—Trade slow, prices steady; 108 loads in today, including 1800 cattle, 356 sheep and lambs, 800 hogs and 200 calves. Quotations: Export cattle, choice, cwt, $5 75 to $6 10; do, medium, $5 50 to $5 75; do, bulls, $4 75 to $5; do, light, $4 25 to $4 50; do, cows, $4 75 to $5 25; butchers' cattle, choice, $5 50 to $5 75; do, medium, $4 75 to $5 25; do, common, $4 50 to $4 75; do, cows, $4 to $4 25; do, bulls, $4 25 to $4 50; stockers, choice, $4 25 to $4 50; do, medium, $3 75 to $4; do, common, $3 50 to $3 75; do, bulls, $3 to $3 25; feeders, heavy, $4 75 to $5; do, shortkeeps, $5 to $5 25; milch cows, choice, each, $40 to $50; do, common, each, $25 to $45; springers, each, $40 to $55; sheep, ewes, cwt, $4 75 to $5 50, steady; bucks, $3 50 to $4 25, steady; lambs, grain-fed, $7 25 to $7 75, slow; do, common, $5 to $6 50, slow; calves, $4 to $7 75, steady; hogs, f. o. b., $8 50; do, fed and watered, $8 25.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 24.—Cattle—Firm; prime steers, $6 65 to $7. Veals—Receipts, 77 head; active and 50c higher, $6 to $11 50. Hogs—Receipts, 800 head; active and 10c to 15c higher; heavy and mixed, $10 to $10 50; Yorkers, $9 75 to $10; pigs, $9 70 to $9 25; roughs, $9 20 to $9 50; dairies, $9 75 to $9 90. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2800 head; active and 25c to 35c higher; lambs, $6 25 to $9 50; yearlings, $8 50 to $8 80; wethers, $7 50 to $7 75; ewes, $6 75 to $7; sheep, mixed, $6 50 to $7.

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18 Dozen Directoire Models at 89c Pair

New models embodying all the essential features for the new Spring Gowns. If your new dresses are to be made after the latest fashion, the Corset, which is the foundation, should be on the correct lines. These are new forms, and this special offering, coming right at the commencement of the season, will surely be appreciated. The Corset as shown in the top illustration, No. 89, will give you an idea of the style, but you will have to examine them to appreciate the good value. Made of good quality coutil, medium bust and long over hips and back, soft extention below the steels, with two pairs of hose supporters attached. 18 dozen, price.. **89¢**

Style 1, Special 89c

Special, 75c for the Medium Figure

This is another of our new models, made to suit the medium or average figure; of strong coutil with side and front hose supporters, in white only, as shown in illustration, Style 75. A very special Corset, at per pair ..... **75¢**

Our New 50c Models

Made of heavy Jean, in white or dove, with good steel filling, and two pairs of hose supporters attached. New models, and extra good value at, pair ..... **50¢**

Style 2, Special 75c

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF $1 WAISTS

The Waist shown in illustration is just a sample of many pretty styles we are showing in Lawn Waists. This is the second showing already this season at this popular price.

The style illustrated is made of fine quality white lawn, the dainty all-over embroidery front has clusters of fine tucks, shaped collar attached, and new bishop sleeves, trimmed with tucks and finished with Val. lace, buttoned at back, with box pleat down centre, and cluster of fine tucks either side. See illustration. Price, special, each **$1.00**

Also pretty style of Lawn Waist, made in open front style, front of embroidery with two half-inch tucks, also row of embroidery down centre, tucked collar and long pointed sleeves, edged with Val. lace, tucked back. Special, each **$1.00**

White Linnenette Waists $1.00

In new tailored style, front has box pleat down centre, and fastened through with pearl buttons; also has four tucks either side and Gibson tuck over shoulder; long sleeves with laundered link cuffs detached, laundered collar. Special **$1.00**

Ladies' Tailored Waists $1.00

Striped Percale Waists in tailored styles, front fastened with pearl buttons, with two wide tucks down either side, tucked back, long sleeves with laundered link cuffs. A popular style and easily laundered; white percale with navy, mauve and tan stripes. Price, special **$1.00**

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DEATH LURKS IN OUR DIRTY HANDS

"More Dangerous Than Accidents and Earthquakes," Says London Doctor.

London, Feb. 24. — "Dirty hands are causing more deaths than bullets, poisons, railway accidents and earthquakes combined," writes Dr. R. G. Eccles in the British Health Review.

"We cannot call that murder which lacks intent to kill," he continues, "but so near to murder is it that with increased public knowledge the time is sure to come when dirty-handed people will have to endure an opprobrium which will make them skulk in shame.

"People who are willing to tolerate the visible dirt are pretty sure to be none too careful concerning the dangerous dirt. The two kinds get blended.

"It is, however, not only possible but actually probable, that there are foul and filthy hands that are by their owners kept manicured till finger-nails shine and every vestige of visible blackness has disappeared.

"They wash as they eat and sleep, under the guidance of a clock. That there is fitness in time for washing to be clean has not dawned upon them.

"It is unseen dirt that plays the mischief with human life, because it is alive, and can multiply indefinitely.

"It is quite likely that nearly all normal persons wash their hands and faces on getting up in the morning, or after particularly dirty forms of work, but with very many the absence of visible dirt is sufficient excuse for the neglect of washing at all other times of the day.

"Hands that are able to polute water by a mere touch cannot possibly be shaken without leaving behind evidences of unnamable dirt.

"These are the kinds of hands that handle our bread, our meat, our pastry, our fruit and our money."

Dr. Eccles asserts that dirty hands may lead to plague, cholera, typhoid fever, consumption, diphtheria, scarlet fever and many other diseases.

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KEEP THE BREEDERS

Ontario Farmers Advised Not to Send Them Abroad.

Woodstock, Feb. 24. — The live stock judging demonstration inaugurated by the agricultural department was wound up last night. The event proved of real benefit to the farmers who attended, and considerable instruction was imparted.

C. M. McRae, of the Dominion live stock branch, told the farmers that Ontario was the breeding ground of Canada and the United States, and that they were making a great big mistake in shipping out their breeding animals to other provinces and to the United States.

All the first-class breeding mares were needed in Canada at the present time, and if Ontario's reputation as a breeder of first-class animals was to be maintained, the practice must cease.

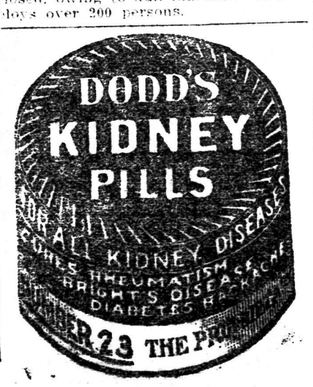
Tuesday's storm piled up only a small amount of snow on the north and south G. T. R. lines, but it was sufficient to block the tracks, and to cause the trains to be several hours late. The St. Thomas train did not pull in till late in the afternoon owing to the run-off of a snowplow on the C. P. R.

MORE HIGHLANDERS TRAINING.

New York, Feb. 23. — Charley Hemphill and Jack Kleinow, of the Highlanders, left here for Hot Springs, Ark., today, where they will remain until March 5. As Keeler has been released, Hemphill thinks he will be one of the regular outfielders this year. He is still a young man, a hard, free hitter, and is in excellent health again. He was ill a part of last season and could not do himself justice. Kleinow says he is determined to remain the team's leading backstop, and will make Criger, Sweeney and Mitchell hustle to keep him on the bench.

SMALL TIMBER CUT.

St. John, N. B., Feb. 24.—W. B. Snowball estimates the lumber cut on the Miramichi River this winter at 50,000,000, or 25 per cent less than that of last year. There is a reduction in the cut all over the province, due to wet weather and light snowfalls. It is announced that the pulp mills at Mispec, owned by the city and leased to an American company, will be closed, owing to dull markets. It employs over 200 persons.



The New England Thanksgiving dates from 1633, when the Massachusetts Bay colony set apart a day for thanksgiving.

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