

The Law on Presidential Elections.

It may be interesting to our readers at this time to know something concerning the law providing for the election of President and Vice-President of the United States.

A majority of the whole number of electoral votes is necessary for a choice, and as the total vote will be 401, 201 electoral votes will have to be cast for one of the candidates to secure election.

From the persons having the highest number, not exceeding three on the list of those voted for as President, the House of Representatives shall choose immediately, by ballot, the President.

It will be seen that the old House, and not the new one, which comes in on the fourth of March, will vote for President in case the electors do not elect one.

On Wedding Rings.

From very early ages a peculiar charm appears to have been connected with the ring. Without beginning or end, it has long been regarded as an emblem of eternity, and also of the strength and perpetuity of affection.

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A Decided Hit. Hagyard's Yellow Oil touches the right spot every time when applied for rheumatism, neuralgia, pain, soreness or lameness, and internally for colds, sore throat, etc., it is equally infallible.

CHONGLESE.—A name well known in connection with the Hair Renewer, which restores grey hair to its natural color by a few weeks use.

Girls Who are Useful.

The notion that girls are too delicate to be useful is limited to a comparatively small part of the globe. Throughout Asia, Africa, and in large portions even of Europe and America there prevails an old belief that they are born to labor.

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Until within quite a recent period the Chinese soldiers had no uniform. They were distinguished from civilians by a little badge which they carried on the breast, on which was written the word Ping (warrior).

China's Warriors.

Mr. Mary Thompson, of Toronto, was afflicted with tape worm a few of which was removed by one bottle of Dr. Low's Worm Syrup.

Mr. Gladstone's Physical Power.

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The cream of the joke was, said the new boarder, "that the—"

National Pills are a mild purgative, acting on the stomach, liver and bowels, removing all obstructions.

Words of Wisdom.

Great is he who enjoys his earthly life as it were, and not less great is the man to whom all his plans are no more than a dream.

Among the minds, men and women are more truly felt than seen. We meet people of the plainest appearance and most unostentatious manners, and without effort they compel us to respect them.

A rill, had it conscious life, would never forget the people that defected its course from one ocean to another; human life, as it flows onward, cannot fail to recognize events, trivial in themselves, which nevertheless gave direction to all the future.

The Toronto distillers and brewers, at a meeting held Tuesday, determined to fight the Scott Act in Parliament.

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Postage Rates.

Canada has been admitted into the Postal Union as a re-arrangement of postal rates, as follows:

For Aden, Argentine Confederation, Brazil, British Guiana, Ceylon, Greenland, French Colonies in Africa, Oceania and America, except St. Pierre and Miquelon, Persia, etc.

CHAPTER II.

"Maiden, Mass., Feb. 1, 1880. Gentlemen.—I suffered with attacks of sick headache, Neuralgia, female trouble, for years in the most terrible and excruciating manner.

No medicine or doctor could give me relief or cure until I used Hop Bitters. The first bottle nearly cured me; the second made me as well and strong as when a child.

A Wide Awake Druggist. J. Wilson is always alive to his business, and spares no pains to secure the best of every article in his line.

GOLD for the working class. Send 10 cts. for the working class. Send 10 cts. for the working class.

A Great Discovery.

This is daily bringing joy to the homes of thousands by saving many of their dear ones from an early grave. Truly is Dr. King's new Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Loss of Voice, Tickling in the Throat, Pain in Side and Chest, or any disease of the Throat and Lungs, a positive cure. Guaranteed. Trial Bot.

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 15th, 1880. GENTLEMEN.—Having been a sufferer for a long time from nervous prostration and general debility, I was advised to try Hop Bitters.

Thousands say so. T. W. Aitkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid solvers."

Well Rewarded. A liberal reward will be paid to any party who will produce a case of Liver, Kidney or Stomach complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure.

Prof. Low's Magic Sulphur Soap is highly recommended for all humors and skin diseases.

Kram's Fluid Lightning. Is the only instantaneous relief for Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache, etc.

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The best blood purifier and system regulator ever placed within the reach of suffering humanity, truly is Electric Bitters.

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Phosphatine, or Nerve Food, a Phosphate Element based upon Scientific Facts, Formulated by Professor Austin, M. D. of Boston, Mass., cures Pulmonary Consumption, Sick Headache, Nervous Attacks, Vertigo and Neuralgia and all wasting diseases of the human system.

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20,000 Rolls of the Latest Designs. Beautiful colors, and at prices less than very much inferior goods.

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GODERICH BOILER WORKS. Have just received a large stock of BRASS & IRON STEAM FITTINGS. BOILERS & ENGINES.

CIGARS. CIGARS. IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC THE BEST ASSORTMENT IN TOWN. GEORGE REYNAS, BLAKE'S BLOCK, THE SQUARE.

DOMINION CARRIAGE WORKS. GODERICH, ONT. ALEX. MORTON, MANUFACTURER OF FIRST CLASS CARRIAGES. SIDE BAR BUGGIES.

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'A letter Merkle, open just received Dear I dear mean? For the let 'Dear Mo to learn that priced myself you ever saw professional landmarks, of business tr is a week or portrait and love her dear 'Your a Mrs. Merkle her spectacles chief out of h 'My Tom 'Married I w ried, and to a paints picture of a business learn the mar stress or mill will he have? And old M her handker what she call covering her 'secretary,' country fashi the door, and her son, whic his choice in with these wa 'I'd as soon girl.' She did not or-in-law the considered he woman, thou 'No answer that she mi severe, when porch, knittin young woman ed in—a w dark waring, who Mr. Merkle, 'It's from I said. And the these words: 'Dear Mo about my w you ask me. cannot find h comment J handy about the stay of o as one of the 'Oh I said 'Are you J 'Yes, ma 'Wall, my much he kn I might as w ed for him? 'Yes, ma 'I suppose 'I suppo 'Poor Tom, and cake, a had rheumat but I have b is what, eh? 'Jane Jack and a fine, proved to b that she cou perfect. E And yet she The house t gowns and t things for th 'You real knew,' said any man; a that paintin ed and out off by this daub. 'Did you ed Jane. 'Only the window fra Merkle. 'I can pa everything picture if y 'I don't believe yo That day trunk a ske proceeded a crimson c 'It's the said Mrs. M from Tom's 'Oh, no will ever b 'No dou' poor critter 'I've no Jane. The ne- kle in her the old lad And havin until it lo paper on a ed the pap