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### PAID DEARLY FOR HIS POTATOES

Piccadilly Street Resident Has His Faith in Human Nature Rudely Shattered.

When Mr. Philip McGinnes, of Piccadilly street, hereafter buys anything from an apparently unsophisticated countryman on the market, he will not only demand and receive a receipt therefor, but he will also obtain a full description of the guileless rustic, and if possible, secure his measurements my the Bertillon system for use in subsequent identification and prosecution by the criminal authorities. Mr. McGinnes' course will be prompted by an experience which he had on Saturday last. He had gone to the market to purchase some potatoes, and after inspecting those displayed on several wagons, he found some very nice ones, for which the owner asked 40 cents per bag. Mr. McGinnes produced three quarters and a dime, but as the farmer had no change, Mr. McGinnes told him to keep the extra nickel, at the same time instructing him to deliver the potatoes at the purchaser's home on Piccadilly street. The farmer's subsequent action, it must be confessed, is calculated to shake the simple faith of those who believe that the farmer, brought so close to nature in its most softening and ennobling moods, must necessarily be thereby lifted to a plane of moral and spiritual excellence untouched by the ordinary city dweller. The farmer, though he knew he had already been overpaid for his potatoes, evidently decided that he needed the money, for upon delivering the vegetables, he collected the price from the mistress of the house, and drove away. He is described as a tall, elderly man, with a long beard, and the local police will keep their eyes open for his reappearance on the market.

Pens are polished with emery powder in a large revolving drum.

### Amusements.

#### "ON THE SUWANEE RIVER."

"On the Suwanee River" comes to the London Opera House tonight. Last season it proved to be one of the best drawing cards and most satisfactory entertainments of the year. All of the original cast has been retained. Stella Mayhew will be seen again as Aunt Lindy, Miss Willie Francis still plays Dora, the blind girl; Fred Truesdell is the heroic Frank; Lew A. Warner will repeat his portrayal of Caleb Croc, the old miser; Eard Atkinson, the rascally Judge Hawk; Alla H. Bailey, manly Jack; Harrison Steadman, Col. Clayton; Kate Weston, the mercurial Judith. The Clover Leaf Quartet lend southern picturesque to the atmosphere, and introduce their famous songs, dances and specialties. Miss Mayhew and Mr. Truesdell also appear in specialties. Seats are now on sale and a large house should greet them.

#### RETURN OF "THE MAN FROM MEXICO."

Mr. Perkins and his excellent company, who made such an instantaneous hit last fall in "The Man from Mexico," have been secured for a return engagement at the London Opera House on Wednesday, May 1. Plan for sale of seats opened this morning, and among the purchasers were many who saw the performance in the first of the season, but wish to witness it again.

"THE DEMON OF ALL DISEASES.—Kidney disease are rightly so-called—they're inexplicable, unaccountable and insidious. It is the function of the kidneys to filter out all impurities. If they're clogged South American Kidney Cure will put them to rights and defy the ravages of so grim a visitant as diabetes or other kidney complications. It relieves in six hours. For Sale by C. McCallum & Co.—113.

Last winter left a legacy of impure blood to many people, causing tired feelings, lack of energy, indigestion, constipation, biliousness, etc. BUREDOCK BLOOD BITTERS never fails to cure any of the foregoing diseases by blocking the secretions and removing all impurities from the system.

## LICENSES GRANTED IN CITY.

List of Hotels and Shops That May Sell Liquor.

Total Number of Licenses Issued is Forty-Two.

Tecumseh House Application Refused—Ward's License Granted on Understanding That None Will Be Given Next Year.

The license commissioners for London met at 2 p.m. yesterday for the purpose of granting licenses for the year of 1901-2.

The application for the Tecumseh House license was refused, and the applicants were given until Aug. 1 to sell out, otherwise no license will be granted to the hotel.

The hotel licenses issued are as follows:

David Sare, Office Restaurant, Gustin & Son, the Gustin House, Jerry McDonald, the European Hotel, Jacob Obrenness, Albion Hotel, John Lewis, Huron House, Jerry Collins, Collins' Hall Hotel, West London, R. H. Reid, Ross House, East London, Wm. Bernard, Bernard House, Harry Raison, Ontario House, B. Harrison, Boswell House, Harry Ryan, Clarence House, John Howe, Atlantic House, Martin O'Meara, Grigg House, John O'Flaherty, Wellington House, John Fraser, Fraser House, H. L. Peine, Richmond House, Ed. Patton, Grand Central Hotel, Edward Morkin, Morkin House, Wm. Mann, Hodgins House, John P. Evans, London House, James McDonald, Queen's Hotel, John McMartin, City Hotel, James D. Fleming, Royal Hotel, F. McLean, Duke of York Hotel, Harry Walsh, Walsh House, Ed. Griffiths, Grand Pacific Hotel, William Collins, Collins' House, John J. Cox, Dominion House, Mrs. Avey & Son, Metropolitan Hotel, J. Heffernan, Britannia House, J. B. Jennings, Western Hotel, W. S. Hodgins, Central Hotel, Mrs. J. Johnston, Ladysmith Hotel, James Butler, Grand Trunk dining-room.

SHOP LICENSES ISSUED:

James Wilson, 398 Richmond street, James Ward, Maitland street, P. J. Watt, 428 Richmond street, Joseph W. Scanfret, 177 Dundas street, Edward Shea, 8 Masonic Temple, John Garvey, 156 Dundas street, E. B. Smith, 131 Dundas street, John A. Somerville & Co., 112 Dundas street.

Ward's shop license was granted on the understanding that this is the last year for its continuance.

The total is 33 hotels, 1 saloon, 6 retail and 2 wholesale liquor stores.

#### Got Lame Back?

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## TWENTY-ONE MEN IN KHAKI

More Canadians From South Africa Reach Montreal

By First Passenger Steamer of the Season—Get a Hearty Welcome.

Montreal, April 29.—The Beaver Line (Elder-Dempster & Co.) steamship Lake Champlain, Capt. Stewart, the first passenger steamer of the season, arrived Saturday evening. One of the features of the landing was the return of Canadian troops from South Africa. There were 21 men in khaki, and they were heartily welcomed by a number of local military men.

The captain reported a splendid voyage and saw little ice. Six hundred and fifty-two steerage passengers were landed in excellent condition at Quebec, most of whom had tickets through to western ports.

The soldiers who arrived were: Corp. J. Mills, Ptes. R. P. Rooke, W. C. Rackham, M. Mansell, I. V. Waite, F. Egerton Curtis, Strathcona's Horse; Ptes. Thos. Greer, R. Somerville, E. L. Martin, I. G. Scott, Kaffrarian Rifles; Ptes. W. R. Nebs, Brabant's Horse; Corp. S. F. Piper, Ptes. F. H. Dill, J. Lindsay, G. Goodfellow, Canadian Mounted Rifles; Pte. R. H. Turner, Royal Canadian Regiment.

THE CORNWALLS. It is said that the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York will hold a state drawing-room in the senate chamber on their visit to Ottawa.

## DISPATCHES FROM LORD KITCHENER

Boer Government Documents Discovered at Rosenthal—Fight With Enemy on the Basuto Border—More Captures.

London, April 29.—Another dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, April 29, says: "General Blood has discovered at Rosenthal, South African Republic, government documents and a large number of bank notes.

"Byng had a fight with Boers on the Basutoland border, south of Wepener, and killed five.

"Grenfell in addition to the captures reported, got 38,500 rounds of small arms ammunition.

"At Lydenburg twenty Boers have surrendered."

## SPORTING NEWS.

Local Lacrosse and Baseball Teams Arrange for Active Work.

### LACROSSE.

LOCAL TEAM'S FIRST PRACTICE. The first practice for the season of the London lacrosse club will be held at Tecumseh Park tomorrow evening at 6:30, and every second night thereafter. The club has about 20 good players to pick a twelve from, and the prospects for a successful season are bright. The league this year will include Seaforth, Stratford, St. Marys, and Woodstock, while there is talk of Bright coming in. The lacrosse championship season will not begin, but there will probably be a couple of exhibition games played first. The club will play out of the city on May 24.

### BASEBALL.

GETTING TO WORK. The first practice of the London baseball club for the season was held at Tecumseh Park on Saturday afternoon, the players present being G. Gibson, R. Gibson, Early, McFadden, Sippi, Lee, Cleoplat, Hutchinson, Carroll, N. K. Wanless and J. Gunn. The club will practice again this evening at 6 o'clock. As now constituted, the new Canadian League embraces London, Woodstock, Guelph, Waterloo, Berlin, and Galt. The season opens with London at Woodstock on Saturday, May 11, while Guelph opens the season here on May 18. Two championship games will be played here on May 24 with Galt. On July 1, two exhibition games will be played in London with the Jamestown (N. Y.) club, a strong independent team, which last year won the championship of its district. On July 4 the London team will play a return match at Jamestown.

Eight thousand people witnessed the opening game of the American League at Chicago. Writing from Brooklyn to the Sporting Life, John B. Foster says: "True, one swallow does not make a summer, one cake of ice does not make a high ball, but McCann looks as if he would make a star of the particular kind that is dear to the fan's heart. That's because he has a good range of pace, fine control of the ball, and isn't afraid to take a change now and then that the other men of the team are as good as he is."

FISTIC. London, April 28.—The coroner's jury which has been investigating the death of Billy Smith, the Philadelphia pugilist who was fatally injured April 22 at the National Sporting Club, by Jack Roberts, in a contest for the 125 pound championship of England, and who died April 24, today rendered a verdict of accidental death.

### STRATHROY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison. Strathroy, April 30.—James Duncan, formerly drug clerk with T. B. Welch, has formed a partnership with Mr. Fitzgerald, of London, and together, they have bought out the grocery and drug business owned by F. Harding, of 406 Dufferin Avenue, London.

Mrs. D. C. Ross and Miss Boughtart are in Toronto, attending the horse show and military tournament.

The members of the fraternity of Masons purpose tendering a reception to Grand Master R. B. Hungerford, of London, on Friday evening, May 10, at the Queen's Hotel.

On Sunday, May 5, the I. O. O. F. of Strathroy will attend divine service in Frank Street Methodist Church. In the morning, the pastor, Rev. A. McKibbin, will conduct the service.

Mr. R. J. Avery has purchased from Hugh McIntyre, of Lobo, the premises occupied by Wm. Pike.

Capt. T. B. Welch, of the 20th Battalion, has received from the militia department a certificate qualifying him in the field officers' class, the result of a recent course at the London Military School.

The Messrs. Hoskin, Frank street, have secured the contracts for placing in the residences of D. F. Wilson, S. S. Donaldson and Geo. Clement, Kelsey

# BACKACHE

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After you are cured you pay me, and then the price will be only one-half what is asked for the belt, which have been blistering and burning the backs of the wearers for 20 years. My Belt is three times as strong as any other Belt that does not blister the flesh.

EXTRACTS FROM LETTERS

I would say to all who are troubled with lame back, and all diseases common among men, that your Belt is what they want to get. Yours truly, Uxbridge, Ont., A. L. Widdfield.

I would not take double what I paid for your Belt if I could not get another. I haven't been troubled with my back since using it. Yours very truly, Kennicott, Ont., H. Davis.

The citizens' park committee are actively engaged in laying out the grounds in the park.

Mr. A. P. Campbell, of Messrs. Campbell Bros. & Ferguson, contractors, on the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railroad, was in town last week.

The death occurred in Caradoc on April 23 of Annie Brown, aged 17 years.

Call today or write for my 80-page book on Backache. Address: DR. M. G. McLAUGHLIN, 1000 DUNDAS STREET, TORONTO, ONT. OFFICE HOURS: 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

## BEAUTIFUL OPAL FOR DR. CLARKE.

Popular Lecturer of Western Medical College Honored by Class of '04.

Dr. George L. Clarke, who is one of the most popular lecturers at the Western Medical School, was presented Saturday evening with a beautiful opal ring at the hands of the class of '04. The presentation was made by Mr. J. A. Wright, and an address, expressing the esteem in which Dr. Clarke is held by the students, was read by Mr. H. G. Taylor. Dr. Clarke responded in suitable terms. The address was as follows:

Dear Doctor.—There are times when a feeling of gratitude must in some way, however small, express itself, and we realize that this is such an occasion.

We have for some time desired to express in some way the high esteem in which we hold you, both as our instructor and friend, and to show you that we are deeply grateful for your ceaseless energy and untiring zeal, which have in great measure laid the foundation for our future studies. We cannot hope to repay you in any intrinsic manner for your kindness, and mere words fail to convey our heartfelt appreciation, but we ask you to accept this ring as a reminder to you that the class of '04 are not indifferent of your efforts in their behalf. We trust that in the future, even more so than in the past, success and happiness may attend your every effort, and that you may long be spared to ornament the noble profession to which you belong.

A Bad Complexion. Indicates that your liver is out of order. By gently regulating the liver and bowels, Celery King clears the complexion, and keeps the system in perfect condition. Use it and avoid doctor bills. 25c for one month's treatment.

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## ENTOMBED 60 HOURS

Rescuers Reach the Imprisoned Aurora Miners—Two Rescued Alive.

Aurora, Mo., April 29.—Rescuers reached three of the five miners who had been entombed in the Rosebud mine since last Thursday, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. Two were rescued alive, one was found dead, and the other two are supposed to be lifeless. Grant Shard had been mangled by falling rocks and earth, and undoubtedly died instantly.

Paint taps on the iron rails announced that two others were still alive. They are William Shane and George Foster. A large stone boulder had Foster plonked by the foot, and in that position he had remained for a day. He was nearly famished when reached by the workers, but was revived with the aid of stimulants.

At 10:30 p.m. the rescuers were near William Shane, who was pinned by the foot, with a dead man underneath him. Shane was scarcely able to talk. His arm is broken, and it is feared that he may lose his mind. He was removed at 11 o'clock, after an imprisonment of 60 hours and 30 minutes.

The other two are probably dead. Five thousand persons were about the shaft all day and night.

Mark Twain, at the reunion of a business college society in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was introduced as a personal friend of Tom Sawyer, who was one of the types of successful business men. He recounted some of the various business ventures he had failed in and said: "I was still undismayed. You see, one of the strong points about my business life was that I never gave up."

"I undertook to publish Gen. Grant's book and made \$140,000 in six months—and lost it all in the next six months. My axiom is: To succeed in business, avoid my example."

Weak, nervous or delicate men and women, whether overworked mentally or physically, will find nothing to equal Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for restoring their health and building up their system.

The census taken at Rangoon gives the population at 232,236, compared with 180,324 counted at last census in 1891.

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