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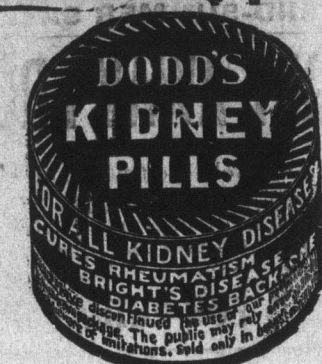
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TEACHERS FOR NORMAL SCHOOL

New Appointees Will Act As Assistants For The Present

Toronto, July 25.—Pending the opening of the three new provincial normal schools next September, the present ones are being reorganized on the new basis and in accordance therewith the following appointments have been made as assistants to each school:

F. J. Radcliffe, B.A., principal of London Collegiate Institute; S. A. Morgan, B.A., D. Paed., English master at Hamilton, C.E., D. M. M. B. A. B. Paed., public school inspector, West Lambton; D. Walker, B.A., inspector public school, Peterboro; S. Silcox, B.A., D. Paed., inspector public schools, St. Thomas; J. F. Power, M.A., inspector separate schools, London.

GREAT SPECIALISTS IN STOMACH CATARRH.

Though often they fail to give even temporary relief, Mr. W. Seymour, of Humberstone, Ont., cured himself with Ferrozone. "My trouble," he says, "was chronic catarrh of the stomach. There was constant bad taste in my mouth, I was constipated and usually nauseated before and after meals. I also had a gnawing sensation in the stomach. Ferrozone gave me great relief, and I also used Catarrhose, which is good for catarrh. Although it took a number of boxes of Ferrozone, I got back my health and to-day am quite well." For stomach catarrh, indigestion and hindered disorders nothing excels Ferrozone. In a thousand cases it has proved a wonderful success. Try it yourself, 50c. per box at all dealers.

THE MANITOBA CROP.

Present Prices Hold Farmers Will Do Better Than Last Year.

Ottawa, July 25.—Dr. Wm. Saunders, director of experimental farms, has returned from his tour of inspection of Manitoba and the west. He says the area in which partial failure is expected owing to drought, is a restricted one, and on the whole, after a careful review of the situation, he believes that there will be a three-fourth crop.

With wheat at its present price this will mean a larger cash return to the farmer than he received for the crop of last year.

Even should some of the late sown grain become frosted it will fetch a price almost as high as was obtained for good wheat last season.

WHERE DOES CONSUMPTION BEGIN?

That first little tickle becomes a cough, the cough grows severe, is neglected and travels down to the lungs. Great throat trouble before it gets severe. Catarrhose heals, allays inflammation, cures throat and bronchial trouble quickly.

A marvel work is Catarrhose, which prevents thousands of Catarrh victims from contracting consumption. Recommended by doctors, proved by time to be unfailing. Catarrhose is just what you need. 25c. and \$1.00, sold everywhere.

Ottawa's Power Problem.

Ottawa, July 25.—Ottawa is conducting negotiations to acquire independent water power and the civic electric commission is conferring with owners of the Chelmsford, Metropolitan, Chate and Live powers.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Heart or the Kidneys. Dyspepsia, The Heart or the Kidneys. Troubles of the Stomach, Heart or Kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Do not make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment, not the cause. Weak Stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean Stomach weakness, always. And the Heart, and Kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy ever claims to treat the "inside nerves." Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write me to-day for sample and free Book. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by all dealers.

Music Doesn't Soothe Unions.
Chicago, July 25.—Foreign musicians are to be placed under investigation by the American Federation of Musicians, because, it is said, they are engaged to labor in violation of the contract labor laws.

The tourist's season is now on and we are advised by W. E. Rispin, general passenger and ticket agent, that he has some especially attractive tours for the present summer season, leading to all the summer resorts of Canada, including Muskoka Lakes, the Temagami District, Georgian Bay, Lake Superior, River St. Lawrence, and Gulf and Atlantic Coast points, and would be very pleased to furnish information to any intending passengers.

DARROW APPEALS FOR LABOR.

Contents That Steunenberg's Call For Troops Stirred Up Feeling.

Boise, Idaho, July 25.—The career of Frank Steunenberg, the murdered ex-governor of Idaho, was discussed at length yesterday afternoon by Clarence Darrow in his plea for Wm. D. Haywood, charged with the murder.

Justifying the articles published in The Miner's Magazine, the official organ of the Western Federation, Mr. Darrow said the action of Steunenberg in asking for United States troops to quell riot and the establishment of martial law in 1899 was unjustifiable and properly stirred up intense feeling in labor circles against the governor.

Mr. Darrow's argument, unfinished last night, turned into an appeal for labor against capital, and a denunciation of all opposition to labor unions. He held an audience open-mouthed as one after another of the sentiments poured from his lips.

His attack on Orchard was anticipated but in this respect he surpassed all expectations.

HAVE LOST EVERYTHING.

Destitution Follows In The Wake of The Fire At Victoria, B. C.

Victoria, B. C., July 25.—The district burned Tuesday was yesterday being searched by those who have lost their homes, in vain effort to locate valuables. In some instances owners are sitting the ashes in the hopes of finding the remains of jewelry.

The homeless are being cared for by friends. In some cases those who were burned out have lost everything they had in the world and are destitute. A subscription list has been opened and several thousand dollars is already subscribed.

Mayor Morley and the city council are being severely condemned for the inadequate facilities for fighting the flames, but the mayor is endeavoring to lay the blame on the fire department.

An investigation will be held on Friday evening, to consider the matter.

KILLED HERSELF WITH AXE.

Young Woman Commits Suicide While Delirious From Illness.
St. Catharines, July 25.—A strange death at Humberstone has been reported.

Anna Caroline Utz had been ill with typhoid fever, but declined to have any one sit up with her. Her father awoke early in the morning and sought his daughter's bedside to find that she was missing. The alarm was given and a search instituted and the missing girl was found in a semi-unconscious state in a close-by barn. Marks of violence were visible about her head and forehead and her hair was matted with clotted blood.

A later examination of the body revealed that she had used an axe to cut her own throat. It is believed the girl, while delirious, inflicted the wounds upon herself.

HER SKULL FRACTURED.

Miss Jennie Day of Cobourg Killed In a Runaway Accident.

Cobourg, July 25.—A distressing accident occurred near here, resulting in the almost instant death of Miss Jennie Day, for years a member of the public school staff.

Miss Day was one of a party of eight who had early in the evening driven to Coldsprings. On their return, about 10 o'clock, the horses became unmanageable in some way and ran away, throwing the occupants out and causing severe injuries to all the party. Miss Day tried to save herself by jumping. In alighting she struck on her head, causing a fracture of the skull, from which she died in a few hours.

JAP CRUISERS IN FRANCE.

They Returned the Salute of the American Ships at Brest.

Brest, July 25.—The Japanese cruisers Teikoku and Chitose, under the command of Vice-Admiral Ijima, have arrived in this harbor. They returned the salute of the U. S. ships.

The crews of the Japanese cruisers are to be kept on board until further orders, and the American bluejackets also have been denied shore leave. Rear-Admiral Stockton explains that this restriction is customary on the day before warships leave port.

Drowning At Hamilton.

Hamilton, July 25.—Albert Stumbe, 545 North Hughson street, aged 22, was drowned about 7:30 last evening in the bay. He went out in a rowboat with his brother and Thomas Garrett, 446 Mary street, and William Irwin, 548 Mary street. When a short distance out from the foot of Mary street, Stumbe jumped into the water, saying he was going to swim to shore. After swimming a short distance he changed his mind and turned towards the boat. He sank. Two hours afterwards the body was secured by grappling irons.

A Gigantic Coal Strip.

Hamilton, Pa., July 25.—The Lehigh Valley Coal Co. has opened what is believed to be the largest stripping in the world. The coal is in a solid bed 1,300 feet wide, 30 feet in thickness and extends at least six miles.

It is estimated that the company to take out 500 tons daily it would require 250 years to exhaust the supply.

Labor-Saving Device Illegal.

Pittsburg, July 25.—A long drawn-out dispute between the coal operators and miners over the use of the patent steam pump, a labor-saving device, has been settled. Judge Miller has decided that the introduction of the machine is a violation of the present scale agreement.

New Mackenzie and Mann Line.

Quebec, July 25.—The Gosford branch of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway, now controlled by Mackenzie and Mann, will be inaugurated on Thursday of next week.

DON'T PUT IT OFF LONGER

Get Rid of That Indigestion at Once by Using Mi-na.

Either through slackness or carelessness, hundreds of people slowly poison themselves by chronic indigestion. By neglecting to cure at once any sluggishness of the important organs of digestion the system is filled with fermenting and decaying food that results in sick headache, heartburn, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, speckled bowels, the eyes, sleeplessness, nervous troubles and the many other symptoms that are the direct result of indigestion.

The want of a perfectly safe yet effective cure for indigestion and stomach troubles in their many forms were felt up to the time of the successful investigations that resulted in the production of Mi-na stomach tablets. They quickly cure the worst cases of indigestion, and the pain and distress which are often felt after meals disappear in a very few days—much less the wonderful curative power of Mi-na.

The old-fashioned medicines for stomach troubles merely digest the food, while Mi-na strengthens the digestive organs so that they soon become able to care for the food that is eaten.

Mi-na stomach tablets cost but 50 cents a box and do more good than a dozen boxes of the ordinary digestive tablets. C. H. Gunn & Co. give an absolute, unqualified guarantee to refund the money if Mi-na fails to cure.

Archbishop's Jubilee.

Montreal, July 25.—A large and influential party, consisting of dignitaries and priests of the Roman Catholic Church, left Montreal by the trans-Canada Limited for the purpose of taking part in the celebration of the silver jubilee of the archbishopate of Monsignor Langevin, archbishop of St. Boniface.

Brainstorm Caused Murder.
Fredericton, N.B., July 25.—Tom David, the Assyrian, who shot his wife at Macdonald two weeks ago, has been sent up for trial in January on a charge of murder. "Brainstorm" will be the defence.

JUMPING WITH NERVE PAIN.

That's how you feel with neuralgia. But why lie awake at night, grumble or complain—get busy with a bottle of Nerviline. It does act like magic, seeks out the pain and destroys it. Harmless and certain, instant in effect, nothing is so popular as Nerviline for aches and pains of all kinds. Try it for lumbago, test it in rheumatism, prove it in neuralgia, pleurisy or colds. You'll soon acknowledge that Poison's Nerviline beats them all. Sold everywhere in large 25c. bottles.

The Deadly Gasoline.

Rome, N.Y., July 25.—Isadore Deniski, 28 years old, is dead from injuries sustained in a gasoline explosion in his clothes cleaning establishment Tuesday evening.

WHOSE SAY-SO IS BEST?

With nearly all medicines put up for sale through druggists, one has to take the maker's say-so alone as to their curative value. Of course, such testimony is not that of a disinterested party and accordingly is not to be given the same credit as that written from disinterested motives. Dr. Pierce's medicines, however, forms a striking exception to this rule. Their claims to the confidence of invalids does not rest solely upon their makers' say-so or praise. Their ingredients are matters of public knowledge, being printed on each separate bottle wrapper. The invalid sufferers are taken into Dr. Pierce's full confidence. Scores of leading medical men have written enough to fill volumes in praise of the curative value of the several ingredients entering into these well-known medicines.

Amongst these writers we find such medical lights as Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Boston Medical College, Chicago; Prof. Hale, of the same city; Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, Ohio; Prof. John King, M. D., late of Cincinnati, Ohio; Dr. Grover Coe, of New York; Dr. Bartholow, of Jefferson Medical College, of Pa., and scores of other equally eminent. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the worst cases of female weakness, prostrates, anæmia, irregularities, and corrects irregularities, cures painful periods, dries up disagreeable and weakening discharges, sometimes known as pelvic catarrh, and a multitude of other diseases peculiar to women.

PRETTY STRONG.

That new typewriter of Merchant's is a pretty weak speller, isn't she? Well, she got a pretty strong spell on old Merchant. They're engaged now.

WIRE WOUNDS.

My mare, a very valuable one, was badly bruised and cut by being caught in a wire fence. Some of the wounds would not heal, although I tried many different medicines. Dr. Bell advised me to use MINARD'S LINIMENT, diluted at first, and then stronger as the sores began to look better, until after three weeks the sores had healed and heat of all the hair is growing well, and is NOT WHITE as is most always the case in horse wounds.

F. M. DOUCET.

Weymouth.
The man who does his best is not apt to be bested.

Old age is a sprinter that overtakes us all.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

THE LONDON INQUEST

Searching Investigation Into the Cause of the Disaster.

Several of the Injured Represented by Counsel—Three Witnesses Placed Upon the Stand—Crown Attorney McKillop Has Mass of Evidence—Sole Purpose to Find Who Was to Blame.

London, Ont., July 25.—The inquest into the death of Willie Tambling, the Oxford street boy who was killed in the wreck of Reid's Crystal Hall, was begun in the court house here last night before Coroner MacLaren. A large crowd filled the room, showing the interest the people are taking in the all-important point of who is to blame for the wreck. The inquest being insisted solely for this purpose.

Every firm which suffered by the collapse, as well as the several people purchasing in the stores who were injured, were represented by legal talent.

Joseph Kerwin of Grand Rapids appeared for Peter Smirides, the Greek who was the lessee of Reid's store. Maj. Judd appeared for McCallum & Westlake, photographers, whose premises were above the Brewster store and were destroyed, and David Mills for W. G. Wilson & Co., the contractors who were making the alterations to the Reid store.

Edgar Jeffrey was on hand for the Jeffrey estate, owners of the Brewster store; George A. Gibbons for W. J. Reid & Co., owners of the Crystal Hall; D. A. McDonald for the relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tan-tum Horvitz, killed in the Hamilton Long store, and for Mr. and Mrs. Peters of St. John, injured with their baby in the same store, Ed. Weld, for the estate of the late W. T. Hamilton of Hamilton, Long & Co.

In the room were Alfred Gifford and F. Curran, both of whom were injured in the wreck.

The evidence was not important, only three witnesses being placed on the stand. Dr. George D. Wilson and Dr. A. V. Beecher testified that young Tambling had died by being crushed to death, and F. H. Brewster, proprietor of the 5 and 10 cent store, swore that Tambling had been working for him the day of the accident and was killed in his store.

Crown Attorney McKillop then asked for an adjournment for a week and the request was granted. The jury met again in the court house next Tuesday night at 7:30.

Mr. McKillop explained that it will take fully another week to arrange his case from the mass of evidence which has been secured.

The first official notice of action for damages as a result of the Crystal Hall disaster was filed yesterday morning with the city clerk by Margaret Boyd, who was knocked down and injured while walking past the building.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50 cents.

Sold by All Dealers.

BOB AND HIS JOB.

Well, Bob, and what do you think you'll be when you grow up? I'm going to be a retired merchant like Uncle Joe.

Do you know about that special excursion boat trip up Lakes Huron and Superior every two weeks by Northern Navigation Company; excellent steamer. The next one leaves July 31st, and W. E. Rispin, general ticket agent here for this and other lines, will give you full information if you call at his office. The rates include special excursions to all points in Manitoba and Northwest Territory and tickets are good for two months, and can be extended for two months longer by paying small payment at point of destination. W. E. Rispin also has a great many attractive trips to the Muskoka Lakes, Georgian Bay District, Temagami country, the beautiful and picturesque Lake of Bays with its 375 miles of coast line, and a great many other cool, attractive summer resorts.

The Highlands of Ontario have always been considered an ideal place to spend a summer holiday, and this year the Muskoka Lakes, the Lake of Bays and the Temagami district are attracting large crowds of tourists who thoroughly appreciate the wonderful beauties of the North Country. Chatham or Kent County people wanting a delightful holiday could not select a better place to spend it, where they will enjoy pure and cool air, good fishing, bathing and boating, and can obtain full information by calling on W. E. Rispin, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, G. R. R., 115 King St., Chatham, or writing to J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

The mother wants a medicine for her children which will cure croup, cramps, diarrhoea, diphtheria, sore throat, toothache, cuts, burns, whooping cough, etc., and which does not contain any poison, alcohol or opiate. She will find this list filled to perfection by the Veteran's Sure Cure. A trial will prove our claim. Grown people want an absolute cure for rheumatism, backache, sciatica, dyspepsia, kidney and liver diseases, weak heart, and the system generally. A trial will prove that V. S. C. is the cure wanted. It is the cheapest and best home medicine on earth. Price—Mailed anywhere, 350 doses for \$1.00; 150 doses for 50 cents. The V. S. C. Medicine Co., Limited, Seane Block, W. K. Merrifield, Manager, Chatham, Ont.

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No. 5—Daily 1:11 p. m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and all points West and South.

EAST
No. 4—Daily 2:55 a. m. for London, Woodstock, Galt, Toronto, Montreal and all points North, East and West.
No. 6—Daily 3:13 p. m. for London, Woodstock, Galt, Toronto, Montreal and all points North, East and West.
No. 10—(Daily Except Sunday) 6:45 a. m. for London, Woodstock, Galt, Toronto and all points North and East.

GRAND TRUNK

EAST BOUND—
Mail train, 8:37 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Mixed, 12:40 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Express, 2 p. m., daily.

International Limited, 5:18 p. m., daily.

Express, 9 p. m., daily except Sunday.

WEST BOUND—
Acad., 8:30 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Express, 12:52 p. m., daily.

Mail, 4:18 p. m., daily except Sunday.

International Limited, 9:24 p. m., daily.

Mixed, 2:30 p. m.

PERE MARQUETTE

Leaves Chatham For—
Blenheim and Rond Eau, 6:45 a. m.
South and P. M. West, 8:20 a. m.
M. C. R. West 9:05 a. m., P. M. East.
Blenheim and Rond Eau, 10:30 a. m.
M. C. R. West, Blenheim and Rond Eau, 4:40 p. m.
South and P. M. West, 5:15 p. m.
South and P. M. East, 6:15.
Arrive at Chatham from—
Rond Eau and Blenheim, 8:45 a. m.
East, 9:35 a. m.
West, 10:25 a. m.
Rond Eau, etc., 4:00 p. m.
East, 6:33 p. m.
Rond Eau, 6:50 p. m.
Walkerville, 7:35 p. m.
From the North—
Arrive from Sarnia 9:05 a. m.; 6:15 p. m.
For Sarnia 9:35 a. m.; 6:33 p. m.

THE WABASH SYSTEM

Wabash trains leave Chatham:

WEST BOUND.

No. 1—7:12 a. m. for Detroit, Chicago and St. Louis.
No. 2—1:04 p. m., solid train for St. Louis.

No. 13—1:20 p. m., for Detroit and Chicago.

No. 5—9:38 p. m., solid train for Detroit and Chicago.

No. 9—1:10 a. m., fast mail for St. Louis and Kansas City.

EAST BOUND.

No. 2—1:05 p. m., for St. Thomas, Tillsonburg, Simcoe, Buffalo, New York and Boston.

No. 4—1:15 p. m., fast train for St. Thomas, Buffalo, New York and Boston.

No. 6—2:02 a. m., for St. Thomas, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

No. 8—2:07 p. m., fast mail for St. Thomas, Buffalo and New York.

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