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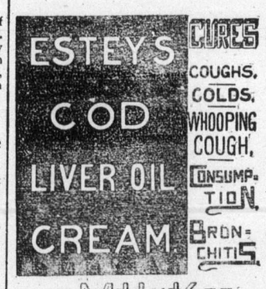

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Sackville, N. B., Oct. 30, '90.

General News.

—It is said the blackest man in Boston is named White, the whitest man Black, the tallest man is named Lowe, and the largest man Small.

—An ex-mayor of Sunbury, Pa., has has been fined sixty-six cents for each of twenty three oaths uttered in a justice's court.

—A bill is to be presented by the Government in the New South Wales legislature providing for the enfranchisement of women.

—Baron Hirsch has bought a large tract of land near Ridgeway, Pa., where he will colonize Russian to cultivate sugar beets.

—All Jew have been ordered to leave St. Petersburg before May 3rd, owing to the strong feeling against them in Russia.

—Montrealers claim that Lovell's census of that city is incorrect. It should 250,000 instead of 211,000 Mr Lovell claims.

—The largest room in the world under one roof and unbroken by pillars is at St. Petersburg. It is 620 feet long by 120 in breadth.

—At Grand Rapids, Mich., Miss Julia Goddard sued Dextor Wescott for $10,000 for breach of promise and the jury awarded her six cents.

—A lady advertises in an English paper for a supply of live sparrows once a week for her favorite cat. It would seem that this bird is without honor in his own country.

—Talmage's new Tabernacle in Brooklyn was dedicated on Sunday, and clergy man of every denomination were invited to attend the ceremonies. The edifice will accomodate 6,000.

—Britain is engaged in another 'little war' the King of Gambia having cruelly maltreated a messenger sent by the Governor of Gambia colony to tell him to behave himself.

—The 3rd Battalion of the British Grenadier guards have mutinied in order to make a statement of their grievances. They claim they cannot stand the unecessary and long hours of drill and routine work.

—The following advertisement appears in a German newspaper: "Wanted by a lady of quality, for adequate remuneration, a few well-behaved and respectably-dressed children to amuse a cat in delicate health two or three hours a day."

—An immigrant boy adopted by Nelson Lalonde, living near St. Andrew, Quebec, set fire to Lalonde's barns and stables, which were consumed with 14 cows. Loss $3,000; uninsured.

—What is described as probably the rarest stamp in existence has been sold in London for £250. It is an American issue of 1840, and its face value is five cents. The original purchase was a remarkably good investiment if the buyer had only known it.

—A saloon at Anderson, Ind., was raided a week ago and 300 gallons of liquor found upon the ground. There is a well near by, and so much of the liquor found its way there that the lovers of mixed drinks are flocking to it. The water from it is quite intoxicating.

—On Thursday last a powder magazine near the city of Rome containing 250 ton of powder exploded through some mysterious cause, and destroyed a large amount of property and killed several people. No cause for the explosion is known as yet.

A number of American speculators who invested largely in Winnipeg real estate last autumn, and who afterwards placed their property on the market, have withdrawn it from sale, anticipating a rise in price.

—The English census shows that prisons are the healthiest abodes in the country, and that workhouse life insures a ripe old age. At one workhouse it was found that nearly three-fourths of the inmates were over sixty; thirty-three women and twenty-one men were between eighty and ninety; two women over ninety.

—An old lady and a young man boarded the Wabash ferry at Windsor the other night. The customs officer, suspecting something lifted the old lady's veil and found a Chinaman. The pair were locked up at Trumbull avenue station, and gave the names of Lee Jui and William Wright. Wright is charged with smuggling Chinamen.

—A large block of wooden buildings in the Chinatown of Victoria, B. C., has been burned by order of the city council to make room for a new public market. It was deemed advisable to get rid of the old rookeries in this way than by removal, so as to avoid all danger of sickness.

—Fayette county officers went to Adelaide Penn., Wednesday, and made two evictions after a great deal of trouble and opposition. Then they were overpowered by strikers and driven away. Reinforced by Sheriff McCormick and a large force of deputies, they returned. A pitched battle took place between the sheriff's posse and about 300 Hungarian men and women, in which a Hungarian girl was killed and others injured, among whom were several deputies. If it had not been for the arrival of Company C, every deputy, doubtless, would have been injured if not killed.

—The United States navy department has made arrangements with the Dupont Powder Company for the establishment of a plant for the manufacture of gun cotton and smokeless powder for naval use.

WOMEN'S COLUMN

Conducted by the Ladies of the Sackville W. C. T. U.

Springhill W. C. T. U.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U., met for the first time, on Tuesday evening last, in their new room in the upper part of the ell of the Methodist church, the free use of which has been generously granted to them by the trustees. Through the efforts of several members, this room already presents a cosy and attractive apperance.

It is now pretty generally known that in connection with this union, an industrial school has been established in this town, under the able and energetic management of Mrs. Arthur Gilroy, efficiently aided by other ladies of the Union, this project promises to be a success—and we bespeak for it the sympathy and support of the public generally. Further particulars concerning this department of work will be given from time to time. At present the school meets every Friday afternoon, at the close of the public schools, in what is known as the "old school building."—Springhill News.

YARMOUTH.—Our second annual meeting was held Feb- 12th, and we are glad to note that such interest is shown in our work that there is not a hall in town large enough to hold those who wish to attend. After opening exercises the retiring President, (Mrs. Frost), gave an address, which was followed by reports from recording secretary, treasurer, coffee room, jail and poor house, and work among railway men, Other departments of work are in operation, but superintendents were not prepared to report. Reports were followed by addresses from local clergymen. Mr. Heartz, of Methodist Church spoke in glowing terms of the good the W. C. T. U. reading room was doing in our town, saying that it should receive liberal support from the public. These remarks he supplemented in a most practical way by handing the treasurer a ten dollar bill. Just here, according to previous arrangements, a few minutes were given up to take subscriptions in aid of reading room, the sum raised being $88.78. During the year 10,000 pages of temperance and religious literature has been distributed in our different departments of work. Our cash disbursements for the year have been $461.73. All the work of the Union during the past year has been the means of stirring up the sleeping temperance organizations of the town, and to-day temperance work in all its phases is on a better and stronger platform than for some time. The Union has taken up the Home Protection reading course. Our meetings will also be held weekly instead of fortnightly.

CAPE BRETON County held its first W. C. T. U. Convention, Feb. 12th and 13th. The Cow Bay Union, as the pioneer white-ribboners in the Island extended the call, and entertained the delegates from Sidney and North Sidney. A public meeting was held on the evening of the 12th in the Presbyterian Church, Cow Bay, at which reports of work from the different Unions were read, and addresses and recitations were also given on topics dear to white-ribboners. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Mr. Wetmore, assisted by Rev. Mr. Forbes, of Glace Bay, and Rev. Mr. Grant, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Cow Bay. The meetings next afternoon were well attended. Original papers on "Work Among Sailors," "The Motner's Influence in Tsmperance Work" "Aggressive Work of the W. C. T. U.," and "Our Departments," were read and discussed. The evening meeting was held in the Baptist Church and took the form of a conference of Temperance workers from several different temperance organizations, as to a plan of concerted action in view of the proposed repeal of the Scott Act in otr county. There were present accredited representatives of the S. of T. and "League of the Cross" from different sections of the country. The utmost harmony of sentiment and good will prevailed. As one result of this conference circulars were sent to all the clergy in the County asking them to use their influence with their congregation to sustrin the Canada Temperance Act. These circular swerve the work of a joint committee representing the Catholic and Protestant total abstinence societies. The Co. plan of work includes the following departments, Juvenile Work, Influencing the press, Work Among Sailors, Jail and Prison Work, Scientific Temperance Instructions, and Mother's Meetings.

EDITH J ARCHIBALD
COUNTY SUPT.

HANTSPORT.—During the winter we have our meeting but once in two weeks. The average attendance is very fair. Will all Unions having correspondence with us please address such to Miss Churchill. We are talking of and working and praying for a "Sailor's Rest" here in Hantsport.

Editorial Evidence.
GENTLEMEN—Your Hagyard's Yellow Oil is worth its weight in gold for both internal and external use. During the late *La Grippe* epidemic we found it a most excellent preventatixe, and for sprained limbs etc, there is nothing equal to it.
WM. PEMBERTON,
Editor reporter, Delhi, Ont.

Barnum's 'Brick Man.'

J. G. Speed, in Harper's Weekly.

As an illustration of one of Barnum's ingenious methods of attracting attention to his museum may be mentioned the "brick man." One day a man applied for alms to Barnum, who was sitting in the ticket office. To the inquiry as to why he did not go to work, the mendicant replied that he would gladly do so at a dollar a day, if he could find employment. Barnum gave him twenty-five cents to get his breakfast, and told him to return, and he would give him a dollar and a half a day and easy work. When the man returned, Barnum gave him five bricks and told him to place one in front of the museum, another on the corner of Vessey Street, a third at the corner of Fulton—on the St. Paul's Church side—and the fourth on the east corner of Fulton. Returning then to the museum, he was to take up the first brick, and replace it with the fifth, and then continue his rounds, putting down one brick and taking up the other each time. He was enjoined to answer no questions, and to seem not to hear, and that at the end of each three-quarters of an hour he was to pass into the museum, look around for fifteen minutes, and then resume his rounds with the bricks. Barnum says that the man played his part to perfection, and his eccentric conduct caused a great crowd to gather about the museum. Many of these, of course, went into the museum to seek some explanation as to the purpose of the "brick man". This was kept up for several days, untill the police requested his withdrawal, because such crowds lingered about the museum, that traffic was interrupted.

Swift Arrow's Spirit Friends.

He Brought 129 of them Within Speaking Distance of Boston Spiritualists.

BOSTON, Mass., March 31.—The Spiritualists celebrated to-day the 43rd anniversary of what they term modern Spiritualism—that is, the Fox rappings at Hydeville. Their three meetings in Tremont Temple were marked by a good deal of enthusiasm and there was much earnest talk.

Colonel A. A. Wheelock, of New York, was one of the speakers. He held the opinion that if anything has ever brought good cheer into the world it was the raps that 43 years ago tonight gave to mankind the first proof of immorality beyond the grave.

But the most entertaining episode of the day was when Joseph E. Stiles of Weymouth, a venerable medium, took the platform and went into a trance. Mr. Stiles' control was Swift Arrow, an Indian, and by his aid no less than 129 disembodied spirits were recalled to within speaking distance of the breathless assemblage. Of these all but 28 were "recognized." First came a group of a dozen who were "recognized" by people in the audience whose homes are in and about Natick. When all of them were "recognized" Swift Arrow responded, gleefully, "Nice, ain'. it!"

Deacon Parkhurst, whose garments Swift Arrow said smelled of sulphur, was greeted by a dozen or more, "I know yous" and "recognized."

Blake Windell was not recognized untill Swift Arrow explained that he used to drink "firewater" twice a year for six months each time, "I know him" came from a weak voice in the gallery.

George Wilton Gosse, of Waltham, remarked that he died at the hands of a stupid doctor, who made a mistake in writing a perscription.

Plummer Chesley said this was the first trip that he had been permitted to make back to m other earth, and that all he had to say was that while congress might close the gates of commerce it couldn't shut the doors of heaven, and he guessed hell was in the same fix.

Dr. Payne, of East Preston, and Deacon Abner Churchill, said they formerly lived in Brunswick, Me. The latter said he didn't know as deacons got along any better in spirit land than other people did.

Lewis Bemis said that he and his wife were happy in their spirit life.

A former resident of Waltham whose name was announced as Henry Whiting said he hoped the audience wouldn't take offence if he swore a little, as in spirit land people lived the same kind of lives as they did in the world below, for, said he, "You know they say an honest damn is better than a hypocrite's amen."

Henry A. Osgood, of Roselindale, said that while on earth he was deaf and lame, but now he was all right and could win a walking match if necessary.

Reading, singing, dancing and addresses filled up the programme of the entertainment, which was under the auspices of the Children's Progressive Lyceum Association and the Echo Spiritulist's Society.

Put Me in My Little Bed

I am dizzy, dizzy, dizzy;
And I want to go to bed,
I've no appetite to eat.
And headache racks my head.

In other words I am suffering from a billious attack, but Dr. Peirce's Pleasant Pellets will bring me around all right by to-morrow. They often cure headaches in a hour. I have found them the best carthartic pill in existence. They produce no nausea or griping, but do their work thoroughly. They are convenient to carry in the vest pocket and pleasant to take. In viala, 25 cts.

Agricultural Notes.

—Stock cannot be healthy and thrive in bad air any more than human beings, and it is not only cruel but unprofitable to confine stock in close stables reeking with filth.

—The Farmington, Conn., creamery, one of the first started in New England, has been run on the plan of the delivery of the whole milk, and creaming at the factory. Recently, however, it has changed to the cream gathering system, and likes the plan much better.

—The Bangor creamery has recently shipped a large order of butter to Fort Spain, Trinidad. The butter was shipped on board the schooner Cora Dunn. This makes the second shipment from this creamery to the West Indies.

—The farmers of any section where they are selling hay from their farms, and putting nothing back, "are robbing Peter to pay Paul." They are exhausting the natural source of fertility so fast that they will soon have nothing to fall back upon. A ton of hay takes from the land fully 80 pounds of actual plant food in the form of nitrogen, potash and soluable phosphoric acid. If you take off two tons of hay, you are taking off 160 pounds of plant food, to restore which requires from 400 to 600 pounds of fertility, according to the strength of materials used, or from eight to ten loads of manure of 2,000 pounds each. Now, how long this can be kept up time alone can tell.

—If you want good laying hens in winter, keep an eye on your early hatched chickens and select the best developed and healthy looking pullets for furnishing you with eggs next winter. For several weeks after hatching the young chicks should be fed a little five or six times a day. After they are half-grown, three or four times a day—not to fatten them, but to make them grow. Two rations out of three should be soft food, and if mixed with milk instead of water it will be greatly improved. See to it that they have green food of some description and plenty of fresh water and gravel within their reach. By forcing the pullets in this way you will be quite sure to set them laying in the fall, which, if properly housed and fed they will continue through the winter.

Poultry Breeding.

HOW AND WHEN TO BEGIN

There are always some parties who are "waiting for something to turn up." Hardly anything better than the poultry business can "turn up" to one who is really waiting—one who is ambitious in the right direction when something does "turn up." The poultry ranks are not yet full. Every one in it who exercises proper management is making something but, like all other businesses, it requires tact and capacity to turn it into profitable cash. The market is not over supplied with either fowls or eggs, and now the chances in this direction are encouragingly in favor of embarking in the poultry business. Granting then, there are such who wish to start in this line, a few words on how to begin may not be amiss.

The proper time to begin is in the fall or winter. It is then that a choice selection of fowls is at command. For various reasons I would recommend one to start with fowls rather than eggs. It is not buying the pig in the bag, as it were—one can see what he buys. Do not infer from this however, that I reflect dishonesty upon those advertising eggs. Not at all. But, if you do start with eggs, remeber it must be an extraordinary strain that will produce all, or even a good percentage of, such breeders as one would wish to have for a start. Then having decided to start, prepare quarters with the best possible view to comfort for the birds. Subscribe for some journal, and bear in mind there is always something new to learn. Then select your breed or breeds, but let me say here, do not start with too many varieties, There is where the failures come in. Of course I would say by no means start with anything but thoroughbreds. If you aim is to rear fowls for eggs, the the laying breeds should be selected. Leghorns are undoubtedly the breed which there are three varieties, White, Black and Brown, each one having their own admirers. If market fowls with a liberal supply of eggs are the objec t, then the heavier breeds can be select ed from. My fancy and I think for for good reasons is the Plymouth Rocks barred or white; Wyandottes, four varieties, White, Black, Silver and Golden, and Light Brahamas in the order named; and I think for general purposes they cannot be excelled but then there is abundance of others to choose from. Go out among the breeders and make yourself acquaint ed with their ways and principles. As a rule they are a cheerful, honest lot, and by giving the poultry a fair show on the farm you will find that nothing else gives as quick and as great a return for the money invested.—*W. R. Cockburn, in The Canadian Live Stock and Farm Journal.*

Supposing.
Supposing you suffer from some disease. Suppose it is dyspepsia or biliousness or constipation or bad blood. Suppose you learn that Burdock Blood Bitters has cured thousands of cases of these and similar complaints. Don't you suppose you ought to try it? It cannot harm you and in nine cases out of ten it cures.