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THE ST. JOHN REPRESENTATION BILL.

The bill for the changing of the constituencies of the city and county of St. John which was introduced by Mr. Blair yesterday will not be satisfactory to the majority of our people. The necessity for a change in the constituencies is universally admitted, indeed it cannot be denied, but the new constituencies should be such as will give fair and equal representation according to population or as near that as can be obtained. By the proposed measure two members will be given to the old city of St. John, two to the old city of Portland and two to rural parishes. To understand the objectionable features of this arrangement it is necessary to know the number of electors in each district which will return two members. They are as follows:

	Number of Electors.
Old City	6,153
Portland	3,855
Country Parishes	2,231

Surely it is a rank absurdity to give 2,231 electors in Lancaster, Musquash, Simonds and St. Martins as large a representation as 6,153 electors in the city of St. John, especially in view of the fact that the old city has ten times the wealth of the country parishes. We propose as an alternative arrangement that the old city of St. John receive three members, Portland two and the parishes one member. This plan would place St. John city in its proper position and would do no injustice to the parishes for one member can attend to their needs as well as two. A still better arrangement would be to divide St. John into three ridings East, West and Centre, each to return two members. A fair division would be as follows:

ST. JOHN, EAST.

	No. of Voters.
Simonds	606
St. Martins	608
Stanley	221
Victoria	755
Dufferin	995
Prince	1165
	4350

ST. JOHN, CENTRE.

	No. of Voters.
Kings	666
Queens	885
Wellington	1056
Dukes	700
Sydney	571
	3878

ST. JOHN, WEST.

	No. of Voters.
Lansdowne	970
Lorne	914
Brooks	408
Guys	702
Lancaster	787
Musquash	230
	4011

The non resident voters 582 in number most of whom vote on property in the old city, would bring up the figures of St. John centre to those of St. John east. Such an arrangement as is here indicated would be fair to all sections of the city and county and would meet with general approval. We recommend Mr. Blair to substitute this division of the county of St. John for the one in his bill.

THE BLAIR INQUIRY.

Dr. Atkinson yesterday moved a resolution for an inquiry into the conduct of Mr. Blair, the leader of the government, and other persons connected with the Leary dock scheme. Dr. Atkinson charges that in anticipation of the general provincial elections held in January last, an agreement or arrangement was entered into by the Hon. Andrew G. Blair, and one James D. Leary whereby the said J. D. Leary, by himself and his agents or such other persons, agreed to furnish a large sum of money to assist and aid the said Andrew G. Blair and his colleagues in securing their elections and the election of some of his supporters, in consideration that the provincial government would enter into and deliver to the said J. D. Leary, or in his name, a contract for the construction of certain dock and harbor improvements in the said city of St. John; that the said Hon. Andrew G. Blair, under the said arrangement, did by himself and his agents, receive from the said J. D. Leary and his agents a large sum of money, to wit, several thousands of dollars, to aid him and his supporters in the election at the said general election, on the understanding that the said J. D. Leary should receive the contract for said docks and works, and the contract between the government and the said J. D. Leary for said dock and works, dated the 17th day of January last, was delivered to said J. D. Leary's agent or some one or other person aforesaid alleged as interested in said contract, upon such payment being made and in consideration thereof.

Dr. Atkinson's resolution for a committee to inquire into these charges was amended, at the instance of the Solicitor General, so as to restrict the inquiry to the specific charges contained in the resolution. Mr. Blair waived the usual two days notice in order to enable the resolution to be passed at once, but this does not prevent the Sun or its Fredericton correspondent from raising a cry that the inquiry is to be burked and the work of the committee defeated. The truth of the matter is that the object of the change is to place the matter in such a shape that the committee will be able to deal with it. It would suit the Sun's purposes very well to so widen the inquiry that no end could ever be reached by the committee, the matter being left hanging without any decision, simply that political ammunition might be made out of these false charges. The government are right not to permit this, but to demand an instant examination into the matter so that the committee may report upon the charges at the earliest possible moment.

The reader who is in search of historical parallels will find a curious similarity between those false charges against Mr. Blair and these brought against Sir John A. Macdonald seventeen years ago. Yet who thinks the less of the honored leader of the government of Canada because he was made the object of such attacks.

THE MAYORALTY ELECTION.

The Mayoralty election yesterday resulted in the return of Mr. W. A. Lockhart by a majority of 404 over his opponent Mr. John Chesley. Mayor Lockhart received 1814 and Mr. Chesley 1410 votes so that 3224 votes were polled altogether. The Sun seeks to throw contempt on Mr. Chesley's candidature this morning by stating that only one half of the qualified electors voted, a statement which is not true and which if true would be nothing to the purpose. Mr. Lockhart's vote was undoubtedly much smaller than it would have been had he possessed an efficient organization, but this was lacking and little or no effort was made to bring voters to the polls on his behalf. Mr. Lockhart, however, in spite of these deficiences had a majority not only in Carleton but in all the old city wards on the east side. He had also a majority in Dufferin ward and tied Mr. Chesley in Stanley, but in Lorne, Lansdowne and Victoria Mr. Chesley had a majority of the votes cast. Briefly stated the vote in the several districts of the city was as follows.

	Lockhart	Chesley
Carleton	325	104
Old City, east side	1061	781
Portland	428	625
	1814	1410

It will be seen from the above that Mr. Chesley's majority in Portland was 197, but that in the six old city wards on the east side Mr. Lockhart had a majority of 380, while in Carleton his majority was 221. The result therefore did not depend on the Carleton vote, as it was thought it might do, for without the Carleton vote Mr. Lockhart would still have been elected by a majority of 183.

The issue upon which the election of yesterday was fought was the dock scheme which has been before the council for some time past. It was well known that Mr. Lockhart was favorable to this great plan of harbor improvement and this fact was used as a canvass against him. Yesterday morning, as a final effort the following "dodger," which was probably printed at the Sun office, was distributed at all the polling places by the thousand:—

ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN
Cast Your Vote To-Day Against
The Infamous
LEARY DOCK SCHEME!
and in
Favor of Chesley
and Wharf and Warehouse
and Harbor Improvements,
To be Undertaken by Our Own People,
And to be owned and controlled by our City.
Don't Allow the
Connors-Kelly Clique and Combination
To take charge of our
City Government!

This well meant effort to influence the voters does not seem to have helped Mr. Chesley and it was probably not issued with his sanction. It has upon it the ear-mark of a certain very busy person in Wellington ward who has been running the campaign there for Chesley and issuing manifestoes and pronunciamentos at a great rate. The result of his efforts was expected to give Chesley a majority of 175 in that ward, but the defeated candidate did not get as many as 175 votes altogether in Wellington and came out of that ward 31 votes behind Mr. Lockhart. Queens ward was another surprise to the Chesley party; for it gave Lockhart 114 of a majority while Dukes brought him out 61 ahead of his opponent. The result was the triumphant indorsement of Mr. Lockhart by the electors of St. John, in spite of all the influences that were used to defeat him. The people of St. John have declared by their vote that they want harbor improvements and they are neither to be bribed nor persuaded out of their preference. Today a sort of paralysis has fallen on the enemies of St. John and they can hardly be made to understand that the solid voters of this city are not with them. We congratulate Mr. Lockhart on his election because in this election he has stood in the interests of real progress and not been the representative of a clique who care nothing for St. John but only to fill their own pockets. We regret that Mr. Chesley allowed himself to be brought forward by men who are opposed to St. John interests, for otherwise he had claims on the electors of this city which could not have been easily set aside.

INTERCOLONIAL FREIGHT TARIFF.

The gross injustice of the new Intercolonial freight tariff cannot be better illustrated than by reference to its operation on the shingle industry of the North Shore. During the past eighteen months upwards of forty shingle mills have been built in that part of New Brunswick, and although the proprietors of these mills considered that the tariff on the Intercolonial for their products was high, still they were willing to run the risk of doing business under it. But the new tariff completely upsets all their calculations, and will probably result in the closing of the greater number of the mills. Under the old tariff the freight on a car of shingles with the capacity of 30,000 pounds from Campbellton to the city of St. John, a distance of 274 miles, was $30. Under the new tariff the freight on the same carload of shingles is $42, an increase of $12, or 40 per cent. over the old rate. This is brought about by a curious arrangement which requires the railway authorities to charge every car laden with shingles or other produce at its full capacity as regards weight. Now a 30,000 pounds car will only contain 24,000 pounds weight of shingles, these articles being bulky in proportion to their weight, so that one fifth more is always charged on shingles when counted by weight in this manner than ought to be exacted. To show how unfairly the shingle trade is being dealt with we may cite the instance of the rates on coal from Springhill Junction to Chaudiere on the Intercolonial. The distance from Springhill to Chaudiere is 556 miles, and the Intercolonial railway will carry a ton of coal weighing 2240 pounds this distance for $1.67. Thus a fifteen ton car of coal of 33,600 pounds is carried 556 miles for $25,05, while $42,00 is exacted for the carriage of about ten tons of shingles 274 miles, or less than half the distance. At the same rate which is charged on coal from Springhill to Chaudiere Junction car loads of shingles ought to be carried from Campbellton to St. John for about $12 or considerably less than one third of the present rate; whereas if the shingle rate was applied to the coal of Springhill it would cost about $90 a car from Springhill to Chaudiere, or nearly four times the present rate.

It may be proper to make some distinction between the coal rate and the rate on shingles, but why should the distinction be so great as to virtually wipe out one industry while coddling another? The lumber industry of New Brunswick is of as quite as great importance as the coal industry of Nova Scotia, and there is no reason whatever why they should receive different treatment at the hands of the government. This is a matter which demands instant action on the part of the railway authorities, because it is one which vitally affects one of the great industries of this country. We trust that the government will lose no time in doing justice to the interests of New Brunswick in regard to the freight rates on the Intercolonial.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

A fortnight ago we warned Mr. Chesley that he was to be "knifed" by W. H. Thorne and his friends in order that his claims to be the candidate of the party at the next Dominion election might be disposed of. Mr. Chesley probably now gives THE GAZETTE credit for being correct in its predictions.

THE GAZETTE yesterday again demonstrated its immense superiority to the Globe, by the manner which it handled the election returns. The polls closed at 4 o'clock, and owing to the perfect arrangments previously made, the last returns were received in this office at 4.28. At 4.32 the paper with the full returns in it, was put to press, and at 4.40, it was being sold at Chubbs' corner, at the head of King street and at the Railway station by the active newsboys of THE GAZETTE. The tardy Globe did not get its third edition out for fully fifteen minutes after THE GAZETTE appeared.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Yesterday Afternoon's Proceedings.

FREDERICTON, April 8.

Mr. Phinney committed the bill relating to the registration and qualification of dental surgeons, Mr. Hibbard in the chair. Mr. Phinney explained the bill at considerable length and spoke of the importance of the proposed legislation.

Mr. Hanington was in favor of the principle of the bill, but strongly opposed to sub section 2 of section 23. The passage of such a section would interfere with the living of some men at present engaged in dental work. He was also opposed to section 6 of the bill which discriminated in favor of college trained men over those who had not had the benefit of a college.

The first five sections passed with little or no amendment. Section 6 read as follows: "No dentist or dental surgeon shall be appointed a member of the council who has not at least three years before the date of appointment obtained a degree from some university or college of dentistry recognized by the society under section 23 of this act." After considerable discussion this section was amended as follows: Strike out the words "who has not at least three years before the date of appointment" and insert in lieu thereof "unless he shall have practiced dentistry within the province for a period of five years or has;" also strike out all the words after dentistry in the third line and insert the words, "entitling him to be registered under this act." Sections from 7 to 22 inclusive passed with little or no change. Section 23 read as follows: "No person shall be entitled to be registered under this act unless he shall satisfy the registrar by proper evidence: 1, That he has fulfilled all the requirements for graduation in dentistry in any one of the colleges or dental schools in the United States of America, recognized by the national association of dental faculties, or in any other college or dental school recognized by the council; or, 2, that he has been practising dentistry in this province for a period of five years previous to the passing of this act, provided, that if any applicant for registration or any registered dentist or dental surgeon is disatisfied with the decision of the registrar he may appeal to the council whose decision shall be final."

Mr. Hanington moved that this section be amended as follows: Strike out all of subsection 2 and insert—"That he was practising dentistry in this province before the first day of January, 1889, and has since that time continued regularly to practice as a dentist or dental surgeon therein."

Dr. Alward said it afforded him much pleasure to second the amendment. Five years was too long a time. The feeling among the dental profession in St. John was that the time should not exceed two years. The suggestion to make it five years seems to have been made after the bill had been considered by the Moncton dental men.

Mr. Hanington's amendment was carried, Mr. Hetherington speaking strongly in its favor and the section was further amended as follows: Strike out all after the word "Registrar" and insert "The question shall be referred to the council for its decision and any person objecting to the decision of the council may appeal to the governor in council. The governor in council is hereby empowered to affirm, alter or in any way reverse the decision of the council, and the council shall forthwith give effect to such decision on appeal."

Section 42 was struck out altogether, and other amendments were made of lesser importance. The bill, as amended, was then agreed to.

Dr. Atkinson made his motion, seconded by Dr. Lewis, regarding the Fredericton Park Association government stables, etc. Dr. Atkinson said he had made a motion last year with the view of learning whether the ground upon which the government stables were located belonged to the province or not. He was then informed by the government that the ground was leased by the Fredericton Park Association, and that the government stables were built there under an arrangement between the government and the Fredericton Park Association. He (Atkinson) has now reason to believe that there is no such arrangement and that the Fredericton Park Association really has the government in its power.

Hon. Mr. Blair—The papers referred to in the resolution will be furnished without an address. They will, perhaps, be ready in the morning and will show that on this matter as in many others the hon. member has been very much misinformed.

Mr. Hibbard committed the bill authorizing the trustees of the Saint George First Baptist church, in the village of St. George, Charlotte Co., to sell and convey certain lands, Mr. McKeown in the chair.

Agreed to.

Dr. Alward committed the bill amending the law incorporating the Dominion Safety Fund Life Association, Dr. Lewis in the chair.

Progress was reported with leave to sit again.

Mr. Poirier committed the bill in further amendment of chapter 99 of the consolidated statutes of municipalities, Mr. Shaw in the chair.

Agreed to with amendments.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill incorporating Blackville Public Hall Co.

Dr. Atkinson made a lengthy statement, after which he recited all his charges in the following notice of motion, which was seconded by Mr. Turner:—

"Resolved, That M. C. Atkinson, a member of this house having stated in his place that he is credibly informed and believes that he can establish by satisfactory evidence, that in anticipation of the general provincial elections held in January last, an agreement or arrangement was entered into by the Hon. Andrew G. Blair, attorney general and leader of the government, and one James D. Leary and other persons interested in the making by, and procuring from the government to said J. D. Leary a contract for the construction of docks and harbor improvements in the city of St. John, whereby the said J. D. Leary, by himself and his agents or such other persons, agreed to furnish a large sum of money to assist and aid the said Andrew G. Blair and his colleagues in securing their elections and the election of some of his supporters, in consideration that the provincial government would enter into and deliver to the said J. D. Leary, or in his name, a contract for the construction of certain dock and harbor improvements in the said city of St. John; that the said Hon. Andrew G. Blair, under the said arrangement, did by himself and his agents, receive from the said J. D. Leary and his agents a large sum of money, to wit, several thousands of dollars, to aid him and his supporters in the election at the said general election, on the understanding that the said J. D. Leary should receive the contract for said docks and works, and the contract between the government and the said J. D. Leary for said dock and works, dated the 17th day of January last, was delivered to said J. D. Leary's agent for some one or other person aforesaid alleged as interested in said contract, upon such payment being made and in consideration thereof and in connexion therewith. Therefore;

"Resolved, That a committee of seven members be appointed to inquire as to the allegations and facts aforesaid, and all circumstances connected with the matters in question, and into the negotiations and circumstances connected with the granting and delivery of said contract for docks and works to said J. D. Leary and his agents, with power to send for persons, papers and records and to examine witnesses under oath, agreeable to the provisions of the statute and act of assembly in such cases made and provided, and all other powers then thereunto enabling and with instructions to report in full the evidence taken before all the proceedings of said committee."

It was moved by Hon. Mr. Pugsley, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell, as follows:—

"Strike out all after the word therewith at the end of the recital of the charge and insert the following:—

"And whereas, The said Andrew G. Blair is desirous that the said committee be appointed without delay, and the inquiry into the said charge proceeded with immediately; therefore

"Resolved, That a committee consisting of five members of this house be appointed to inquire into the said charges against the said Andrew G. Blair and into all the facts and circumstances connected with the matter of the said charge with power to send for persons, papers and records and to examine witnesses under oath, agreeably to the provisions of the statute and act of assembly in such case made and provided, and all other powers thereunto enabling and with instructions to report in full evidence taken before the committee and all the proceedings of said committee."

Hon. Mr. Blair said as the resolution involved a serious charge against himself he desired that there should be no delay in having the fullest investigation. With the consent of the house he would ask that the committee be appointed immediately instead of waiting the usual two days before making the motion. If anything could be proved against his public character, against him as one of the people's representatives, he was anxious that the investigation should be commenced without a moment's unnecessary delay.

Mr. Hanington—The leader of the government is taking the course that I would adopt under similar circumstances. There will be no objection from this side of the house to an immediate appointment of the committee.

Recess till 7.30 o'clock.

After considerable discussion Hon. Mr. Pugsley's amendment was carried, the vote being:—

Yeas—Mitchell, Ryan, Pugsley, Tweedie Leblanc, Poirier, Russell, Theriault, Harrison, Melanson, Palmer, Hibbard, Hetherington, Murray, Wilson, Robinson, Ketchum, Douglass, Baird, Labillois, Bellamy, Anderson, O'Brien—23.

Nays—Hanington, Stockton, Turner, Phinney, Alward, Atkinson, Lewis, Stevens, Powell, Rourke, Smith, McKeown, Perley—13.

Mr. Shaw and Mr. Burchill paired.

Mr. Speaker said he would appoint the committee in the morning.

Bills were introduced: By Mr. Shaw, in addition to the act to unite St. John and Portland to amend the charter of the city of St. John and the laws relating to civic government; by Dr. Alward, enabling the rector, church wardens, and vestry of St. John's church, St. John, to issue debentures; by Mr. Phinney, enabling Kent municipality to issue debentures in lieu of other debentures about to be called in.

The house adjourned till tomorrow morning.

SELLING POISONS.

Druggists up in Arms Against the Bill to Amend the Pharmacy Act.

The bill which passed in the House of Assembly yesterday morning providing for the amendment of the N. B. Pharmacy Act, of 1884, has raised quite a commotion among the druggists of the city. Under the bill it shall not be lawful for any registered druggist or pharmacist to sell any person arsenic, chloroform, chloral, hydrate, croton, cocaine, opium or its preparations, or strychnine, without a written prescription from a duly registered physician being produced each time that any such sale is made; one prescription shall only be available for one sale at the time of its production; such pharmaceutist shall always keep a record of each such sale in a book for that purpose, stating therein the date of the sale, the name and address of the purchaser, the name and quality of the poison and the purpose for which it is represented by the purchaser to be required and the name of the dispenser thereof. Such book shall always be open for inspection by the proper health and police authorities, and shall be preserved for reference for at least five years. Any registered druggist or pharmaceutist, who shall violate or knowingly permit the violation of the preceding section shall incur a penalty of forty dollars and costs of prosecution.

Mr. H. W. Barker, of the firm of T. B. Barker & Sons, says that the bill will be very prejudicial to the interests of the wholesale drug trade of the province, as country dealers requiring poisons, such as those named, can easily purchase them in the other provinces where no such regulation is enforced. There are also other ways in which it would very seriously interfere with business; for instance, the selling of arsenic in large quantities to shipping men for use in paint.

Mr. C. W. Parker said these proposed changes were absurd and would interfere materially with the retail trade and cause a great deal of inconvenience, as for instance, a person wanting a few cents worth of paregoric would have to go to a physician and pay a dollar for a prescription before they could secure it. The change would practically throw the whole control of the sale of poisons of different kinds into the hands of the physicians.

Mr. H. W. Barker, representing the wholesale interests, and Mr. C. W. Parker for the retail druggists, went as delegates to Fredericton last evening to try to have the objectionable features of the bill put right. Mr. C. P. Clarke left this morning to assist them in their efforts.

A COUGH

is a symptom of many diseases, including Inflamation of the Lungs and Phthisis. Often a cough is neglected, the patient believing it to be only a trifling affair, but when it once takes hold of the Lungs how difficult to cure.

OFTEN

you hear the patient say, "Oh, it's only a cough. I'll soon be over it," and so he lets it run until he can't be cured, and thus he brings his career to an early close,—all caused by simple neglect or refusal to take proper remedies and thus many a life

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that might have been prolonged but for carelessness. Don't neglect a cough; time and money can be saved by attending to it at once. Physicians now agree that Cod Liver Oil is the best remedy to use in all pulmonary diseases, and

In Consumption

it is prescribed extensively; but they often find that the patient cannot take it, as the stomach refuses to retain it. Estey's Cod Liver Oil Cream can be retained by the most delicate stomach,—it is as pleasant as milk. Try it. All druggists sell it.

PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBE
PHILLIPS' Cod Liver Oil
—WITH THE—
WHEAT PHOSPHATES.
Miscible with Milk or Water and just as Palatable.
Retainable on the most delicate Stomach, and digested with ease.
FOR THE RELIEF AND CURE OF
CONSUMPTION, BRONCHITIS, SCROFULOUS AND WASTING DISEASES, COUGHS, COLDS AND LUNG AFFECTIONS,
AND AS A FLESH MAKER,
IT HAS NO EQUAL.
For sale by all Chemists.
PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA
FOR DYSPEPSIA.
Phillips' Phospho-Muriate of Quinine Compound. THE TONIC OF THE DAY.

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Restores the color, beauty and softness to Grey Hair, and
IS NOT A DYE.
AT ALL CHEMISTS. 50 CENTS A BOTTLE

Stop that CHRONIC COUGH NOW!
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Of Pure Cod Liver Oil and HYPOPHOSPHITES Of Lime and Soda.
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To Those Anxious to secure the best, but who are in doubt as to what is the best among so many claimants, we beg to say that we will cheerfully refund the amount paid and all other expenses to all purchasers of

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who, after a fair trial, are not thoroughly satisfied that it is all we claim for it in every respect, and superior to any other cook stove made.

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Sydney Street, St. John, N. B.
DAVID CONNELL.
Horses Boarded on Reasonable Terms.
Horses and Carriages on Hire. Fine Fit-outs at Short Notice.

A Danger Signal!

A Cold in the Head may be aptly termed a danger signal warning you that if neglected that dangerous and disagreeable disease, Catarrh, be sure to follow, perhaps leading to Consumption, and the grave. At no season in the year is Cold in the Head more prevalent than during the Spring months, and at no other season do the people of this country suffer more generally from Catarrh, with all its disagreeable and annoying effects. Do not for an instant neglect either of these troubles, but apply NASAL BALM, the only remedy that will give instant relief and effect a thorough cure. The following testimonials, from among thousands in our possession bear witness to its sterling merit.

Wm. M. Lucas, Dempsey Corners, N. S., writing for a second supply of Nasal Balm says: On Sept. 21 I got two bottles from you, and it has done me more good for Catarrh than all the other numerous and costly remedies and treatment I had tried. I feel better now than I have for years, and have every reason to believe the two bottles I am now sending for will completely cure me. I consider Nasal Balm worth its weight in gold to any person suffering from Catarrh.

Wm. Clark, baggage master, W & A. Railway, Annapolis, N. S., writes: Please send me another bottle of Nasal Balm as my first bottle is gone, and I believe, had I used it according to instructions it would have cured me; as it is I am very much better, in fact feel like another person.

Wm. Chase Hanley, postmaster, Spry Bay, N. S., says:—I submit the following to the public that any one who may be afflicted may be benefitted by the same remedy. Two bottles of your Nasal Balm has restored to perfect health a four year old child of ours suffering from Catarrh.

Robert C. Woodman, Digby, N. S., writes as follows: Enclosed find $1 for another large bottle of Nasal Balm which you will please send me by first mail. The bottle I sent for some time ago benefitted me very much more than any other preparation I ever tried.

Mrs. M. Ray, Canso, N. S., writes: I have used Nasal Balm, on several occasions with the children for cold in the head, and always find it effects a rapid cure.

Nasal Balm. Instantly Relieves **Cold in Head.**

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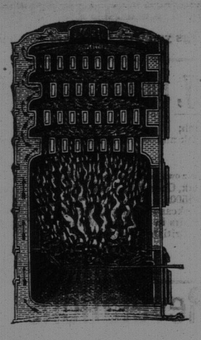

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