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"I was certainly glad to find that within a week I felt much better, the terrible pains in the back and side were beginning to cease, and at the time of menstruation I did not have nearly as serious a time as heretofore, so I continued its use for two months, and at the end of that time I was like a new woman. I really have never felt better in my life, have not had a sick headache since, and weigh 30 pounds more than I ever did, so I unhesitatingly recommend your medicine."—Mrs. MAY HAULE, Edgerton, Wis., President Household Economics Club.

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LETTERS FROM

"OLD BOYS"

Sarnia, May 9, 1894.

Mr. W. W. Scame, Chatham:

Dear Sir,—Enclosed you will find a list of the names of all the Chatham old boys I know in this vicinity. Possibly some of those on the list can name more.

I can't answer for any of the others, but I for one will be in the "old town" for the Re-union.

Wishing you success in your enterprise, I remain,

Yours truly,

A. A. PERRY.

P. S.—If there is anything I can do here I would be willing and pleased to help.

A. A. P.

Sault Ste. Marie, May 8, '04.

Mr. W. W. Scame, Chatham:

Dear Sir,—I have delayed acknowledging your invitation to come home to the Chatham Old Boys' Re-union with the hope that I would be able to tell you of the coming of a small tribe of "Soo Indians." There are several Chatham old boys and girls in this vicinity, but it is difficult to locate them, though I have advertised for their addresses. Will do what I can, however, and you can at least count on having one "Bill Bailey" from this far north yours,

Very truly yours,

W. A. BRESSEY.

Essex, Ont., May 9, 1904.

Mr. W. W. Scame, Esq., Sec. C. O. B's, Homing, Chatham:

My Dear Friend,—I wish to thank you for including me among the "O



Sickness steals more savings than the burglar. Slowly, coin by coin, the money that has been so hard earned is paid out for drugs and doctors. Sickness is the worst enemy of the working man, and the common cause of the working man's sickness is disease of the stomach often involving the heart, lungs, liver, or kidneys.

The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will stop the stealing of the savings by sickness. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It cures diseases of heart, liver, lungs, kidneys, etc., when these diseases are caused by the diseased condition of the stomach and its allied organs.

"About ten years ago I began to have trouble with my stomach," writes Wm. Connolly, of 335 Walnut Street, Lorain, Ohio, "it got so bad I had to lay off quite often two and three days in a week, my stomach would bloated, and I would belch up gas, and was in awful distress at such times. I have employed and been treated by the best doctors in the city but got no help whatever. By some way or other I happened to get hold of a trial of your 'Pelle's' and I thought they helped me. It was then I wrote to you for advice. You told me that by my symptoms you thought I had liver complaint, and advised the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' in connection. These medicines I have taken as directed, and am very happy to state that I commenced to get better from the start and have not lost a day this summer on account of my stomach. I feel lighter, and better than I have for ten years."

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O. B's." and at the same time apologize for not sooner acknowledging your kind invitation to join in the Re-union.

The pleasant reminiscences of my life lead back to Chatham, and I shall certainly make an effort to be with you for a day or two at least.

With very best wishes for the entire success of the project, I am now, and ever shall be One of the "Boys,"

JNO. EARLE JENNER.

P. S.—If you issue invitations to the "C. O. B's," and I presume you do, don't forget Miss Houston, who is at present teaching in our High School here.

Windsor, Ont., May 10, '04.

Mr. W. W. Scame, Esq., Chatham, Ont.:

Dear Sir,—Am in receipt of circular letter re "Old Boys' Re-union" and Street Carnival. Much pleased to learn that the old home town is to have a home-gathering of its former sons and daughters. It will no doubt be a huge success, for if the same energy is displayed by those at the head of the affair as was displayed by some of the old boys who years ago were at the head of affairs at 24th of May celebrations, you will witness tremendous crowds, unlimited enthusiasm and a real warm gathering.

I shall deem it a chance of a lifetime to renew the acquaintance of earlier years with companions, friends and chums, and will be with you for a few days at the time of gathering.

A number of the old boys took home's fair damsel—now old girls—when they left the home nest, and these too, of course, will be welcome home again. We will be proud to bring them and show to the younger generation that Chatham's reputation for having lovely women, dates from away back and that the boys know how to choose helpmates that in the after years would prove to be blessings in disguise.

Wishing you and those associated with you in the scheme unlimited success, I remain,

Yours truly,

S. B. BEST.

POSITIVE ANTIDOTE

Washington, May 11.—It was announced last night at the annual banquet of the Association of American Physicians that as the result of researches by Dr. Noguchi, of Japan, working under a grant from the Carnegie Institution, a positive antidote for rattlesnake venom had been discovered.

The announcement was made by Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, of Philadelphia, who read a letter from Dr. Noguchi, who is now at the Serum Institution in Copenhagen, where he has been making his researches for the past several months. From the nature of the announcement it is believed by the physicians who were present that the serum which Dr. Noguchi says he has discovered will prove to be of great value in human therapeutics.

The fact that the announcement of the discovery was made by Mr. Mitchell is of particular interest, as more than forty years ago the latter worked long and unsuccessfully on the problem that has been solved by Dr. Noguchi.

The letter to Dr. Mitchell from the Japanese physician did not contain a great many details, but said that the serum had been obtained from the blood of goats and could probably be secured as well from horses, as in the case of serums at present.

In Dr. Noguchi's experiments he found that guinea pigs that had received injections of rattlesnake poison up to twelve times the amount necessary to produce death and had then received injections of the antivenereal serum experienced no ill effects from the poison.

Dr. Noguchi also believes that this discovery will lead shortly to the discovery of serums for other poisons, and that it will not be long before

the serums will be placed on the market particularly in regions where the rattlesnake is always a factor to be reckoned with.

KING OF IRISH HEARTS.

Catholic Register.

When Edward VII. first set foot on Irish soil as king, it was to the people his right hand was extended. The customary armed guard having been pressed upon him he declined it with the now historic declaration that he needed no guards between him and the hearts of the Irish people. When he addressed the faculty of Trinity College, it was to the figures of Grattan and Burke he pointed with admiration, and when he appeared within the walls of the Catholic College at Maynooth his words likewise told of warm sympathy with the unquenchable aspirations of Irish nationhood. Go where he will through the green isle to-day, King Edward will meet none but welcoming faces and he will also see in those faces high hope and anticipation of national recovery where his predecessors read very different emotions. Ireland will be completely happy one of these days with home rule realized under Edward as her King.

THE CLERK MADE A SLIGHT MISTAKE.

Cornhill Magazine.

It is occasionally difficult to realize that a man is deaf till something suddenly makes us apprehend it. I think of the clerk of a country church who was once much exercised at the appearance of a strange old gentleman who when the service was about to begin took a trumpet (in two parts) out of his pocket and began screwing them together. The clerk watched him till the process was completed, and then, going stealthily up, whispered: "Yeow marn't play that here. Do, I'll turn ye' out."

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OWNED BY CANADIANS.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 11.—With regard to a report published here today, to the effect that the Attorney General's Department of Ontario will direct the stopping of a proposed boxing match at Fort Erie Monday next, Manager Carey of the International Athletic Club, is quoted in an interview as saying: "There is absolutely nothing to it whatever. It was stated that the Attorney General was criticised because Americans owned the club, and fostered the boxing sport in Fort Erie when it was

barred in New York. All I need say to this is that there is not one American interested in this international club. Every official is a Canadian, and a resident voter of the Dominion. We own 95 per cent of the stock, and will own the other five in a few days. The sport of boxing is perfectly legal in Canada, as decision after decision has proved, and as the boxing bouts daily in England, South Africa, Australia and other places prove." Mr. Carey concludes by stating that the "show will take place as advertised for the 16th, or next Monday night."

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