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SATURDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 30, 1883

NOTICE.

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Ship Guns Bursting.

Within the last few months there has been an epidemic of gun-bursting. First of all we had the Krupp naval gun, which burst on board ship; then, on October 18 a 28-centimeter German breech-loading gun at Wilhelmshaven, when the men being all under cover, no damage appears to have been done to life. The pieces of the gun were thrown more than 100 yards. A little later in October a 6-inch breech-loading gun at Shoeburyness, again burst without damage to life. The reason for its failure was found to be a flaw in the inner steel tube, which could not be seen till the burst took place. Another gun, not to be left long behindhand, followed with the burst of a breech-loading mortar at Felixdorf on November 7. This time, unhappily, the French magazine was struck in its account, a captain was killed by a fragment of the gun and a lieutenant severely wounded. The French magazine of the two German guns, each burst represents a different method of manufacture. What an apple of discord for the artillery!

"The gratifying action of St. Jacobs Oil in my case," says Mr. John S. Krim, agent for the N. Y. & E. Trans. Co., pier 7, North River, New York, "gives me unlimited confidence in its great general curative power, and I freely recommend it."

Steel Bars vs. Bells.

In some places in Europe steel bars are used in preference to bells, supplanting them sometimes in churches, and producing a more pure, distinct and melodious sound. An English writer even advocates their general use, on the ground that while in point of sonority they are equal to the common bell, in certain other respects they are to be preferred to it. The weight will be lighter in comparison to the ponderous object used to replace it; they will be more durable, and will give more of the desired tone. They are not liable to crack, as is the case with bells, and are, therefore, adapted for use in any climate; they can also be operated by a simple mechanical contrivance. They are also much cheaper than bells.

That Husband of Mine.

In three times the man he was before he began using "Wells' Health Renewer." Dr. Druggist.

King Kalakaua's Coronation.

King Kalakaua is to be crowned with great pomp and ceremony in his new palace in February. An Omaha reporter thus describes the radiant vestments to be worn by the king and his royal spouse on the occasion: "The royal diadems are modeled after those of Russia, and the crown to be worn by the king is larger than that of his consort. They are nearly oval, and are richly ornamented with a cross at the apex, brilliantly studded with diamonds and other precious stones, and on either side are gold kato leaves, a plant highly prized by the people of the Hawaiian kingdom. The king's scepter is composed of solid silver, inlaid with gold. The royal robes are purple, with ermine border."

Don't Die in the House.

"Rough on Cats" clears out rats, mice, roaches, bed-bugs, fleas, ants, moles, chipmunks, gophers, etc.

Not Wanted in Winnipeg.

There is a limit even to Winnipeg's power of furnishing situations to the indigent poor of the east. The legal profession is full of overworking. The medical is in the same state. Engineers and surveyors are more than abundant. Clerks, bookkeepers, accountants, etc. are a drug on the market.

A Handsome New Addition.

We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement in another column of Petley & Petley. This firm is about to pull down the greater portion of their present building to build a handsome new addition, and will therefore offer assembling bargains, particularly in carpets and other heavy goods in order to reduce as much as possible their large stock.

Gaining a World Wide Reputation.

About 150,000 bottles of medicine and 3000 Splanometers, the invention of M. Souville of Paris and ex-aid surgeon of the French army, have been used by physicians and patients during the last year for the cure of catarrh, cystitis, leucorrhoea, bronchitis, asthma, consumption in its first stages and many diseases of the head, throat and lungs. Consultations with any of the surgeons belonging to the institute free. Poor people showing certificates can have splanometers free. Write enclosing stamp for pamphlet giving full information to either of the Canadian offices where competent English and French specialists are always in charge. Address International Throat and Lung Institute, 13 Phillips square, Montreal, P. Q., or 173 Church street, Toronto, Ont.

The Standard Publishing Co have in stock a large and varied assortment of holiday goods in quantities and prices to suit every one. Special value in photo and auto albums, cards, etc.

About Legs.

Have reasoned with myself as to whether the small heads frequently seen on our beaus are the result of too little nourishment from the legs underneath, or whether the legs ought to be—and are not—fed from the spoonful of brains. This reminds me of a mishap which befell Signor Clampi-Cellaj, who sang in the role of Aeneas at the Academy of Music on a recent evening. The spectators were startled to see one of his legs suddenly grow thin from the knee half way down the calf, at which point a bunch like a hot-air balloon protruded itself. The faculty, whatever it was made of, had dropped from its fastening and lodged in a heap. The unfortunate artist did not know what the people were laughing at, and mistook the hilarity for evidence that the comicalities of his part were successful. Modjeska, as dressed in a boy's costume for Rosalinda at Booth's theatre, made no great display of limbs, padded or otherwise, and was altogether a lovely picture. A round, black velvet hat, with a border cut in squares, surmounted a lousy, dark wig. The doublet was black and fell a few inches below the waist. The tights were dark silk, and the boots were tight-fitting leggings, or boots of brown leather. A cape of dark cloth, faced with satin of the same color, hung from her left shoulder almost to the knee, and gave a charming picturesque appearance. Modjeska is not as young as she was ten years ago, but her figure is as trim, her movements as large, and her face as delicately expressive. Last Monday night Modjeska made a complete surrender of her legs to the public, the occasion being her first appearance as Viola in "Twelfth Night." She wore drag-trights from hips to heels, when disguised as a page, and smooth except by simulated garters just below the knees. The display was most satisfactory, and yet the actress was so nervous that the performance got general newspaper condemnation the next morning. It is true that as Rosalinda she had done without skirts, but in that case her limbs found refuge, at least as to their lower halves, in leggings, while here her entire legs were making their debut. They seemed post-jerkily and were painfully self-conscious. The ease and grace of the lamented Nilson's walk and pose in this same character of Viola were lacking. Modjeska's costume was jaunty and beautiful, but suggestive of a burlesque outfit, and I wondered when I saw a clerical old chap chasing her all around the stage with the focus of his opera glass whether he realized that, though he was studying Shakespeare, he was enjoying exactly what those wicked people do who go to see the English blondes.

Fit, Fit, Fit.

Successfully treated by World's Dispensary Medical Association, Address with stamp for pamphlet, Buffalo, N. Y.

Beer by the Million Gallons.

From statistics which have been recently compiled by the officials of the United States internal revenue department, and which have been supplied by General Max Weber, collector of the third district in this city, it appears that during the year 1881, 90,000,000 gallons of beer were consumed in this country, and 750,000,000 on the continent of Europe and in Great Britain and Ireland. The total value of this beer may be computed at not less than \$250,000,000; and of the whole quantity England, Scotland and Ireland used as much as 282,000,000 gallons, or nearly one-third, the population drinking at the rate of about eight and a half gallons each per annum. In Germany 240,000,000 gallons were consumed, at the rate of some five and a half gallons per head. The United States stand third on the list, the average being about two and a half gallons for each inhabitant. The consumption in Austria amounted to 72,000,000 gallons, or at the rate of two gallons per head. Belgium, considering the number of its inhabitants, drinks more beer than any other nation in the world. Her people swallow upon the average nine gallons of beer each per annum, and the total amount used last year in the country was 48,000,000 gallons. France consumed exactly the same quantity, but her population being six times that of Belgium, each of her inhabitants drank only about one and one-half gallons. Russia, which consumed only 1,800,000 gallons, alone excepted, consumed at the rate of three and a half gallons per head. The sum spent for beer in 1881 by the various countries may be roughly computed as follows: Great Britain, \$72,000,000; Germany, \$60,000,000; United States, \$250,000,000; Austria, \$290,000,000; Belgium, \$14,000,000; France, \$115,000,000; and Russia, \$500,000. The Belgian, therefore, may be considered as the greatest beer-drinker; and this is as it should be, for Belgium is the home of the modern system of brewing. It is said to be borne in mind, however, that since little beer, comparatively speaking, is consumed in Scotland and Ireland, where whiskey is the "national" beverage, England, if taken without them, still maintains her old pre-eminence. John Bull's family drinking probably at the rate of at least ten gallons per head per annum.

Catarh—A New Treatment.

From the Weekly (Toronto) Mail, Aug. 5. Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been attained in the cure of catarh. Out of two thousand patients treated during the past six months, 1800 have been cured. This is one of the least startling when it is remembered that not five per cent of patients presenting themselves to the regular practitioner are benefited, while the patient medicines and other advertised cures never record a cure at all. Starting with the claim now generally believed by the most scientific men that the disease is due to the presence of living parasites in the tissue, Mr. Dixon at once adapted his cure. Their extermination—this accomplished, he claims the catarh is practically cured and the permanency is unquestioned, as cures effected by him ten years ago are cures still. No one else has ever attempted to cure catarh in this manner, and no other treatment has ever cured catarh. The application of the remedy is simple and can be done at home, and the present season of the year is the most favorable for a speedy and permanent cure, the majority of cases being cured at once. For further particulars, send a card to Mr. A. H. Dixon, 305 and 307 King street west, Toronto, Canada, and enclose stamp for literature on catarh.

Best and Cheapest for Suffering.

"Brown's Household Panacea" has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures Pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago, and any kind of pain or ache. "It will most surely quiet the Blood and Heat, and its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea" being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of doubt in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted. "It is really the best remedy in the world for Croup in the Bronchus, and Pain and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS!

Are you distressed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it. There is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has not used it, and who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother and health to the child, operating like a charm. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and gives relief to the teething child, and is the best remedy for colic, and is the best for the teething child, and is the best for the teething child, and is the best for the teething child.

319 Yonge St. Toronto.

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IS A SURE CURE FOR ALL DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS AND LIVER.

It has a special effect in curing the most important diseases, such as Dropsy, Gravel, Rheumatism, Gout, and all the ailments arising from the diseased condition of the kidneys and liver. It is a powerful diuretic, and its action is rapid and certain. It is sold by all druggists.

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DENTAL.

A. W. SPALDING, DENTIST, 51 KING ST. W. East, opposite Toronto street. Office hours 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Evening office at residence, James street, Toronto.

C. P. LENOX, SURGEON DENTIST, 246 Queen street west, Toronto. Teeth extracted without pain. Special attention to all branches of dentistry. G. W. HALL, dentist, 141 Yonge street, Toronto.

CATARH.

A NEW TREATMENT WHEREBY A CATARH can be cured in from one to three weeks. Particulars and treatise free on request. A. H. DIXON, 307 King street west, Toronto.

MEDICAL.

D. R. PLYMER—LUNGS, HEART, DIAPHRAGM and all organs specialties—removed to 371 King street west. Hours, 11 to 3 and 7 to 9.

Wright's Pulmonic Syrup, FOR COUGHS AND COLDS Sold in bottles, 25c and 50c. WRIGHT'S DRUG STORE, Cor. Queen and Elizabeth streets, Toronto.

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M. HILTON WILLIAMS, M.D., M.C.P.S.O. Proprietor. The only Institute in the world for the cure of all the various forms of Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Tuberculosis, Phthisis, Hemoptysis, and all the diseases of the Lungs, Heart, and Diaphragm. The Institute is under the personal supervision of Dr. Williams, who can be personally consulted by any one suffering with any of the above diseases. The Institute is situated in a beautiful location, and is well equipped with all the latest appliances for the treatment of these diseases. The Institute is open to all, and charges are moderate. For further particulars, send a card to Mr. A. H. Dixon, 307 King street west, Toronto, Canada, and enclose stamp for literature on catarh.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE WARD OF ST. DAVID.

At the earnest solicitation of a large number of the largest taxpayers, I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for ALDERMAN for this Ward at the next Municipal Election. Should you elect me, I pledge myself to do the utmost in my power to advance the interests of the city at large, and of the Ward of St. David in particular. Hoping to receive your votes and influence, I am yours respectfully,
JAMES A. HOLT.

FINANCIAL.

\$50,000 TO LOAN AT LOWEST RATES of interest on farms or city property; half margin. C. W. LINDSAY, 22 King street east.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

ST. JOHN'S WARD. Your vote and influence are respectfully requested for the election of ex-almoran
HARRY PIPER, As Alderman for 1883.

Your Vote and Interest Are respectfully requested for
A. R. BOSWELL, Mayor of Toronto for 1883.

Election of St. Andrew's Ward

GEORGE MENZIES—Your vote and influence are respectfully, but earnestly, solicited for the re-election of
H. E. CLARKE As Alderman for 1883.

Election of St. James' Ward

Your Vote and Influence are Respectfully Solicited for the Re-election of
NEIL C. LOVE As Alderman for 1883.

ALDERMAN FOR 1883.

WM. ARTHURS Solicits your vote and influence as Alderman for

ST. JAMES' WARD FOR 1883.

Election takes place Monday, Jan. 1, 1883.

ST. JOHN'S WARD

Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited for the election of
JOS. BEATTY As Alderman for 1883.

Election will take place on Monday, Jan. 1, 1883.

St. James' Ward

Your Vote and Interest are Respectfully Solicited for
W. MILLICHAMP As Alderman for 1883.

Election takes place MONDAY, Jan. 1, 1883.

ST. JAMES' WARD

Your Vote and Interest are respectfully solicited for the election of
CHARLES BUGG, As School Trustee for 1883.

Election takes place on Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1883.

ST. JOHN'S WARD

Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited for
Thomas Downey As Alderman for 1883.

Election takes place on New Year's day.

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WARD OF ST. GEORGE.

Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited for
W. B. SCARTH As Alderman for 1883.

The elections take place Monday, Jan. 1, 1883.

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Your Vote and Influence are respectfully Requested for
JOHN E. MITCHELL AS ALDERMAN FOR 1883.

Election takes place January 1, 1883.

HOUSEKEEPERS:

Will find it to their interest to visit the GOLDEN GRIFFIN during the Great Clearing Sale now going on. Best quality Brussels Carpets at \$1 00 per yard, worth \$1 50. Fine Wilton and Axminster Carpets at \$1 50 per yard, worth \$2 25. Best Quality Tapestry Carpets at 75c. per yard, worth \$1 00. Astonishing value in Blankets, Flannels, Quilts, Sheetings, Cottons, Etc.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

SECULAR SOCIETY. TO-MORROW, Sunday Evening, 7 o'clock, AT ALBERT HALL. MR. J. IOK EVANS will lecture on "Infidelity and Progress." The public are cordially invited.

Bond St. Congregational Church. SUNDAY, DEC. 31. Subject for Evening, "Miracles of Anti-Christ and the Image of High Rock in Massachusetts, E. C."

REV. JOSEPH WILD, D.D., Pastor. Jarvis Street Baptist Church REV. E. D. THOMAS, D.D., Pastor. CHRISTIAN SERVICES. LORD'S DAY, DEC. 31, 1882. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., and will have reference to the closing year. Meeting for thanksgiving and prayer New Year's day morning at 10 o'clock.

MISCELLANEOUS.

L. WOOD & SON 132 Richmond street west.

NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

For a present that will make home happy and cheerful the year round, get one of our New Year or Organs, by the best makers in the world. Also valuable second-hand Pianos and Organs, by the best makers. Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere as we have the cheapest in the market. Don't forget our address.
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THE EUROPEAN WONDERS, THE French Troupe Davene, Miss Ella Wesner, Villien Bicycle Troupe, Comical Cawthorns, Spence, Sartell & Bunell, Sheehan & Coyne, Miss Capicola Forrest, Boyd & Sarsfield.

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J. FRENCH, Prop. J. C. CONNER, MAN.

HARTZ, MAINEE AND HARTZ.

MONDAY, Jan. 1, 1883.

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Dr. J. E. Kennedy

As School Trustee for St. Andrew's Ward 1, 1883.