

TWENTY YEARS' SIEGE

THE STORY OF A WELL-KNOWN GREENVILLE COUNTY MAN.

Rheumatism Held the Fort for Twenty Years, Resisting All Treatment and Efforts to Dislodge It—The Patient Thoroughly Discouraged, But Acting on the Advice of Friends Made One More Effort, Which Was Crowned With Success.

From The Brockville Times. There are very few of the older residents of this section to whom the name of Whitmarsh is not familiar. F. H. Whitmarsh of Brockville was for thirty years a member of the council of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville and on numerous occasions filled the office of warden of the counties. His son, Mr. George H. Whitmarsh, to whom this article refers, is well known throughout the counties, and is the Brockville correspondent of The Times. It is well known to Mr. Whitmarsh's friends that he has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism, from the throes of which he has not been wholly released. Mr. Whitmarsh tells this which was brought about as follows: "For over twenty years previous to the winter of 1894 I was almost a continual sufferer from muscular rheumatism, sometimes wholly incapacitated from doing any kind of work. After trying remedies of all kinds and descriptions without any benefit, I at last came to the conclusion that a cure was impossible. In the fall of 1893 I was suffering untold pain and misery and could not rest day or night. Several of my friends strongly urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and reluctantly, I bought a box. To my surprise and great satisfaction I soon began to experience relief, and this relief grew to one of positive assurance that the malady that has made life miserable for so many years was leaving me as I continued the treatment. By the time I had used nine boxes of Pink Pills not a twinge of the rheumatism remained, but to make assurance doubly sure I continued the treatment until I had used twelve boxes of the pills. This was in January, 1894, since which I have not had the slightest trace of any rheumatic pain. I am satisfied beyond a doubt that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured me, and I can confidently recommend them to all rheumatic sufferers."

Our Free Libraries. The total number of books issued to the public in 1894 from the Central and branch libraries was 538,727, divided as follows: Central . . . . . 353,337 Western . . . . . 87,773 Southern . . . . . 45,830 Dundas-street . . . . . 39,860 Eastern . . . . . 38,943

The proportion is exactly 46 per cent. on the total of volumes lent. Books for juvenile readers come next, and here some inexplicable cause the Eastern branch is far and away ahead of all the others. The numbers and order read thus: Central . . . . . 44,148 Eastern . . . . . 12,445 Western . . . . . 10,543 Dundas-street . . . . . 8,544 Northern . . . . . 9,027

The proportion in this last class is 35 per cent. of the total volume lent. Magazines make a very bad thing, their ratio being but 12.00; then come reference books, 6.1; periodicals, which were lent in 1894 in the highest amount, 4.7, and then a host of smaller ones, varying from .3 to 2.7.

It appears from the official records of the World's Fair that Dr. Price's Baking Powder won the highest award positively on its merits. Not only did it surpass all rivals, but it frightened the more pretensions of them from competition.

Italian Comments on the Colorado Murders. Rome, March 14.—Several newspapers comment to-day upon the Italian murders in Colorado. All deplore the slaughter while refraining from violent language. The Tribuna says that the Washington Government ought to keep the doctrine of states rights from enabling such state to become in turn the asylum of assassins.

LOAN COMPANIES.

The loan companies of this province have been handicapped the past year, owing to the extremely low rates ruling for money. In consequence of the general distress in trade and commerce, deposits with these companies have greatly increased, so that it has become necessary to reduce the rates on these accounts.

Prices of loan company issues have been unusually quiet for months past, and the majority of them have maintained their values. Central Canada Loan is one that shows an advance, its shares being 2 per cent higher at the present time than they were a year ago. The reserve of this company amounts to \$315,000, and its paid-up capital consists of \$375,000 in old stock and \$250,000 in new. It pays quarterly dividends of 1 1/2 per cent.

Western Canada Loan is one of the companies that pays its shareholders a high rate—10 per cent. per annum. It presents a good statement for 1894 and its stock is at 161. The reserve of this company is \$770,000, and its paid-up capital \$1,000,000 in old and \$500,000 in new stock.

A QUESTION OF PATENT. Arising Out of the Fibreware Made by the Eddy Company of Hall. A case of interest, to manufacturers particularly, is pending before the courts at this moment. It is, in its amended form, that of the Queen v. Thomas A. Eddy. Originally it was the Queen v. E. B. Eddy.

The information in the original case was laid by one Allan Austin, residing in the directory as a traveler for Taylor, Scott & Co., and residing at 157 Gerrard-street east, Toronto. The charge read: "That he (E. B. Eddy) did unlawfully offer for sale and sell a certain fibre wash basin as a patented article, the same not being patented in Canada, with intent to deceive the public."

Mr. W. R. Hiddell, of Beatty, Blackstock, Nesbitt & Clark, Toronto, who was retained for the defence, appeared before the public court and put in the patents which were granted by the Dominion of Canada for the machinery and process by which these basins were made.

It was contended on behalf of the prosecutor that the patent of the machinery and the process did not justify stamping the product as patented, but the English and American cases showed, conclusively, it was argued by the defence, that a patent covering the machine or process likewise covers the product.

The case against E. B. Eddy was dismissed, but subsequently a charge of a similar nature was made against Mr. Eddy. When this case came before the police magistrate, Mr. Hiddell, counsel for the defendant, asked, as it was purely a matter of law, and the Eddy company wanted it settled by the High Court, that the matter be referred at once, without asking any evidence, to the Court of Appeal, opening on April 30. This was done.

The situation is a peculiar one. The machines are patented, and to have placed any of their product on the market without bearing any stamp to indicate such would have been an infringement of the law, and yet now, because this was done, it is asserted to be illegal.

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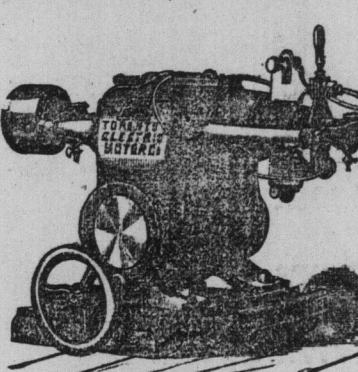
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MEETINGS. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. The fourteenth annual meeting of the shareholders of this company for the election of directors and the transaction of business generally will be held on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April next, at the principal office of the company at Montreal, at 12 o'clock noon.

The company will close in Montreal and New York on 23rd March, and in London on 12th March. The preference stock books will close on March 7th.

All books will be reopened on Thursday, April 4th.

By Order of the Board. CHARLES DRINKWATER, Secretary, Montreal, Feb. 23, 1895.

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