NEWSPAPERS AND BUTTER

PROVINCIAL JOURNALS AND WHAT THEY CAN DO.

Will Creamery Butter Making Pay?—Yes—How it Has Paid—The Way to Organize a Creamery Association—Cost of Furnishing a Creamery.

The World to-day makes its most gracious bow to the brethren of the Provincial press, and it knows whereof it bows. The brethren are a race of patriotic and self-sacrificing men. They are willing, aye ready, to gird their loins and shed their last drop of ink in the can in defence of their country. They sacrifice their time and valuable space for the weal of their fellow man. When The World issues a draft on the brethren for a wad of this self-sacrifice and patriotism it is cheerfully accepted, because they are used to drafts of this kind.

What there is to be said to the brethren is this: There is an industry in this country which for want of right management is unprofitable to those engaged in it, and a source of great loss to this our country. As was pointed out a couple of days ago, the butter industry has steadily diminished because it did not make friends with science and co-operation, and the cheese industry has steadily grown and waxed strong because it did. Arise, therefore, ye editors and spread the light! Let every weekly newspaper consider it its duty to encourage dairying in districts where dairying is not, and where it is, why still encourage it. Some people think that the Government should take hold of the matter, and have good butter made. The World is not of that opinion. This is a question of dollars and cents. The butter makers need simply to be shown that they can make more money if they adopt another system, and they will not be slow to adopt it. The Dominion Government and Provincial governments will no doubt be ready to advance funds for furtherance of technical education or perhaps they might be got to take up a scheme for improvement of stock, but the weekly journals of the country constitute the power that is going to bring about the needed reform. Therefore, ye men of the Provincial press, gird yourselves and go ahead. We're looking at you.

How is It Going to Pay?

This is what the farmers are going to ask. Will we make money out of it? Of course you will. You are just the people that are going to make the money. The World isn't making a cent out of dairying. But The World ranks itself among the patriotic and self-sacrificing and the true and the good and the beautiful, and is devoting—at regular rates—the best 320 inches of its space every day to telling the farmers in this great country of magnificent distances how they can better their lot and better their butter. Yes, farmers, you are the people that are going to make the money. The brethren will have the glory.

Prof. Robertson in his report to the Commissioner of Agriculture says, in speaking of the creamery in connection with the Agricultural College, Guelph: "Enterprising farmers in backward sections may be encouraged by the manner of its success, in a neighborhood where dairying had been neglected for the supposedly more remunerative branches of stock raising and cattle feeding. The success its own merits of the creamery near Guelph, is evidence that no district in Ontario which has not already a cheese factory can afford to be without the one or the other."

That is a good way of putting it—they can't afford to be without creameries or cheese factories if they want to make farming, especially in the old provinces, profitable.

How Butter Making Will Pay.

Mr. Derbyshire gives several instances where small herds of cows have averaged 6000 pounds of milk per season of six months. In rough figures it takes 25 pounds of milk to make a pound of butter. This gives an average of 240 pounds of butter per cow for six months. But Mr. Caron of St. Charles, Manitoba, makes a pound of butter out of 19 pounds of milk. Good feeding of the right kind of cows will get a richer quality of milk than that got from the Ontario cows. But counting it up at 240 pounds of butter per cow, at 25 cents a pound for good creamery, a cow will yield $60 during six months, leaving a few weeks for farmers to put down a little for home use besides. Under the rule-of-thumb method the cows average about 125 pounds of butter all the year round. They are capable of producing more, but they are not bred and fed and generally treated as the farmer sends it to get packed at the store or packs it himself—and gets 15 cents a pound for it, rarely more, often less. Compare the profits the cow will yield under the two systems:

Rule-of-thumb method, per year, $18.75.
Rule-of-reason method, per six months, $60.

The rule-of-reason method, when understood, means not only to adopt the creamery system and manufacture butter on scientific principles, but also to see to the care of cows and an improvement in stock. To demonstrate what good feeding would do, Prof. Robertson of the Guelph College attended a farm stock sale two years ago and bought several cows. They were cared for well, fed properly, and an accurate account was kept of their milk for 32 months. The average for 32 months per cow was 3300, or 5537 pounds for 6 months.

A Wealth Distributer.

An eminent authority on dairying, in speaking of the financial aspect, says: "In each neighborhood of, say ten miles square, over 300 farmers might as well be supporting a creamery at some central point, or, two creameries at convenient centres, with the milk of 1800 cows. If each cow yielded during the summer enough milk to make only 100 pounds of butter (and with proper feeding and care during the winter, spring, summer and fall they would give at least 150 pounds) the product of these 1800 cows would bring just $12,600 more money into the neighborhood through the creamery than by the ordinary home methods of making and marketing. Every farmer would get his own share of the increased returns and his family would be spared the taxing work of butter making during the hot summer months.

Establishing a Creamery.

The financial side of the question admits of no argument. It is quite clear that the adoption of the creamery system would be of immense advantage to butter makers. The butter makers should gather together and talk the matter over.

The way to organize a co-operative creamery association in Ontario is set forth by the bill introduced by Mr. Wood, of Hastings at the last session of the Legislature. The way it is simply described. Seven or more persons are required to meet and sign an acknowledgment before a justice of the peace that they wish to incorporate themselves. A duplicate of this acknowledgment, together with the rules and regulations they may choose to adopt, shall be filed with the county registrar, and the company is formed. This is all there is about it. Before the association commences operations they must frame rules and regulations on these points: (1) The mode of convening general and special meetings; (2) provision for audit of accounts; (3) power and mode of withdrawal of members; (4) appointment of managers and other officers and their respective duties, and a provision for vacancies caused by death, resignation and other causes.

These rules may look formidable, and the appointment of "managers," "secretaries" and so forth may appal the butter makers. But they have only to do as the cheese fellows do—make their officers do the work for nothing.

How to Furnish a Creamery.

The furnishings necessary in a creamery are: 4-horse power engine; 1 steam boiler with pipe fittings; 1 water tank with pipes and fittings; 3 cream gathering cans or tanks; 2 cream vats; 1 cream strainer or rack; 1 tin cream conductor; 2 thermometers; 3 dippers; 1 revolving churn; 4 tin pails; 1 butter worker; 1 salt table; 1 weigh scales for salt; 1 weigh scales for butter; 3 butter spades; 1 butter packer; 1 buttermilk tank; 3 hot water tank; 1 oil test churn; 1 wash tub; 2 pairs of ice tongs; 1 office desk.

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Harbor Bars.

Yesterday's arrivals: The W. T. Greenwood from Oswego with 283 tons of coal for Ray & Co. The Lilly with 2½ tolse of stone, the Reindeer with 2½ tolse, the Swallow with 2 tolse and the M. E. Ferguson with 2½ tolse, all from the lake shore.

The stern dredge having cleaned the Yonge-street basin was yesterday engaged in Messrs. Yorke and Adams' slip.

The J. G. Worts has moved from Church-street to the Queen's wharf to load up with grain.

Several steamboats had steam up yesterday for the first time in order to test the machinery. All are taking in stores.

Jersey Bargains.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday we offer the best value in jerseys ever shown. All wool jerseys 75c., 97c. and $1. These are beautifully braided, with full pleated back. Another line, braided front, was $2, we have placed at $1.50 while they last. About sixteen dozen of the Josephine kid gloves left at 39c., worth $1.25. McKendry's, the Waterloo House, 578 Yonge-street. x

—A. B. Des Rochers, Arthabaskaville, P.Q., writes: "Thirteen years ago I was seized with a severe attack of rheumatism in the head, from which I nearly constantly suffered, until after having used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for nine days, bathing the head, etc., when I was completely cured, and have only used half a bottle." x

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In the City of Toronto, of

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On Dovercourt Road.

There will be sold on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of May, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon, at the

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In the City of Toronto, by virtue of powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the sale, the following property, under mortgage from John Williams:

Lot number 123, on the west side of the Dovercourt Road, in the said City of Toronto, according to registered plan No. D 186.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: An unfinished brick house, being street number 31.

Terms—10 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

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555 Solicitors, Toronto-st., Toronto.

Judicial Sale of Property in Toronto.

Pursuant to a judgment and order for sale of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice in an action of White vs. White with the approbation of the Master in Ordinary, there will be offered for sale by public auction by Messrs. Oliver, Coate & Co., at "The Mart," 23 King-street east, Toronto, on Saturday the 12th day of May, A.D. 1888, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property: That certain parcel of land and premises situate in the City of Toronto and being composed of part of Park Lot No. 13 in the said city, having a frontage of 15 feet on Anderson-street by a depth of 115 feet on McCaul-street, and more particularly described in a certain deed dated the 14th day of June, 1881, from William Smith Durie to Jane White, and registered in the Registry Office for the City of Toronto as No. 1235 C.W.

Upon said property is erected a brick house with a roughcast extension containing six rooms and bath-room and being house No. 59 Anderson-street. The house is at present rented to a monthly tenant for $12 per month and is a corner property and well adapted for a business stand.

Terms of sale: Ten per cent. of the purchase money at the time of sale to be paid to the vendor or his solicitor and the balance into court to the credit of this action in one month thereafter without interest. The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid. The vendor will not be required to furnish any abstract of title or title deeds, except such as are in his possession. The other conditions of sale are the standing conditions of the court. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Morris & McNab, vendor's solicitors, 15 Toronto-street, Toronto, or to John Hoskin, Esq., Q.C., Toronto-street, Toronto.

(Signed) THOMAS HODGINS.

Dated this 20th day of March, A.D., 1888. 5 ap30-m 11

THE TRUSTEES of the East Presbyterian Church, Toronto, will offer for sale by public auction at the auction rooms of Walton & Osler, No. 36 King-street east, Toronto, on Friday, the 27th day of April, 1888, at 11 o'clock a.m., all and singular that certain parcel of land and premises in the City of Toronto, in the County of York, being composed of parts of lots Nos. 16 and 17, according to Plan No. 186, on the north side of King-street, east of Sackville-street, having a frontage on King-street of about 90 feet, being part of Government Park Lots east of the City of Toronto in broken front concession, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the north side of King-street where a stake has been planted at the distance of 75 feet east from the southwest angle of lot No. 15, where a stake has been planted, then north 37 degrees west 2 chains, 92 links, to the Roman Catholic Burying Ground, then north 53 degrees, east 90 feet, to where a stake has been planted, then south 37 degrees, east 2 chains, 92 links, to King-street, then south 53 degrees, west along King-street 90 feet to the place of beginning. Terms—$2000 cash, balance to be secured by mortgage, payable on 15th September, 1888. Further particulars can be obtained from WM. CHRISTON, Secretary, 167½ Sherbourne-street, Toronto. 5555

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DOMINION BANK.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of five per cent. and a bonus of one per cent. upon the capital stock of this institution has this day been declared for the current half year, and that the same will be payable at the Banking House in this city on and after Tuesday, the first day of May next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th day of April next, both days inclusive.

The annual General Meeting of the Shareholders for the election of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House in this city on Wednesday, the 30th day of May next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board,

R. H. BETHUNE,
Toronto, March 23, 1888. Cashier. 5555

TENDERS.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY OF CANADA.

STORES CONTRACTS.

Tenders are invited for stores of various kinds required by the Company at Montreal, London, Portland, and other places, during the twelve months commencing July 1st, 1888. Forms of tender with full particulars can be had on application to John Taylor, General Storekeeper at Montreal, or to the Deputy Storekeeper at London and Portland.

Tenders endorsed "Tenders for Stores," and addressed to the undersigned, will be received on or before Thursday, May 31st.

JOSEPH HICKSON,
Montreal, April 10, 1888. General Manager.

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

The Head Electric Company of Toronto.

Notice is hereby given that the general annual meeting of the shareholders of the "Head Electric Company of Toronto" will be held at the office of the Company, No. 37 Queen-st. east, in Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the SECOND DAY OF MAY, A.D. 1888, at the hour of HALF-PAST THREE O'CLOCK in the afternoon, when directors for the ensuing year will be elected and other important business transacted. All shareholders are requested to be present or be represented by proxy.

The retiring directors are: James Beaty, Q.C.; Warring Kennedy, Merchant; Harry Webb, confectioner; Thomas Mathers, gentleman; C. W. Howarth, druggist; George Pears, manufacturer; E. H. Heaps, manufacturer.

The transfer books will be closed from the 18th April inst. until after the meeting.

Dated April 17th, 1888.

JAMES BEATY, GEO. M. S. WILSON.
ed President. Secretary.

In the Matter of Clancy Bros., Insolvents.

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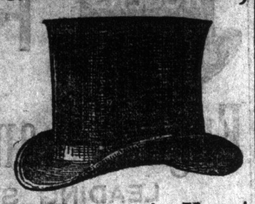

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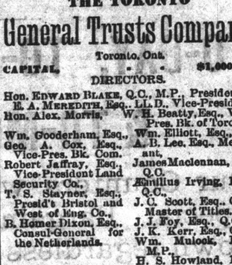

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C. V. R.	7.00	3.30	9.30	9.30
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
G. W. R.	6.00			2.00
	p.m.	p.m.	8.40	3.10
	3.00	9.30	10.30	7.25
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U. S. N. Y.	6.00	9.30	8.40	2.00
U. S. Western States	6.00	9.30	8.30	7.20
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	11.30			

ENGLISH MAILS.—Under recent arrangements made between the Postmaster General and the United States Postal authorities, a mail for England via New York will be closed at this office every day, excepting Sundays and Wednesdays, at 2.45 p.m., and will be despatched to England by what the New York Postmaster may consider the most expeditious route.

On Thursdays a supplementary mail for London, Dublin, Liverpool and Glasgow, will be closed here at 9 p.m., for the Cunard steamer sailing on Saturday, but to insure catching the steamer the 2.45 p.m. mail is recommended.

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GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

THE WORLD FAMED LIVER, BLOOD AND LUNG REMEDY.

WHAT AILS YOU?

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Are You Sick?

Do you feel dull, languid, low-spirited, lifeless, and indescribably miserable, both physically and mentally; experience a sense of fullness or bloating after eating, or of "goneness," or emptiness of stomach in the morning, tongue coated, bitter or bad taste in mouth, irregular appetite, dizziness, frequent headaches, blurred eyesight, "floating specks" before the eyes, nervous prostration or exhaustion, irritability of temper, hot flushes, alternating with chilly sensations, sharp, biting, transient pains here and there, cold feet, drowsiness after meals, wakefulness, or disturbed and unrefreshing sleep, constant, indescribable feeling of dread, or of impending calamity?

If you have all, or any considerable number of these symptoms, you are suffering from that most common of American maladies—Bilious Dyspepsia, or Torpid Liver, associated with Dyspepsia, or Indigestion. The more complicated your disease has become, the greater the number and diversity of symptoms. No matter what stage it has reached, Dr. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY will subdue it, if taken according to directions for a reasonable length of time. If not cured, complications multiply and Consumption of the Lungs, Skin Diseases, Heart Disease, Rheumatism, Kidney Disease, or other grave maladies are quite liable to set in and, sooner or later, induce a fatal termination.

Dr. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY acts powerfully upon the Liver, and through that great blood-purifying organ, cleanses the system of all blood-taints and impurities, from whatever cause arising. It is equally efficacious in acting upon the Kidneys, and other excretory organs, cleansing, strengthening, and healing their diseases. As an appetizing restorative tonic, it promotes digestion and nutrition, thereby building up both flesh and strength. In malarial districts, this wonderful medicine has gained great celebrity in curing Fever and Ague, Chills and Fever, Dumb Ague, and kindred diseases.

BILIOUS ATTACK. DAVID G. LOWE, Esq., of *St. Agathe, Manitoba, Canada*, says: "About one year ago, being troubled with a terrible bilious attack, fluttering of the heart, poor rest at night, etc., I commenced the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets,' and derived the very highest benefit therefrom."

MALARIAL FEVER. Mrs. MOLLIE E. TAILOR, of *Cannelton, Ind.*, writes: "I think the 'Golden Medical Discovery' is one of the greatest medicines in the world. I gave it to my little girl and it cured her of the malarial fever."

LIVER DISEASE. Dyspepsia.—THERESA A. CASS, of *Springfield, Mo.*, writes: "I was troubled one year with liver complaint, dyspepsia, and sleeplessness, but your 'Golden Medical Discovery' cured me."

LIVER DISEASE. Mrs. ELIZABETH J. BUSHWAW, of *Sidney, Ohio*, writes: "My little boy was so afflicted with liver trouble and other diseases that our family physician said he could not live. In fact, they all thought so. I gave him Dr. Pierce's Pellets and they saved his life. We have also used the 'Golden Medical Discovery' for throat and bronchial trouble, and found such perfect relief that we can also recommend it very highly."

LIVER DISEASE. Mrs. I. V. WERNER, of *Yorkshire, Cattaraugus Co., N. Y.*, writes: "I wish to say a few words in praise of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Purgative Pellets.' For five years previous to taking them I was a great sufferer; I had a severe pain in my right side continually; was unable to do my own work. I am happy to say I am now well and strong, thanks to your medicines."

SICK HEADACHE. A. B. WEAVER, Esq., of *295 Houck Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.*, writes: "Having used your 'Golden Medical Discovery' in my family, I desire to testify to the great relief afforded by it in cases of sick headache. As a children's remedy, for coughs and colds, I have likewise found it all that could be desired, its employment having uniformly availed to promptly check any attacks of that kind."

DYSPEPSIA AND DEBILITY. Mrs. MELISSA ATWATER, of *Steuben, Washington Co., Maine*, says: "I was afflicted with dyspepsia, nervous and general debility, for which I took your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription,' six bottles of each. That was some two years ago. It cured me so that I have not had a sick day since. I had been in very poor health for a number of years, and took much medicine from physicians, but received no benefit from them."

"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE."

Thoroughly cleanse the blood, which is the fountain of health, by using Dr. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY, and good digestion, a fair skin, buoyant spirits, and bodily health and vigor will be established.

GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY cures all humors, from a common Blotch, or Eruption, to the worst Scrofula. Salt-rheum, "Fever-sores," Scaly or Rough Skin, in short, all diseases caused by bad blood, are conquered by this powerful, purifying, and invigorating medicine. Great Eating Ulcers rapidly heal under its benign influence. Virulent blood-poisons are, by its use, robbed of their terrors. Especially has it manifested its potency in curing Tetter, Eczema, Erysipelas, Boils, Carbuncles, Sore Eyes, Scrofulous Sores and Swellings, Hip-joint Disease, "White Swellings," Goitre, or Thick Neck, and Enlarged Glands.

A medicine possessing the power to cure such inveterate blood and skin diseases as the following testimonial portrays, must certainly be credited with possessing properties capable of curing any and **all skin and blood diseases**, for none are more obstinate or difficult of cure than Salt-rheum.

SALT-RHEUM AND RHEUMATISM. "COLUMBUS, OHIO, Aug. 18th, 1887.

WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N.Y.:

Gentlemen—For several years I have felt it to be my duty to give you the facts in relation to the complete cure of a most aggravated case of salt-rheum, by the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' My wife's father, a relative of mine had been a great sufferer from salt-rheum for upwards of forty years. The disease was most distressing in her hands, causing the skin to crack open on the inside of the fingers at the joints and between the fingers. She was obliged to protect the raw places by means of adhesive plasters, salves, ointments and bandages, and during the winter months had to have her hands dressed daily. The pain was quite severe at times and her general health was badly affected, paving the way for other diseases to creep in. Catarrh and rheumatism caused a great deal of suffering in addition to the salt-rheum. She had used faithfully, and with the most commendable perseverance, all the remedies prescribed by her physicians, but without obtaining relief. She afterwards began treating herself by drinking extensively from blood-purifying roots and herbs. She continued this for several years but derived no benefit. Finally, about ten years ago, I chanced to read one of Dr. Pierce's small pamphlets setting forth the merits of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and other medicines. The name struck my fancy, and seeing that it was essentially a blood-purifier, I immediately recommended it to the old lady who had been so long a sufferer from salt-rheum. She commenced taking it at once, and took one bottle, but seemed to be no better. However, I realized that it would take time for any medicine to effect a change for the better, and encouraged her to continue. She then purchased a half-a-dozen bottles, and before these had all been used she began to notice an improvement. After taking about a dozen bottles she was entirely cured. Her hands were perfectly well and as smooth and healthy as a child's. Her general health was also greatly improved; the rheumatism entirely left her, and the catarrh was almost cured, so that it ceased to be much annoyance. She has enjoyed excellent health from that day to this, and has had no return of either salt-rheum or rheumatism. The Discovery seems to have entirely eradicated the salt-rheum from her system. She is now over eighty years old, and very healthy for one of such extreme age.

I have written this letter, of which you can make any use you see fit, hoping that some sufferer from salt-rheum may chance to read it and obtain relief by using your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' For 'Golden' it is in its curative properties, and as much above the multitude of nostrums and so-called 'patent medicines,' so zealously flaunted before the public as gold is above the base metals. Respectfully yours,

F. W. WHEELER, 252 21st St."

INDIGESTION, BOILS, BLOTCHES. REV. F. ASBURY HOWELL, *Pastor of the M. E. Church, of Silverton, Oregon*, says: "I was afflicted with catarrh and indigestion. Boils and blotches began to arise on the surface of the skin, and I experienced a tired feeling and dullness. By the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery as directed by him for such complaints, and in one week's time I began to feel like a new man, and am now sound and well. The 'Pleasant Purgative Pellets' are the best remedy for bilious or sick headache, or tightness about the chest, and bad taste in the mouth, that I have ever used. My wife could not walk across the floor when she began to take your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' Now she can walk quite a little ways, and do some light work."

HIP-JOINT DISEASE. Mrs. IDA M. STRONG, of *Ainsworth, Ind.*, writes: "My little boy had been troubled with hip-joint disease for two years, when I commenced the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets,' he was confined to his bed, and could not be moved without suffering great pain. But now, thanks to