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Leading Business Man of Welland Gives His Experience With The Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Welland, Ont., Dec. 18.—(Special.)—There is no better known or more highly respected man in Welland than Mr. J. J. Yokom. Born and brought up in the neighboring township of Crowland, by his own industry and sterling honesty he has grown to be one of Welland's leading merchants. Consequently when Mr. Yokom comes out with a statement that he was cured of a serious illness by Dodd's Kidney Pills, everybody knows it must be so.

"For a year or more I had Kidney Trouble in all its worst symptoms," says Mr. Yokom. "My head was bad, I had no appetite and I lost weight fast. At times I was entirely incapacitated. I doctored with a physician of vast experience but got no good results."

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Bananas cut up with nuts and dates and served with whipped cream make one of the wholesome dishes. The children always like it.

Absorbent bath towels with a smooth surface on one side and a rough one on the other are made.

HOW'S THIS?
We offer One Hundred Dollars' Reward in any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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PURGATIVES ARE DANGEROUS.
Their gripe, cause burning pains and make constipated conditions even more distressing. The ideal purgative is Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut; they are exceedingly mild, composed only of fruit-giving vegetable extracts. Dr. Hamilton's Pills regulate the movement of the bowels, strengthen the stomach and purify the blood. For constipation, sick headache, biliousness and disordered digestion no medicine can surpass such remarkable cures as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Try a 25c. box yourself.

Worn Blankets.
The thin places of woolen blankets should be darned with wool of the same color. Turning the two selvages to the middle lengthens their existence undisturbed. Too frequent washing is apt to make them shrink and become hard, so now and then they should be shaken in the open air.

Most women are prone to undertake the beautifying art in too much of a hurry. A spasmodic attack is followed by a spell of carelessness. Patience and perseverance bring fine results to the seeker after beauty.

STRAINED BACK AND SIDE.
"While working in 'a new mill,'" writes C. E. Kenney, from Ottawa, "I strained my back and side so severely I had to go to bed. Every movement caused me torture. I tried different oils and liniments, but was not helped till I used Nerville's. Even the first application gave considerable relief. In three days I was at work again. Other men in the mill used Nerville with tremendous benefit, too." An honest record of nearly fifty years has established the value of Nerville's.

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BAD RIOT AT SHANGHAI

Twenty Chinese Rowdies Killed in the Disturbance.

Serious Situation Has Arisen and British Blue Jackets Are Guarding the Streets—Foreigners Were Attacked But None Were Seriously Hurt—Chefoo Is Undisturbed—Riots Said to Be Directly Traceable to Boycott

Shanghai, Dec. 19.—An incident riot here Sunday was promoted by boycotters on account of an incident involving the mixed court. The German Consul was stoned, and the American Vice-Consul and several other foreigners were injured. Twenty Chinese rowdies were killed. The Chinese closed their shops when the rioting began. The local volunteers were called out to restore order, and detachments of bluejackets were landed from the warships to assist in restoring peace.

The damage done was slight. Police sailors and volunteers co-operated in suppressing the riots, in the course of which one police station was partly burned, a bay-window wrecked and a bicycle store looted.

The streets are now deserted, except for armed patrols, which are everywhere.

British Guards Guard Streets.
Washington, Dec. 19.—The State Department yesterday had news from Shanghai that a serious situation existed there. Two cablegrams received at the department over night stated that the disturbance arose through a strike and was increased by a dispute growing out of some cases being tried before the consular courts. Navy forces supposedly from the British squadron which is there, were guarding the streets.

Chefoo Is Undisturbed.
Chefoo, Dec. 19.—The news of the disturbances at Shanghai is producing no visible effect on the Chinese. The local foreign officials, however, are conferring in regard to taking suitable action to forestall a possible demonstration.

Well-informed persons maintain that the Luenchow massacre and also the present disturbances are directly traceable to the boycott.

Coincident with the Shanghai riots the Yokohama Specie Bank quietly placed a large amount of money in the local market for the benefit of the Chinese.

A later despatch from Mr. Rodgers was to the effect that all parts of the City of Shanghai had been put under martial law and that the foreigners were all arming.

STILL CLOSE IS SASKATCHEWAN.
12 to 10 With Three in Doubt is the Present Score.

Winnipeg, Dec. 19.—The latest returns indicate that the Scott Government has twelve seats, the Provincial Rights party ten, and three are still in doubt. Dr. Shadd, a negro, is elected as the Provincial Rights member for Kinstin.

The recount and official scrutiny of the ballots in Regina, where Laird, a candidate, has been in progress since Saturday and will not be completed before to-day. Both sides profess confidence in ultimate victory. In Regina, the recounting of Stewart (Liberal) has 103 majority with one poll to hear from.

O. A. C. Students Successful.
Toronto, Dec. 19.—At the International Live Stock Exhibition held annually in Chicago, a very valuable trophy is offered for judging competition among students of agricultural colleges. Five students from any college are allowed to compete. For several years the Agricultural College students at Guelph have entered in this competition and always took a very good stand. This year, however, all five students representing Guelph have reached first place, and they have secured the trophy. They have taken first in cattle, sheep and swine, and second in horses, Ohio Agricultural College having taken first place in horses. Hon. Nelson Morley, Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. Mr. St. John, Speaker of the Ontario Legislature, and about twenty-five others, leave for Chicago this afternoon.

Extending the Temiskaming.
Toronto, Dec. 19.—Messrs. C. B. Smith, chairman; J. L. Englehart, Peterborough; D. D. Murphy, Ottawa; members of the Temiskaming Railway Commission, have returned from a trip over the line. For forty miles beyond New Liskeard the rails are laid. The commission reports that the grading has been completed. The section north of New Liskeard is 100 miles in length. It is the intention of the Government to extend the line to meet the Grand Trunk Pacific, which means a further extension of fifty miles.

Canadian Sheep the Winners.
Chicago, Dec. 19.—At the Live Stock Show yesterday Canadian exhibitors secured the greater number of the prizes for sheep. John Campbell of Woodville, Ont., carried off all the blue ribbons in the fat Shropshire class. In the fat Shropshire class, Sir George Drummond of Quebec secured first honors and in the fat Oxford class took three first awards. James West of Montpelier, Ind., and Teller Bros. of Paris, Ont., shared most of the awards in the fat Hampshire class.

Rufus Pope Is Nominated.
Montreal, Dec. 19.—Rufus Pope, ex-M. P., was nominated yesterday to contest Compton in January in the Conservative interest, the vacancy having been caused by the unseating of Mr. Hunt, who had been defeated by the general election. Hunt has again been nominated by the Liberals.

Elections on Jan. 4.
Ottawa, Dec. 19.—The writ for another election in Compton has been issued. Nominations will be received on Dec. 28, polling taking place a week later, on Jan. 4.

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Common Names.
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CHICAGO BANK DISASTER.

Three Institutions Forced to Close Their Doors Owing to the Excesses of Speculators

Chicago, Dec. 19.—The failure of the Chicago National Bank, the Home Savings Bank, and the Equitable Trust Co., all of yesterday morning by representatives of the Chicago Clearing House Association after a session lasting eighteen hours. James B. Forgan, president of the First National Bank, as head of the Clearing House Committee of Chicago Associated Banks, gave forth the statement. The assets of these institutions, it was asserted, were involved in coal and railway properties of John R. Walcott, president of the Chicago National Bank.

Dangerous Dealing.
In a statement given out yesterday, Comptroller of the Currency, Wm. B. Riddle, says:

"The critical situation in which these three concerns have been placed has been due to the large loans made to the railroad and other enterprises owned and controlled by Mr. John R. Walcott. This again emphasizes the danger of the managing officers of the banks being interested in outside institutions requiring large amounts of money. The Comptroller's office has for some time been criticizing the conduct of the Chicago National Bank, and calling upon its officers and directors to reduce the amount of these loans and the investments in the bonds of Mr. Walcott's corporations. In spite of repeated promises that this should be done these items have been continuing in the bank, and in order to prevent further encroachments it was necessary for the Comptroller to take radical action."

The Financial Statements.
The Chicago National Bank was organized in November, 1881, with an authorized capital of \$200,000, increased to \$500,000 in 1887 and to \$1,000,000 in 1901. Its resources, according to one of the latest reports made to the Comptroller of the Currency, are \$21,000,000, of which nearly \$11,000,000 are loans and discounts, with \$4,000,000 cash on hand. The liabilities include nearly \$14,000,000 in individual deposits, \$4,000,000 due to other banks, and \$3,000,000 in certificates of deposit. The Home Savings Bank was organized originally in 1887, with a capital of \$100,000. A late statement of the resources shows an aggregate of \$4,232,271, of which \$1,785,000 is reported as being held in municipal, railroad and other bonds. The savings deposits aggregate \$3,382,653.

The Equitable Trust Co. was chartered by the State of Illinois Aug. 28, 1887, to act as executor, administrator, trustee, guardian, assignee or receiver, and to receive and execute trusts of every character. The capital stock is \$500,000. Its resources are \$2,613,381. The liabilities include \$2,007,563, of which amount \$454,000 are deposits and \$500,000 in certificates of deposit.

There is a combined shortage of \$6,000,000.

No Cause for Panic.
Washington, Dec. 19.—Secretary of the Treasury, Shaw has received the following telegraphic report from Comptroller Riddle, now in Chicago, in reference to the failure of the Chicago bank: "The Chicago banks have guaranteed payment of all liabilities for the three banks, which will liquidate and pay everything in full. The officers and directors will resign and will be replaced by the Chicago Clearing House Committee and Examiner Bosworth, who will run the banks and conduct liquidation. This should relieve the situation and prevent further trouble here or elsewhere."

YORK COUNTY LOAN CO.
Mr. Bicknell Asks Second Winding-Under Act.

Toronto, Dec. 19.—Another turn was given to the York County Loan Co. affairs yesterday. Mr. James Bicknell, K. C., applied to Judge Winchester for a winding-up order under the Ontario Winding-Up Act. The judge granted the motion until Wednesday, to give Mr. Bicknell an opportunity to apply to the Divisional Court for permission to appoint a permanent liquidator was set for Jan. 22.

Mr. Phillips, president, will be examined before official referee on Wednesday.

Estate of Rev. Dr. Warden.
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PERSONALLY CONDUCTED TOURS TO MEXICO.

Handled by Beau Campbell, the author of the Only Reliable Guide to Mexico, and Manager American Tourist Association, are being arranged to go via the Grand Trunk Railway System. Particulars will be announced later.

Mr. Campbell has had 25 years' experience in Mexican tours, and they are the only ones that positively take in all the interesting points, and are not covered by any other parties. His own dining car "Quintanaroo," and open top Observation car "Billini," are the largest and finest in the world.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FARM LANDS FOR SALE
The undersigned offers for sale by tender, lot No. 17, in the 8th concession, Dover East, 200 acres, more or less.

Tenders will be received up to 1st January, 1907, for the whole lot, or for parcels of 50 or 100 acres each. The land is of the finest, much of it is new, and very suitable for a stock farm. There is a bush on each 100 acres. Suitable farm buildings are also for sale.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Address the owner, Alexander Macfarlane, Victoria Avenue, Chatham, Ont.

FOR SALE
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Apply to
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FOR SALE
Two hundred chickens, most young stock, barred, Buff and White Rocks, White and Silver Wyandotters, four incubators, all new, a lot of brooders, two poultry houses, one 25 feet long, one 36 feet long. Will be sold cheap as I am going out of the business.

THOS. M. FRENCH,
Dover Fruit and Poultry Farm.
Phone 463.

Tax Sale of Lands
Take Notice, that I have prepared a list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes, and that copies thereof may be had on application in my office, and that a list is being published in the Ontario Gazette, the date of first publication being Nov. 25th, 1906, and for the next three publications thereafter, and that in default of payment of taxes and costs the lands will be sold by Public Auction in the City Council Chambers, on the 6th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m.

K. G. FLEMING,
C. Treas., City of Chatham.
Dated this 17th day Nov., 1906.

MUSIC.
Miss ANNIE L.