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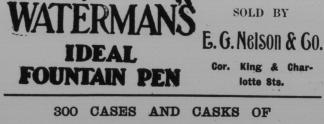
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An Address in the Centenary School House by Dr. Melvin on the History of the Disease and Effects of Vaccin-ation.

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ation. Before the Y. M. A. of Centenary Church last evening an instructive address of time-ly interest was given by Dr. G. G. Meivin on Smallpox and Vaccination, tracing The flistory, symptoms and effects of the dis-ease and the discovery, adoption and bene-ficent results of vaccination. In introduction he spoke of the ancient origin of smallpox, mentioning Job as the first known sufferer, and so tracing the in-ception of the disease to Satanic invention. Through ancient and mediaeval times and up through the modern world until about a century ago, smallpox, he said, had been responsible for more deaths than any other disease, with the possible exception of the "black death," and the dreaded plague. Everyone expected to have it and it was considered a misfortune if childhood was passed without its contraction, just as with minor aliments such as measies today. "The character" of the disease was then described, with its symptoms, which are first chills, followed by a severe pain in the back; then by fever and are repidon under the skin, which afterward breaks through in posting of the excitoe, and later to coming of the excitoes and later to coming of the excit

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Miss Brennan, of St. John, who has been visiting Mrs. Ryan, at St. Mary's for several days returned to her home

for several day, today, today, H. E. West, who has lately been in Mexico, interested in mining, is here upon a short visit and is the guest of Mss. West's parents, Dr. and Mr. Bail-

Mss. West's parents, Dr. and Mr. Bail-ey. H. LeRoy Shaw, of St. John, spent Sunday with friends here. George Anderson of St. John is to-day arguest at the Barker. Miss Jennie Ferguson, who has been ill for the pasi few days, is still con-fined to her home. Among the guests at the Queen to-day are A. L. Hart, W. G. Estabrooks and A. G. Golding, of St. John. E. C., S. E., and B. Elkin, of St. John, are guests at Windsor Hall. Dr. Vanwart has been confined to his home for several days by illness and is yet unable to be out. Miss Stewart, the St. John nurse, who attended the late Geo. E. Coburn dur-ing his illness, was admitted to the Victoria Hospital on Friday, suffering from a mild attack of diphtheria.— Fredericton Herald. ST. CATHERINES. Ont., Dec. 9.—J.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., Dec. 9.-J. G. Currie, registrar of Linooln, is dead, aged 74. He sat for many years in the legislature.

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