

A Terrible Cough.

Mrs. Thea Carter, Northport, Ont., says: I caught a severe cold which settled on my throat and lungs and my friends thought it would send me to my grave, when other remedies failed, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup completely cured me.

BACK FROM THE WAR.

Hurrah! Hurrah! Let every one Who has our Empire's weal at heart Shout forth in loud acclaim To greet the men who took a part, To weld the union of the same: Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah!!!

We followed you in our mind's eye, We watched you every day; We shared in your joys and sorrows Throughout the entire fray; And now we greet you, one and all— Men of our own North land— So give them a hearty cheer, lads And grasp each hero's hand. Hip—hip!!! Hurrah!!!

Now these men represent A certain element— An element of good and solid worth. They are the Empire's backbone, And by their deeds they have shown That Britain's power is still supreme on earth.

Who are these men? Our own Gaiety, Our stalwart backs, Our rushing, bumping lads. What did they do? They forced grim Cronje to the wall, They crushed the awful "gall" of Paul,

They made those men feel mighty "small," And now they're in the show, And the nations gaze in wonder, For they know the credit's due To the Northern "Sons of thunder" Who had crossed the briny blue, To teach the world a lesson And to show what WE could do. Hip!—Hip!!! Hurrah!!!

—JOHN J. ESMAN, Ch'town, Oct. 31, 1900.

(Continued from first page.) ed the experimental stage." Manifestly the old Liberal who writes the political articles for Events places very little faith in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cash denial that either he or any of his colleagues had, directly or indirectly, made any such offer of selling a senatorship, and there is no doubt the public generally have equally little faith in Sir Wilfrid's denial. —Halifax Herald.

MORE GRIT ECONOMY. Cap. Expenditure 1896..... \$3,781,811 Cap. Expenditure 1897..... \$9,689,142 Cap. Expenditure 1900..... \$9,726,200

The Conservative Policy.

Protection to Canadian Interests, Canadian Labor and Canadian Industry. An earnest and persevering effort to secure Mutual Preferential Trade within the Empire. The best and the fastest Atlantic Steamship Service that can be got between Canadian ports and Great Britain. Provision for the shipment of Canadian perishable produce in cold storage, direct from the farm to the world's market. Canadian commerce for Canadian ports. An honest, economical and businesslike administration of the public affairs, and an end to deals and steals, and corruption, and trafficking in offices.

—Compared with 1895 every consumer is paying very much more for nearly everything that he buys:

- Coal is dearer by 30 per cent. Coal oil is dearer by 32 per cent. Sugar is dearer by 20 per cent. Paints are dearer by 30 per cent. Thread is dearer by 25 per cent. Gray Cotton is dearer by 10 to 15 per cent. Colored Cotton is dearer by 10 to 15 per cent. Stockings are dearer by 10 to 15 per cent. Lenses are dearer by 10 to 15 per cent. Boots and shoes are dearer by 15 to 25 per cent. Clothing is dearer by 17 per cent. Wall Paper is dearer by 10 per cent. Furniture is dearer by 10 per cent. Stoves are dearer by 30 per cent. Tinware is dearer by 25 per cent. Common Crockery is dearer by 25 per cent. Common Glassware is dearer by 25 per cent. Bed Ticking is dearer by 12 per cent. Gray flannel is dearer by 10 per cent. Brooms are dearer by 40 per cent.

If any one doubts these figures he has it in his power to verify them by comparing what he pays now with his bills of five years ago.

It will, of course, be said that the government is not to blame for these increased prices. And in some cases they are not, though when in opposition they blamed everything on the then government, even to the bad harvests. But for many of the increases, the government is to blame. In some cases it has fostered monopolies, notably in coal oil, and in other cases it has not used its powers to break up combinations. For much, therefore, of the present high prices the Laurier-Tarte combination is clearly responsible.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Information for Electors.

The Qualification of Voters and How to Vote.

In the electoral districts of this Province the voting takes place by ballot. There is no registration of voters here. Every male British subject of the age of 21 years and upwards who has for six months previous to the 9th day of October, A. D. 1900, been in possession either as owner, tenant or occupant of a house or piece of land of the yearly value of six dollars shall be entitled to vote.

IN ADDITION TO ABOVE. In country districts every male British subject of the age of 21 years, who being liable to perform Statute Labor, has performed such Statute Labor or paid his commutation money for the year 1900, shall be entitled to vote, provided he has resided for twelve months in the electoral division.

IN THE CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN. If a person cannot qualify as a tenant or owner, he may vote on his poll tax.

IF He has resided for twelve months previous to the 9th day of October, A. D. 1900, either east or west of Great George Street, and has paid his poll tax, or 75 cents of it, for the year 1899, OR HE CAN VOTE ON HIS POLL TAX RECEIPT FOR THE PRESENT YEAR, 1900. This tax may be paid at any time before the election, but not on election day.

Every resident voter must vote in the polling district where he is living on election day. We warn poll tax electors to be prepared with their poll tax receipts before they go into the polling booth. If you do not produce them your votes will not be taken, and you cannot again enter the booth. Tenants and owners do not require receipts.

No person who has voted at the election shall in any legal proceeding be required to state for whom he voted.—See Sec. 97 of the Election Act. The election law of the Dominion provides for perfect secrecy of the ballot, except in the case of a scrutiny before two judges of the Supreme Court. Before a scrutiny can be held, the person desiring one must deposit in Court one thousand dollars as security that he will be successful. No ballot can be examined until it has been proved that the voter has no vote, and no vote under any circumstances can be examined unless it has been marked objected to before the vote was given. No vote can be marked objected after the voter has received his ballot.

The ballots after being counted are sealed by the Returning Officer, who without opening the packets or breaking the seals, transmits them to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and whilst in the custody of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery no person is allowed to inspect them.

Besides the polling officers and the agents of the candidates, only one elector may enter the polling booth at a time; he MUST mark his ballot in secret, he MUST hand his ballot folded to the polling officer, who MUST place it in the box without opening, and there is a penalty for displaying the ballot in any way that would afford a clue as to how the elector is voting.

Following is a sample of a ballot to be used at this election. Electors should in every case make their mark after the Conservative Candidate's name.

LOUIS H. DAVIES, 1 of Charlottetown, Barrister-at-Law. W. S. STEWART, 2 of Charlottetown, Barrister at-Law.

Treasure Island

BY ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON. PART II.

THE SEA COOK.

CHAPTER IX.—(Continued.)

"Silver's parrot?" asked the squire. "It's a way of speaking," said the captain. "Blabbed, I mean. It's my belief neither of you gentlemen know what you are about; but I'll tell you my way of it—life or death and a close run." "That is all clear, and I dare say, true enough," replied Doctor Livesey. "We take the risk, but we are not so ignorant as you believe us. Next, you say you don't like the crew. Are they not good seamen?" "I don't like them, sir," returned Captain Smollett. "And I think I should have the choosing of my own hands, if you go to that."

Pity and Beauty

The most beautiful thing in the world is the baby, all dimples and joy. The most pitiful thing is that same baby, thin and in pain. And the mother does not know that a little fat makes all the difference. Dimples and joy have gone, and left hollows and fear; the fat, that was comfort and color and curve—all but pity and love—is gone.

The little one gets no fat from her food. There is something wrong in it either her food or food-mill. She has had no fat for weeks; is living on what she had stored in that plump little body of hers; and that's gone. She is starving for fat; it is death, be quick! Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the fat she can take; it will save her.

B.B.B. Makes Blood Pure.

If the blood is pure the whole body will be healthy. If the blood is impure the whole system becomes corrupted with its impurities.

Burdock Blood Bitters transforms impure and watery blood into rich pure blood and builds up the health.

Disease germs cannot lurk in the system when B.B.B. is used. Miss Edie McDonald, Liscomb Mills, Guy Co., N.S., writes: "I have found B.B.B. an excellent remedy for purifying the blood and curing sick headache."

"No more I would," cried the squire. "Had Livesey not been here I should have seen you to the denouement. As it is, I have heard you. I will do as you desire, but I think the worse of you."

"That's as you please, sir," said the captain. "You'll find I do my duty. And with that he took his leave. (To be continued.)

MISCELLANEOUS.

GOOD NEWS FOR OUR READERS. Who have serofala taints in their blood, and who have not. Serofala in all its forms is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla which thoroughly purifies the blood.

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Beddoe, June 11, 1897. O. C. RICHARDS & Co. Dear Sirs,—MINARD'S LINIMENT is my remedy for NEURALGIA. It relieves at once. A. S. McDONALD.

Beware of the drink—say, even a sip. It will do you much harm, I am thinking. Though there's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip. There are many more slips after drinking.

If you want to quit being a weather prophet, have your rheumatism cured by Milburn's Rheumatic Pills, a guaranteed remedy for Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia and Lumbago. Price 50c, at all dealers.

The Hamilton Spectator has been convicted of positively the most unpardonable pun of the campaign. It says the new conservative hero is not a big man—but he looks Hugh John the platform.

Ask for Minard's and take no other. PEOPLE RECOVERING. From Pneumonia, Typhoid or Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, La Grippe or any Serious Sickness.

Here's people free from pain and ache Dyspepsia's direful ill. It is because they always take Laxa-Liver Pills.

These little pills work while you sleep, without a gripe or pain, curing biliousness, constipation, dyspepsia and sick headache, and making you feel better in the morning.

Heals and soothes the lungs and cures the worst kinds of coughs and colds. DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP.

Professional Men.

It's the constant strain and worry under which the professional man labors, the irregularity of habits and loss of rest that makes him peculiarly susceptible to kidney troubles.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Strengthen and invigorate the kidneys—never fail to give quick relief and cure the most obstinate cases. Rev. M. P. Campbell, pastor of the Baptist Church, Essex, Ont., says: "From my personal use of Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at Sharon's drug store, I can say they are a most excellent remedy for kidney troubles, and I recommend them to sufferers from such complaints."

MISCELLANEOUS.

This sign is displayed on a building in a small Georgia town: Teeth Pull Cheap for Cash. —Also— Music Taught on the Piano. Offices on the Installment Plan. Now is the Time to Bury Your Friends at a Reasonable Cost. We also Dig Graves.

If a child eats ravenously, grinds the teeth at night and picks its nose, you may almost be certain it has worms and should administer without delay Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup, this remedy contains its own castor oil.

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Men's Colored Shirts. In this line we have the largest stock of up-to-date patterns found in the city. Stiff bosom, collar and cuffs attached, sizes 14, 14 1/2, 15, 15 1/2 and 16. Reduced from 75c to.....60c Dark and medium dark stripes and checks, open fronts, regular prices \$1.25 and \$1.35 reduced to.....\$1.00

Trade with us and you'll save money. D. A. BRUCE, Morris Block.

To Those Interested

The makers of THE HIGHLAND RANGES were unable to ship all of our ranges this week but we expect to have a large shipment by next trip of S. S. Halifax from Boston and those who have ordered may count on getting them then. We ask your kind indulgence for the delay.

Fennell & Chandler. Agents for American Ranges.

Choosing a Bicycle!

In choosing a bicycle you must judge by appearances. You must judge by reputation and reliability. If you stop to think you will acknowledge that for years the wheels of reliability have been the

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