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## A HALF MILLION ACRES.

Ontario Lands Now Actually in the Hands of Veterans.

With the end of the year the Crown Lands Department have figured roughly the business done in giving land grants to the Veterans of 1866 of the South African war, who have applied. Since November 1, 1903, the department have sent out no less than 10,250 certificates, entitling each recipient to 160 acres of land for service to his country. Of those so favored some three thousand have already selected their land. This would mean the actual taking up of 480,000 acres, or twenty-one townships. If the settlement were solid, but as only one veteran may locate in each square mile these locations must be scattered over eighty-four or more townships. The Government set apart one hundred and thirty-six townships in new Ontario from which the veterans might choose land, and besides many townships in the northern parts of old Ontario.

Altogether the department received about 80,000 applications and letters from those who thought they were entitled to grants. Thousands were of course not sustained, and some remain to be decided. The time for making applications expired on December 31, last, so that the arrears of applications will likely be dealt with before long. The Crown Lands Department have no statistics of the number of veterans who have actually settled on their land. The Province of Quebec is now undertaking the granting of land to veterans, doubtless following the example of Ontario.

## Status of Toronto University.

What is the status of the University of Toronto? During the summer just past the president and Prof. McLennan preached the doctrine of its excellence throughout the west. Every issue of the university publications since the term began has breathed of triumph in its progress. At every banquet given under college auspices during the last month, speeches have been parts of one panegyric of the growing prestige of our alma mater. The shouting has not had time to die before the Canadian Club are assured by Mr. White that the university is not keeping pace with similar institutions of the first rank. This statement is used as a weapon in asking for more liberal aid from the State, Buildings, equipment and the rest must be provided, and they are expensive. If they are not forthcoming, down goes the Provincial university into the third class. This is all very disquieting to the under-graduate mind. The two points of view are hard to reconcile. The only refuge is in the reasoning that while the new buildings are needed, it is the excellence of the university that has created the necessity. Had the School of Science of the medical faculty not outgrown their old quarters it is not likely that the new buildings would have been erected. Were not the biological and physical departments working under the greatest difficulties in providing accommodation for the increased numbers of students and facilities for the more extended research work, the proposed new laboratories would not be invested with so much importance. The central heating plant is hardly of vital moment in preserving the education at standing of the university. If the public can be assured that the best possible teaching is resulting from the equipment now at hand, it should not be a difficult matter to assure them that better work might be done under more favorable circumstances—Toronto Globe.

## Locomotives Loaded in Thirty Seconds.

The Grand Trunk Railway has just completed the erection of a new coal chute at the foot of Peter street in Toronto, at a cost of \$7,000, which performs the work of about a dozen workmen. The new chute is known as the Fairbank-Morrison machine of Chicago. It has two pockets, one on each side of the building, capable of holding 250 tons of coal each and locomotives can be loaded with coal in about thirty seconds. In a test run of last week it would take to unload a car of coal 50 tons was lifted from a car into the chute in forty-five minutes.

## The Faraway Sun.

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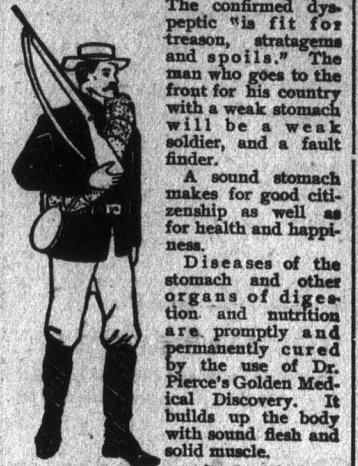
The poet who says he makes money must be a stunted liar.

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The way to do a great deal of work is to be continually doing a little.

## PATRIOTISM

The stomach is a larger factor in "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" than most people are aware. Patriotism can withstand hunger but not dyspepsia.



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## Sarah Filford and Filford.

Some years ago Vance Thompson was asked by his editor to secure a Christmas story if he could from Sarah Bernhardt, who was playing in New York at the time. Her secretary suggested that Thompson write a story and let her sign it as if it were her own. Accordingly he turned out a pretty little story called "Noel." The next day Sarah read, approved and dashed her stunning signature on both manuscripts, and the French version and the English were printed side by side. The other day, when he visited Sarah in Paris at her big house in the Boulevard Pereire, Thompson found that she had forgotten him. He discovered this fact when he picked up a beautifully illustrated book by the tragedienne, which to his surprise was "Noel." Mr. Thompson was staring at it as one starts at the ghost of an old sweetheart, when Mme. Sarah came swift-footed, rustling in an orange colored morning gown. "Oh!" she exclaimed, noticing the book in his hand. "Have you read it? A little thing, but real—une tranche de la vie. It was an event in my own life that haunted me and haunted me until I simply had to write it, a fragment of my childhood. Ah, those days, those days!" —San Francisco Argonaut.

## Love Not an Essential.

Judge Bischoff, of the Supreme Court of New York, has formally decided, what scarcely called for a judicial decision, that love is not a legal essential to marriage. Even to obtain a husband or a wife under false pretenses, that is to say, by procuring love is not a fraud of such a nature as to invalidate the contract. The astonishing thing is that the issue should have been seriously raised in a court of law; but the text of the judgment suggests a possible explanation in the fact that the lady in the case is an actress, and it is by no means rare for the law to be used for advertising purposes. The learned judge adds: "If the facts alleged in this case could suffice for an annulment, marriage for love would be the only lawful marriage—a condition favored by the poets, but not as yet adopted in our system of jurisprudence." It is to be feared that so many marriages have been promoted by false assertions of affection that it would be practically impossible for the courts to recognize this kind of fraud as ground for divorce. But all the same the poets are sometimes wiser than the lawyers.—Montreal Star.

## Tell-Tale Lips.

The upper lip should be bow-shaped, while the lower should form the arch of a circle, and be ideally beautiful the lower lip should show more red than the upper. The lips should be only moderately full.

Thick lips show a sensual temperament; thin lips, exhibiting little or no color, while indicating firmness and will power, are also indicative of a lack of amiability, and, according to other indications in the face, may show meanness, if not avarice.

Firmly closed lips indicate determination; open lips, weakness and vacillation. The open mouth is a characteristic of idiots.

The upper lip should have a slight curve inward before its union with the nose, for the straight lip indicates its owner to be unamiable and unintelligent. Much depends on the length of the upper lip. The distance from it to the nose should be one-half the breadth of the mouth. A short upper lip indicates liveliness, wit, fertility of invention, brilliancy of repartee. A long upper lip is generally indicative of stupidity.

The trouble with the chronic kisser is that he is too busy kissing to take the trouble to find out what he's kissing about.

Start each day as if commencing a new life.

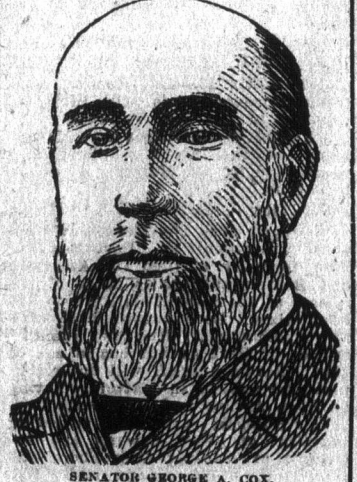
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## SENATOR GEO. A. COX.

ONE OF THE BEST KNOWN FINANCIAL MEN OF THE DOMINION.

Currently Reported to Be the Moving Factor in the Grand Trunk Pacific Project—Wonderful Record as a Financier and Capitalist—His Career As a Railway Man and As a Politician.

Hon. Senator George A. Cox's reported connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific and numerous other enterprises makes him one of the most prominent figures in the public life of Canada. The Senator is of English descent, his family having migrated to the United States from the Mother Land in 1810. Eight years later they removed to Canada, first taking up land in Prince Edward, and afterwards in Northumberland County, Ont. He is the son of Edward W. Cox, by his wife, Jane Tanner, and was born at Colborne, Ont., May 7, 1840. Educated there, he commenced life as an operator in the service of the Montreal Telegraph Company. After two years spent in its office in his native town, he was sent, May, 1858, to take charge of its Peterboro office. In Peterboro he lived for 30 years, and he is still largely interested in its prosperity. He continues to exercise unabated interest in everything that contributes to the welfare of his old home, which now is one of the most prosperous and progressive towns in Ontario, and he takes an active part in the direction of the Canadian General Electric Company, the Peterboro Lock Manufacturing Company and other local organizations. The young agent speedily asserted his individuality, and took an active part in the municipal, educational and commercial interests of Peterboro. For no less than seven years he was Mayor; three times he was successful in contested elections, and four times he was elected by acclamation. In 1871 Mr. Cox stepped from the municipal into the political field, and contested the riding of West, Peterboro with the late W. H. Scott for the Legislature. He won the fight, but the election was set aside, and in the following year he was defeated by Mr. Scott, by a majority of one. In 1887, Mr. Cox contested the same riding for the House of Commons,



SENATOR GEORGE A. COX.

with James Stevenson. He was again defeated, but the majority was only 16. Mr. Cox soon became interested in enterprises of interest to the country at large, and in 1878, he became president of the Midland Railway of Canada, holding that position until 1884, when he resigned. During his term of office a great amalgamation took place; the Grand Junction, the Whitby and Port Perry, the Victoria and the Toronto and Nipissing Railways all being consolidated, the system thus created being sold to the Grand Trunk. In 1881 he was one of the Howland Syndicate that offered to build the C.P.R. In 1884 he became president of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company. In 1885 he became a director of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. In 1888 vice-president, and in 1890, president, of that institution, and still retains this important position. He has been prominently identified with the Canada Life Assurance Company since 1861, and is now on the directorate. In 1881 he became a director of the Western Fire and Marine Insurance Company, and upon the death of A. M. Smith, 1894, succeeded to the presidency of that company, a position he still holds. He is also president of the British American Fire and Marine Insurance Company. He was one of the first directors of the Toronto General Trusts Company, organized in 1884, and still retains a position upon the directorate and Executive Committee of that company. He has to do with a large number of other institutions, including the projected James' Bay Railway, of which he is one of the chief promoters. He has lived in Toronto since 1888. Mr. Cox is a strong temperance man, and an ardent supporter of the Methodist Church. In conjunction with Rev. Dr. Poits, he is Bursar of Victoria University, in which institution he has established a gold medal in Natural Science and a bursary in Theology. He is also president of the Ladies' College, Whitby, a member of the Council of the Toronto Branch of the Evangelical Alliance, one of the founders of the Dominion Sanitarium, and vice-president of the Ontario Prohibition Alliance. Politically, a Liberal, he was appointed to the Senate of Canada by the Earl of Aberdeen, November, 1896. He married, 1862, Margaret Young, daughter of Daniel Hopkins, Peterboro.

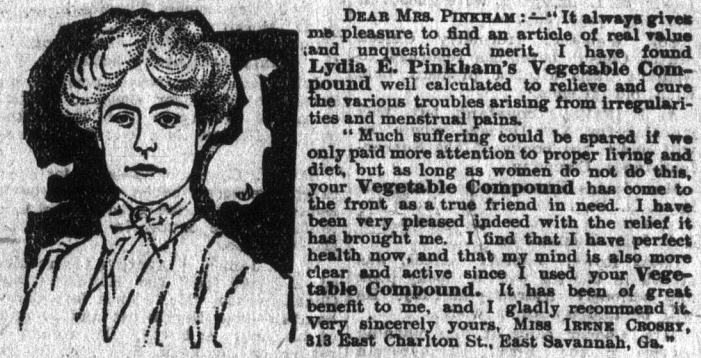
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