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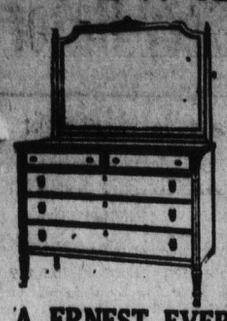

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That Piles, or Hemorrhoids, Can be Quickly Cured—A Justice of the Peace Cured Many Years Ago.

There has come to us recently these two letters from prominent men who bear unquestionable testimony in regard to Dr. Chase's Ointment as a prompt and lasting cure for piles.

These men give their evidence freely because they know what it means to suffer from the tortures of piles and then be cured. They feel it a duty and a pleasure to let others know how they, too, may be cured.

Rev. Frank N. Bowes, Methodist Minister, Priceville, Ont., writes: "In the winter of 1912 I was stationed in Cobalt. I went for a snowshoe tramp one day, and sat for only a few minutes on a cold stump waiting for some comrades to catch up to me. From sitting on the damp stump I contracted piles, and suffered so severely that it caused me great pain to walk. A friend recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment, and I immediately purchased a small box, which very rapidly effected a cure. I always keep a box on hand and find it excellent for any kind of wound or sore."

Mr. W. B. Thorne, J.P., Alderside, Alta., writes: "It was twenty-eight years ago that I became acquainted with the merits of Dr. Chase's Ointment and would not be without it on any account, as it never fails to do its work. I was first induced to try it for piles. Less than one box cured me, and I have never been troubled since. That was twenty-eight years ago, so I think the cure is permanent. It is good for sore lips and hands, chafing and, in fact, all sorts of sores. You are at liberty to use this statement for the benefit of others."

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FUNERALS

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon of William Scott, from his late residence, 6 Cranston avenue, at 2.30, service being conducted by the Rev. H. C. Fraser. Interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon of Miss Alice Maud Close, Kennedy street, at 2.30. Service was conducted by the Rev. E. A. Green, rector of St. Luke's. Interment in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Rachael H. McGaw, 169 Victoria street, service being conducted by the Rev. Mr. Stewart. Interment at Cedar Hill cemetery.

FOUR TRAIN WRECKS IN THE PAST TWO DAYS

Much Damage Caused Thursday and Friday—C. G. R., the C. P. R. and S. and A. Roads Suffer—Main Lines Were Blocked.

The C.G.R., the C.P.R. and S. and A. have been having serious trouble on the lines during the past two days, trains have been wrecked, traffic held up, much damage done and the cost for the same amounts a great amount of money.

On Thursday morning a side rod broke on the locomotive of the C.G.R. Sussex train, near Sussex, and accordingly the train was delayed for four hours. On the same day an engine and nine cars of a C.G.R. west bound freight left the rails between Little Forks and Athol near Springhill Junction. About two hundred yards of track was torn up and the line blocked for hours.

On Thursday a defective rail was the cause of two locomotives leaving the track of the Salisbury and Albert railroad and both engines toppled over on their sides. One locomotive became stalled with the ice and snow on the track and a second engine was sent to assist; shortly after the two locomotives reached a point near Hillsboro station the accident happened.

At four o'clock yesterday morning the main line of the C.G.R. between St. John and McAdam was tied up by the derailment of twelve loaded freight cars on an east bound train at Nerepis, 17 miles from St. John. The train was made up of thirty cars and it is presumed that the accident was caused by a broken rail. As a result passengers on east and west bound trains had to be transferred.

A number of the cars that left the rails were overturned, and as the train was travelling at about twenty miles an hour at the time of the accident the roadbed was badly torn up. Five of the cars were derailed in a cut which makes it all the more difficult to clear away the wreckage. Auxiliary trains were immediately sent out from Bay Shore and McAdam. The main line was all clear last night.

The Halifax express locomotive on the C.G.R., which left the city at seven o'clock yesterday morning, left the rails at No. 2 switch between Gilbert Lane and the Island yard. The engine did not upset but the tender which was heavily loaded with coal and water did and the contents of the same was strewn all round while the trucks were thrown a distance of about ten feet away. The baggage car was also derailed and the forward end of the car was badly damaged. The passengers and the cars that did not leave the rails were returned to the depot and another train was made up leaving eastward about 10.45 o'clock. A gang of men were set to work and it was not long before the line was cleared again.

DOES BETTER THAN NEW BRUNSWICK

Ontario Gets $3,000,000 Loan at Net Cost of 6.3166 Per Cent.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—Hon. T. W. McGarry made his promised statement in the legislature this afternoon regarding the new provincial loan. The province, he announced, would get $3,000,000, at a net cost of 6.3166 per cent. It was with a great deal of pride he said, that he announced that the province was able to make a loan on these terms. It was the best loan placed by any government, other than that of the Dominion, in the last twelve months. The loan will be placed by Wood Gundy and Company with large investors, in such a manner as not to interfere with the prospects of the next Dominion loan.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mary Finn.

Special to The Standard.

Chatham, Feb. 22—The death of Mrs. Mary Finn, widow of the late Mr. Arthur Finn, and eldest daughter of the late Mr. John Noonan, occurred at the Hotel Dieu Hospital Wednesday after an illness of five weeks, aged seventy-five years. Deceased was noted for her acts of charity, kindly disposition and fondness for children, and was greatly esteemed and respected. She leaves one sister, Mrs. James F. Maher, and two brothers, Mr. P. A. Noonan, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. J. Noonan, Pocahontas Co., West Virginia.

Mrs. James Rogan.

The death took place at an early hour yesterday morning of Mary, wife of James Rogan, at her residence, 77 Elm street. Deceased was a life-long resident of the North End, and daughter of the late John Ellis. Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, John and James, Augusta, Me., and Cornelius, city; two daughters, Mrs. Richard Payne, Hartford, Conn.; and Mrs. John Hillis city; one brother, Thomas Ellis, Brantford, Ont., and two sisters, Mrs. John McCann, Maine, and Miss Fannie Ellis, Hartford, Conn. The funeral will be held on Monday morning.

Mrs. Mary Hamilton.

Newcastle, Feb. 22.—Mrs. Mary Hamilton of Halcomb, formerly Miss Sherrard of Whitneyville, and widow of the late Joseph Hamilton, who predeceased her by six years, died on Tuesday evening after a long illness from dropsy and heart trouble.

Deceased was a most estimable and respected member of the Presbyterian church and was 80 years of age. She leaves one sister, Mary (Mrs. Wm. Stewart), of Whitneyville, and the following children: Jane (Mrs. David Harris), Mary (Mrs. Wm. Johnston), Thomas and John, all of Halcomb; James and Frederick of Lyttleton, and Burton, of Halcomb.

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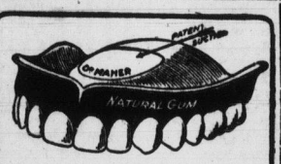

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BOLO'S APPEAL

Paris, Feb. 21.—The documents and evidence in the case of Bolo Pasha, convicted of treason and sentenced to death, will be submitted to the court of appeals tomorrow. It will be about three weeks before the appeal will be acted upon.

Captain Bouchardon, of the Paris military court today sent for Joseph Caillaux, former premier, and also accused of treason, and submitted him to a long examination

PETE HERMAN IN ARMY.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 21.—Peter Gulotta, better known as Peter Herman, world's bantamweight pugilist champion, today passed the physical examination and was accepted in the United States Naval Reserve.

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The British ministry of food is also endeavoring to arrange for supplies of salmon twine for the Canadian fisheries.

FREE KINDERGARTEN

The advanced cost of supplies and general up-keep makes the work of the Free Kindergarten Association very difficult this year. Kindly help us on February 26th. This is our yearly appeal to the public.

WEDDINGS

MacKinnon-Hysom.

Private Penrose Harrison MacKinnon of the 65th Battery, C. E. F. of Woodstock, and Miss Florence Carolyn Hysom of West Sullivan, Me., were married at the latter place on Feb. 18 by Rev. G. A. Sparks.

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