BAD CASE OF ECZEMA CURED BY ZAM-BUK

Another case of the healing power of Zam-Buk, in cases of eczema, is to hand from Winnipeg. Mrs. H. Cross, of 176 McIntosh Ave., Elmwood, is the subject, and gives the following facts, with a view to leading other sufferers to a means of cure:

"For five years," she says, "I was terribly afflicted with eczema on my legs, and despite all the doctoring and numerous remedies I tried, I seemed unable to get relief. The disease first started with watery blisters, which iched terribly, and when rubbed burned and smarted very much. The pustules then spread and formed sores. These were irritable and very painful. One blister was no sooner rubbed—or I might say touched—than another started.

"They soon spread over both limbs, and I suffered much inconvenience. I tried various remedies, as they were recommended, but could find no relief. Ordinary salves and ointments seemed unequal to my case.

"At last a friend suggested my using Zam-Buk. I acted on this advice and began the Zam-Buk treatment. A few applications gave me considerable ease, and the burning, smarting pains were reduced. I persevered with the balm, and in the course of a week the disease was under control and the sores healing. From that time forward I continued to improve, and the sores, too, became less and less troublesome, until in a wonderfully short time, considering the seriousness of my case and the long time I had been suffering, Zam-Buk worked a complete cure."

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DIED.

Flewwelling.—On Tuesday evening, 7th inst., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. S. March, 137 Wright street, Mrs. John Flewwelling, formerly of Hampton, N. B., at the advanced age of 88.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

Mason.—In this city on the 7th inst., Harold Clair Mason, only and beloved son of Ferris and Minnie Mason, in the 23rd year of his age. Funeral service at his parent's residence, 45 Victoria street, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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DIAMONDS IN CANADIAN WILD

Many Precious Gems Found by Indians in District Said to Resemble Kimberly in Formation.

Fort Francis, Ont., Feb. 7.—Old mining men and prospectors in this region do not need to be told by Dr. Ami of the geological survey that great diamond wealth undoubtedly lies hidden in that part of Canada between the Great Lakes and Hudson Bay. In the Rainy River district and in the auriferous valley of the Seine many "sparklers" have been obtained from Indians and French Canadian voyageurs, who had picked them up in their wanderings without any idea of their character and value.

At the hamlet of Mine Centre, in the Seine River country, George R. Douglass is resident agent and assayer for the Rothschild interests, which are buying large tracts of land in the district that give evidence of gold bearing quartz. Mr. Douglass was long a resident of South Africa. He says the geological conformation of the Rainy Lake and Seine territories is almost identical with that of the Kimberley district.

Forty miles from the mouth of the Big Fork river, which empties into the Rainy from northern Minnesota, are many ancient mounds the origin of which extends beyond the traditions of the Ojibways. Until recently these mounds had been inviolate, for they are in a wild region, little visited by white men and accessible only by canoe. One summer, however, scientists from the University of Toronto came out to explore them. From one of the mounds on which a sturdy oak was growing a large human skeleton, perfectly preserved, was exhumed. It was not that of an Indian, and in the cavity whence it was taken were evidences of pre-historic civilization, in the form of many articles of pottery, some stamped with unique and beautiful designs.

A Large Diamond.

Around the skeleton's neck was a band of pure copper and a curiously wrought necklace of the same metal, into which were interwoven shells and colored stones. What arrested the attention of the exploring party, however, was a stone which gleamed from the centre of a pendant to the necklace. At first it was thought to be nothing more than a clear piece of quartz, but closer examination and testing proved that it was a diamond.

Although half a dozen mounds were opened before the party left the region and copper ornaments and pottery were found with skeletons in all of them, no more diamonds were unearthed.

On going out a band of Ojibways was met, to whom the articles found in the mounds were shown, in the hope of obtaining traditions concerning their origin. As to the copper the Indians were ignorant, but they grunted disdaingully when shown the pottery and the diamond. Specimens of the former, they said, could be obtained in almost any quantity from the remains of ancient pottery works that once existed on the banks of the Big Fork near the Big Falls, a few miles up the stream, while in the same region glittering stones of the sort the palefaces seemed to regard so highly had frequentl ybeen found.

Startled by the information the Toronto party pushed on to the Big Falls, which marked in the old days the disputed boundary between the Hudson Bay Company and the American Fur Company. There they found an old hermit squatter, Dan Campbell. He took them to the ancient pottery field opposite his cabin, and what was more, brought from a pouch which he carried, three stones of a purity and brilliancy that exceeded that of the one found by his visitors. These stones he had found during his 30 years of life by the Big Fork while scratching the surface of the pottery field with his hunting knife.

Old Dan had no idea that his finds were more than quartz, despite the care with which he had preserved them. So skeptical was he of his visitors' assertions that the stones were diamonds that he intrusted them to their care to be appraised in Toronto and their value sent to him.

Worth $2,500.

Nor were the party mistaken in their judgment. The four stones were pronounced to be real gems, weighing 12 carats and worth $2,500.

Mr. Douglass was sitting in the trading post at Mine Centre one afternoon when a young buck and his squaw entered to exchange pelts for provisions. They had come by canoe 50 miles down the Seine valley. Strapped to a birch bark frame the mother carried a papoose on her back. This she took off and leaned the youngster against the counter while she joined in her husband's dickering with the store keeper.

Mr. Douglass noticed that the young redskin held something firmly in his hand, which every now and then, after gazing upon, he tried to put into his mouth, but was prevented by the vigilant mother. Curious to see what kind of a toy the Indian baby had, Mr. Douglass pried open his little brown fist, and there lay scintillating a diamond as large as a hazel nut. There was no mistake about it. In astonishment he inquired of the squaw where she found the gem.

"Oh, it," she replied contemptuously, in her gutteral tongue, "my man picked it up when he was getting the poles for our tepee up the river."

Douglass pulled out a twenty-dollar bill and offered it to the squaw for the stone. But paper money has little significance for the Ojibway in the wilds of Canada. A gleam of avarice shot into the squaw's eye and tightened the corners of her mouth as she saw how anxious the white man was to get her baby's plaything. She shook her head and grunted a decided negation.

Douglass smiled, for he knew the Ojibway character.

"Give me all the chickenfeed you've got," he said to the trader.

The storekeeper emptied the sack on the counter, containing about $10 in small change. The squaw's eyes and those of the buck glittered.

"Here," said Douglass, as he shoved the coins towards them, "give me the stone."

In a trice the mother snatched the gem from the papoose and tossed it over to Douglass. The diamond was taken to Toronto and appraised at nearly $1,000.

News Photgraph Shows Havoc In Communipaw Explosion

The Swedish steel barkentine Ingrid, which lay near the pier when the dynamite exploded—The Ingrid's rigging was riddled and stripped as though from a broadside of machine guns—The man in the corner is Jas. Wynne, who was weighing carrgo on Ingrid and was later taken out of the water unconscious. He said: "All at once there was a flash of flame, the little powder boat disappeared before my eyes. I felt myself being carried through the air. I did not feel any pain or shock, only surprise. The air seemed filled with pieces of flying plank and iron beams. It seems to me that I saw men's bodies being thrown in the air. Then I fell into the water."

FIRST MEETING OF WOODSTOCK COUNCIL

Mayor Ketchum Speaks of Good Financial Position of Town--Committees Chosen-Town Officials Re-appointed

Woodstock, Feb. 6.—The first meeting of the newly elected town council was held in the council chamber this evening, His Worship Mayor Ketchum presiding.

In his inaugural address the mayor made reference to the recent election and thanked the ratepayers for their support that enabled him to be mayor of a town that has been incorporated over half a century. Certainly one of the leading towns in the Maritime Provinces, he said, which on the whole had been governed well and the financial standing of which was high in the business world.

He hoped that the council in any extraordinary expenditure contemplated would be very sure of its ground as he thought the bonded indebtedness should not be increased except in some work of a very necessary and personal nature. He referred to the questions that may come before the board this year, chief of which were pavement of streets; the questions of the contract for supplying power to the town; the necessity of a careful assessment and the prompt collection of taxes.

The following committees were appointed:

Finance, audit and printing—Jones, Mair, Bailey.

Water and light—Mair, Dibblee, Gallagher.

Streets—Gallagher, Bailey, Dibblee.

Poor—Bailey, Gibson, Gallagher.

Sewers—Dibblee, Bailey, Gibson.

Fire—Gibson, Gallagher, Dibblee.

Police, licenses, town hall, scales—Dibblee, Mair, Jones.

The following officers were re-elected:

J. C. Hartley, town clerk and solicitor.

H. W. Bourne, town treasurer.

Owen Kelly, chief of police.

Thos. McCarron, night watch.

Chas. Comben, principal assessor.

C. D. Jordan, John Thibbideau, assessors.

A lot of routine business was transacted, including the payment of returning officers and constables, after which adjournment was made until Friday night.

ARMY IMMIGRATION

The Canadian officers of the Salvation Army sent over to the Old Country to select settlers for Canada, report business very brisk in this direction. Already parties have been arranged to sail on the following boats during the month of March:

March 1—Lake Champlain from Liverpool.
March 3—Virginian, from Liverpool.
March 4—Numidian, from Glasgow
March 4—Canada, from Liverpool.
March 8—Royal Edward, from Bristol.
March 9—Tunisian, from Liverpool.
March 9—Dominion, from Liverpool.
March 10—Empress of Britain, from Liverpool.
March 15—Lake Manitoba, from Liverpool.
March 17—Victorian from Liverpool.
March 18—Megantic, from Liverpool.
March 18—Grampian, from Glasgow
March 22—Royal George, from Bristol.
March 23—Corsican, from Liverpool.
March 24—Empress of Ireland, from Liverpool.
March 30—Lake Champlain, from Liverpool.
March 31—Virginian, from Liverpool.

This will give people in Canada who wish to bring out their friends under the care of the Salvation Army, an excellent opportunity of doing so.

Special attention is given to selecting suitable people for the Maritime Provinces by an officer appointed especially for that work. Farmers who will need help should write at once to Staff Captain Jennings, Box 477, Halifax, N. S.

BARRISTERS HONOR LATE R. O. STOCKTON

Resolution of Regret Moved at Largely Attended Meeting of Society--Attendance at Funeral Tribute to Worth.

A well attended meeting of the Barristers' Society was held yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock, the president, A. A. Wilson, in the chair. E. T. C. Knowles, in a brief speech, moved a resolution expressing the regret of the members at the loss the society had sustained in the death of Mr. Stockton. The resolution was seconded by Dr. R. F. Quigley, who added his personal word of appreciation of Mr. Stockton. The resolution was as follows:

Resolved, that the sudden death of Robert Oldfield Stockton, for many years a member of the legal profession, practising in this city, has caused a loss, sincerely regretted in the membership of this society. Mr. Stockton in the discharge of his professional duties, and in his capacity of registrar of the exchequer court on its Admiralty side, in this province, as well as in such other positions as he was called on to fill, was painstaking, courteous and efficient, and by his genial and generous disposition won the respect and friendship, not only of his professional brethren, but of those of the public with whom he did business and especially of his many personal friends. The society records its appreciation of his excellent qualities and extends to the members of his famliy its sincere sympathy in their bereavement.

Further resolved that a copy of this resolution be entered in the minutes of the society and a copy of it sent to his immediate relatives.

Mr. Stockton's funeral took place at 11 o'clock from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. Verner McLellan, 95 Coburg street, and was very largely attended. After a service at the house conducted by Rev. Messrs. Marr, Campbell, Dickie and Lang the body was conveyed to the station, the Barristers' Society and St. George's Society walking and also many citizens. Interment took place at Sussex. Mr. Stockton's daughter, Mrs. A. J. Webster, of Shediac, was present, as was Mrs. McLellan, who had been at Shediac with Mrs. Webster and only returned home on Saturday.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

The case of Robert Campbell vs Donaldson Bros. was resumed before Mr. Justice McKeown in the Circuit Court yesterday morning at 11 o'clock Dr. Bentley was examined for the defendants. He said that he believed that Campbell was fit for work, and disagreed with Dr. Baxter, who testified on Monday that Campbell was in a weak condition. Mr. Baxter applied for leave to open the plaintiff's case, which was refused. Argument of counsel then followed, and at one o'clock the court adjourned sine die, judgment to be delivered at a day to be agreed upon.

County Court.

Before Judge Forbes, in County Court Chambers yesterday morning, final judgment was signed against the defendant in the case of the Dominion Express Company vs. Henry Morgan, for $40.00 and costs. The facts of the case are interesting. Sometime ago T. Eaton Company, Ltd., of Toronto, shipped to one Henry Norman, of Plaster Rock, Victoria county, goods to the value of $40. By mistake, the goods were delivered to the defendant Henry Morgan, who also reside in Plaster Rock, who accepted delivery but refused to yield up the articles or pay for them. The plaintiff was compelled to pay the T. Eaton Company for the mistake, and brought this suit against Morgan for the recovery of the value of the goods. Morgan did not appear and judgment was signed by default. J. Oscar Ring appeared for the plaintiff. It was intimated that other proceedings might be taken against the defendant.

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LIBERAL AGENTS PAID TO BOOM RECIPROCITY

Charge May be Made in House That Parties Were Accepted From United States Sources ---Proof Forthcoming.

Toronto, Feb. 7.—The Mail and Empire today prints the following from Montreal: "According to information obtained here a big sensation is expected to be sprung before the present session of Parliament is much older.

The charges that will be preferred according to this information, will expose one of the most sensational scandals that has been shown up for a long time. It is alleged that certain Liberal agents received large sums of money from interests on the other side of the line with the understanding that they would use their influence to have a reciprocity agreement put through Parliament as soon as posible.

Proof to substantiate the charge, it is said, will be forthcoming when the opportunity presents itself.

OBITUARY.

W. Beverley Allison.

Sackville, Jan. 7.—A telegram today from Edmonton brought news of the deat of W. Beverley Allison, of Sackville. Death was due to pneumonia. Mr. Allison was about 28 years old and a member of the law firm of Lavelle & Allison, Strathcona. He graduated with honors from Mount Alison in 1903, subsequently taking his master's degree. On graduation he went to Edmonton and began study of law, being admitted to the bar several years ago and meeting with much success. Last fall he was taken ill with congestion of the lungs, and his system was apparently weakened so that he could not withstand the attack of pneumonia. In addition to his parents he is survived by one sister Gretchen, who has been viiting in the west and was with him when he died.

Thomas Brownell.

In Jolicure this morning Thomas Brownell died, aged about 60. He was a well known and respected resident He is survived by his wife and several children. The latter include Mrs. Victor Dixon, of Upper Point de Bute; Miss Alberta Brownell and Edgar Brownell of Jolicure. Mrs. Brownell was formerly Miss Wry.

Thomas Lawless.

St. Martins, Feb. 6.—Thomas Lawless, who has been living alone at Little Beach, was found dead on Saturday morning by one of his neighbors William Black, who went to his house with a load of wood. Not seeing any one about he entered the house and found him dead. He was about sixty years of age and had not been in very good health for some time.

William Gott.

Death won a grim race yesterday morning when Wm. Gott expired on the Boston train as he was being hurried to the hospital for treatment. The deceased, who was seventy-four years old, is a native of England, but has has been in this country for a long time and in recent years has lived at South Bay. During the winter he has been employed with the Inglewood Pulp and Paper Company as assistant cook in their lumber camp five miles back of Westfield. He was taken sick three weeks ago, but each day professed to be feeling better and refused offers to take him to the hospital. As he was not recovering the foreman, Wm. Cairns, decided on Monday that he would have to go to the city for treatment and detailed Archibald McMaster and Joseph Bailey to accompany him. They drove to Westfield yesterday morning and placed him on board the train. He said then that he was feeling better but a few minutes later he was dead. Dr. Berryman was notified, but as he was not available, Dr. T. D. Walker viewed the remains at the station.

St. Patrick's Parade.

At a meeting of the Father Mathew Association held on Monday evening, James H. McHugh submitted a report of the proceedings at the meeting of delegates of various Catholic societies on Friday evening last, to arrange for the St. Patrick's day parade, and the members of the F. M. A. decided to participate in the parade and march in a body. W. J. Magee and E. J. Moran reported on the same matter at a meeting of the Y. M. S. of St. Joseph on Monday night, and the members, after expressing a unanimous desire to take part in the parade, decided to refer the matter to the executive of the society.

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TRURO NEWS PLANT DAMAGED BY FIRE

Building Totally Destroyed by Blaze Which Started From Monoline Machine — Heavy Insurance Losses.

Truro, N. S., Feb. 7.—The News Publishing Company's building was completely destroyed at 7 o'clock this morning by fire. The building is a total loss. The fire is supposed to have started in a Monoline machine. The insurance covered the loss. The company will endeavor to start its paper at once in temporary quarters. The insurance is scheduled among a number of companies. Fire fighters saved adjoining buildings only after hard work. At ten o'clock the fire was held in the tons of paper stored in the building.

The insurance on plant and stock was:

Phoenix of Brooklyn	$ 800
North British and Mercantile	1,500
Atlas	1,500
Scottish Union and National	1,000
Northern	1,500
Insurance Co. of North America	500
Connecticut	1,700
Norwich	1,500
Anglo-American	1,500
General	1,000
On Building	
Halifax	$1,000
Canadian	1,000
New York Underwriters	1,000

ANNUAL MEETING OF FORESTRY ASSOCIATION

George Y. Chown, Registrar of Queen's University, Chosen as Next President--Convention Winnipeg Next Year

Ottawa, Feb. 7.—At the annual meeting of the Canadian Forestry Association, held here this morning, George Y. Chown, registrar of Queen's University, was elected president and John Hendry, Vancouver, vice-president for the ensuing year. A total membership of 2,703 was reported, with a balance on hand of $1,033.67. Owing to the Toronto train not arriving a number of members were detained from being present and from the same cause the annual meeting of the Canadian Lumbermen's Association was postponed until late this afternoon.

The committee on forest fires presented a report saying it heartily concurred in the work done at the recent Quebec convention and in addition suggested that a permanent head of fire protective work be appointed as well as patrolmen with full powers of making arrests without warrants. The districting the country under sub heads was also mooted. The report was tabled for consideration by the executive. Winnipeg was decided on as the next convention place.

MONTCALM TRIP OPENS UP NEW POSSIBILITIES

Ice Breaking Steamer Reaches Anticosti in Midwinter After Making Calls Along North Shore of Gulf.

Quebec, Feb. 7.—The ice breaking steamer Montcalm reached Anticosti this morning after a two days trip from Quebec. On the way down she called at Pentacost, Clarke City and Seven Islands. She will leave Anticosti tonight on the return trip to Quebec.

The success of the vessel reaching Anticosti in midwinter is enthusiastically received here by shipping men and the merchants as it looks well for winter navigation and will open up winter trade with ports on the north shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence which heretofore have been tied up and isolated for at least six months of the year.

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Mr. Vail's Property Sold.

C. E. Vail's freehold property on Elliott Row has been sold through A. H. Chipman to Mrs. Boyaner. Mr. Vail's cottage at Renforth has been bought by J. A. Lipsett.