

## "Was Fading Away"

A Young Woman—Scarcely  
Thirty—Seemed to Be  
Dying on Her Feet.

### Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cured

"I think it should be the duty of the schools to teach children how to keep well," writes Miss Nannie E. Maydon, a well-known and highly esteemed resident of Bristol. "Ignorance of the laws of health and the use of improper remedies destroyed my vigor, and led me to the verge of invalidism. I was as a girl ruddy and strong. Nothing seemed to affect me until I was about thirty. Then gas began to form in the stomach. I suffered with bloating and a general failure in strength set in. If I went upstairs my breath hurt. My system was very irregular, and until I grew pretty bad I didn't pay much heed to my condition. Then I got blue, worried all the time, awakened in the night, and couldn't get to sleep again. None of the medicine I took helped me. One day I was reading of a very interesting case like mine cured by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. I took the same treatment. It was just right—didn't physic me to death, but took hold of the weak, sick parts of my system, and set things right. It seems as if Dr. Hamilton's Pills have made me young again, and all my color, spirits, vigor, and health of former days have returned to stay." Every girl and woman should use Dr. Hamilton's Pills regularly. They help a woman in many ways. Beware of the dealer who asks you to take an inferior pill on which his profit is larger than on Dr. Hamilton's. Sold in yellow boxes, 25c per box, all dealers, or The Catarthozone, Co., Kingston, Ont.

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### ARKONA

Mr. Ray Eastman, of the C.P.R. staff, Moncton, is spending a few days under the parental roof here.

Miss Grace Edmunds, of Thedford, was the guest of Miss Bessie Brown last Thursday.

Mr. Louis Knisley left on Saturday for Windsor, where he has accepted a position.

Mr. Art Smith, of Dresden, spent a few

days with friends in the Ark last week.

For the ladies.—New styles in Ralind shoes.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. Willard Eastman entertained the teachers and officers, the ladies' and adult Bible Classes of the Methodist Sunday School last Wednesday evening. A pleasant time was spent.

Miss E. M. Irwin is visiting friends in Sarnia this week.

Mr. Fred Eastman is visiting friends in Sarnia this week.

The Arkona flour mill is working night and day to keep up with the rush of orders.

Mr. J. F. Dickson, of Forest, made a business trip to the Ark last Thursday.

See our new laces and embroideries.—Brown Bros.

Messrs. Will and Hugh Johnston have options of 2500 acres of land in the vicinity of Arkona for a company of English capitalists.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Spillane, of Pt. Huron, spent a few days with relatives here.

Miss E. Fuller and Miss Reta Herrington are attending millinery openings in Toronto.

Try Fuller Bros. for good Indian made axe handles.

Miss E. N. Irwin is attending millinery openings in Toronto.

Mrs. Allen and son, of Pt. Huron, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross.

Mrs. Geo. Evans, of Durand, is visiting at her home here.

Mr. Thos. Langan and family have returned from Wallaceburg.

Mr. R. H. Wilson left on Wednesday for Starbuck, Man. Mr. Wilson is shipping another car of horses to the West.

Fuller Bros. are showing an excellent range of new wall papers.

### NAPIER.

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Miss Cassie Bowly on Wednesday.

The death took place on Saturday, Feb. 11th, of Mr. R. McLean, of Brooke.

The pupils of S. S. No. 3 enjoyed a "Valentine box" Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Stewart and Mrs. (Dr.) Savers attended the Presbyterian convention held at Inwood Tuesday.

The Young People's Guild, Napier, will entertain the young people of Chalmers' church Brooke, congregation, at a social gathering in the town hall, Tuesday evening, Feb. 21st.

A number of Napier ladies attended the W. F. M. S. meeting at the home of Mrs. P. McGregor, Brooke, Thursday, Feb. 9th. The society has been lately organized and nine members enlisted at this meeting.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anthony, died in London on Monday morning, Feb. 6th. The remains were brought to Napier for interment Wednesday, at 1 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony returned to London Friday.

The literary society in connection with the Young People's Guild will have a debate in the Mause on Friday evening, Feb. 24th. Resolved.—That reciprocity between Canada and the U. S. will be of more benefit to the latter than to the former. An interesting time is being looked forward to.

The Women's Institute met in the Town Hall on Wednesday last. The meeting was opened by roll call, sixteen ladies responded. Three new members enrolled. After the usual business routine the district president read the delegate's report, of the annual convention, which has been delayed for some time. The report was excellent, showing careful observation and preparation. Mrs. Woods, of Kewood, gave a very instructive paper on Home Life. Readings were given by Mrs. Bella Hay and Lula McLean. A vote of sincere sympathy was tendered Mrs. M. McNeill in her illness. It was decided to have a public meeting in March in the town hall, a small fee to be charged. Notice later. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. Thanks is due Mrs. Hughes, president, for the comforts of carpet and decorations in the hall.

Lieut. Col. Robert McKenzie, of Sarnia, president of the Ontario Canoeing Association, had the misfortune to fall while playing in Detroit Saturday afternoon, and broke his collarbone.

### BROOKE COUNCIL.

Inwood, 11th Feb., 1911.

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of previous meeting read, and on motion of Munro, seconded by Sutton, were approved.

Report of Engineer read on the proposed drain across lots 10 and 11 in the 11th con. and to be known as the Edgar Drain. Estimated cost \$681.00.

Fisher—Tait, that report be accepted, and Clerk instructed to prepare by-law for submission at next meeting, authorizing the construction of drain; and the borrowing by debenture of the funds necessary for the work.—Carried.

Engineer's report read on the proposed tile drain across lots 10 and 11 on the Blind Line between the 7th and 8th con., estimated cost \$662.00.

Munro—Sutton, that report be received and by-law prepared authorizing work, and the borrowing by debenture of the funds required.—Carried.

Notice received and read of the intention of the promoters of the Peoples' Railway to apply for permission to extend and operate their lines in other directions.

Fisher—Tait, that notice received be filed.—Carried.

Tait—Fisher, that the sum of \$5.00 be granted to the Children's Aid Society of Lambton County.—Carried.

Petition received from R. McMurray and 17 others asking that the proposed drain on the Blind Line between the 6th and 10th concessions, be extended northward to a 2-1/2 sideroad to receive the waters of the Kennedy drain. Report not being received, no action was taken.

Munro—Tait, that the Sisson-Parker Drain By-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried, read and passed.

Darvill—Fisher, that order be granted Mrs. Thompson for \$3.87 in aid of payment of her taxes.—Carried.

Petition presented signed by G. W. Lucas and 19 others, offering to draw free of payment 190 loads of gravel in improving the 9-10 sideroad in the 11th and 12th cons., if Council would liberally supplement this gratis work by grading the road and paying for drawing of additional gravel.

Darvill—Tait, that the sum of \$250.00 be granted in aid of the grading and gravelling on this road.—Carried.

Messrs. Johnston and Oke appeared as a deputation to the Brooke and Alvinston Agricultural Society asking for a grant in aid.

Munro—Tait, that the Society be granted the sum of \$100.00.—Carried.

Tenders received, and opened, for the job of the McDougall drain, and found as follows:—Angus Stewart \$735.00, and Dougald McDougall \$749.00.

Darvill—Sutton, that the tender of Angus Stewart be accepted.—Carried.

Munro—Sutton, that John Zavitz be appointed Tp. Treasurer at a salary of \$120.00 per annum.—Lost.

Darvill—Fisher, that Wm. A. McDonald be reappointed Treasurer at a salary of \$120.00.—Carried.

Darvill—Munro, that the Clerk be instructed to prepare a by-law authorizing the distribution pro rata to those entitled thereto, of the share of the Government grant given to Brooke, Enniskillen and Dawn Township Drain, and received through the Township of Enniskillen. Orders on Treasurer in payment of grant to be prepared also.—Carried.

Tait—Munro, that Council do now adjourn to meet in the village of Alvinston, on Saturday, the 11th day of March, 1911.—Carried.

W. G. WILLOUGHBY, Clerk.

### BABY'S OWN TABLETS

#### FOR ALL BABIES.

Every mother of young children should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. No other medicine has relieved so many little ones of the ailments that afflict them as have Baby's Own Tablets—no other medicine can be given baby with that absolute sureness of safety as can these Tablets. The mother has the guarantee of a Government analyst that they do not contain a particle of those harmful drugs that make those so-called "soothing" stuffs so dangerous to the life of the little one. The Tablets never fail to be of benefit. Concerning them Mrs. Jno. A. Albert, Caraque, N.B., writes:—"I am happy to state that I have used Baby's Own Tablets for constipation for my two children with great satisfaction." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### FARMING UP TO DATE.

Institute Week in Watford.

If this week you see a farmer coming to the town, B his wife his newest wife In her newest gown? Do you query where they travel? The Institute's the charm Where wise professors tell them how They ought to run their farm.

How to care for good old Tidy So she'll not go dry, How much corn fell cunning piggy Makes him meet to fry. Prove that smiles, however sunny, Ne'er will ripen wheat, But honest toil from dark to dawn Bring all good things to eat. And earnest mothers study training Of their children dear, Or how to grow a fragrant flower Some invalid to cheer. Home return Joan and Darby, Nor covet fashions grand, Both very sure the sweetest life Is back upon the land.

It took twenty-three ballots to elect a warden at the recent meeting of the county council of Elgin. Forest council granted the public school board \$17,000 for the purpose of building a new six-room school.

## THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE, - TORONTO.

### Fourth Yearly Financial Statement

APRIL 30th, 1910.

ASSETS, \$7,258,480.67 AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$3,000,000.00.  
DEPOSITS, \$5,083,667.84 RESERVE FUND, \$281,616.87.  
NET PROFIT FOR YEAR, \$117,076.61.

G. T. SOMERS, President. F. W. BROUGHALL General Manager.

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Money Loaned to Farmers and Others on Notes, Drafts and Money Orders Issued and Payable at Par in Canada and the United States.

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Correspondence is invited.

D. N. SINCLAIR, - Manager.

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Vice-President: JONATHAN HODGSON, Esq.  
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Assets 71,600,058

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Old Ladies' Comfort Shoes.  
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All made for our trade and you can depend upon getting the best values that can be had, and as low in price as anywhere in Canada.

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If you were disappointed last year order now and we will have them when you need them.

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