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DOING THINGS

Since Conservatives have come into power at Ottawa, and Toronto, things have been done for the two Brants; which before were absolutely neglected.

From 1881 to 1911—fifteen years—a Liberal Government held office at the Capital.

What did Brantford or Brant County get from them?

Outside of a *brant* (of the Bell Memorial), and an enlargement of the drill hall, the rest of the needed attention for the city were nil, and for the County nothing at all. For Brantford a greatly needed new public building was ignored, the need for more help in the Post Office was side-tracked. The same was true of the Customs and so on.

What has happened, through the efforts of Mr. Cocksbutt, M.P., backed by other Conservatives, since the Borden Ministry arrived:

- 1.—A site purchased for a new public building.
- 2.—Tenders now asked for a handsome structure thereon.
- 3.—Customs staff brought to a state of numerical efficiency.
- 4.—Post Office clerks and letter carriers increased to meet needs.
- 5.—In the interest of the County, as well as the City, a Government subsidy to the Lake Erie and Northern Railway.
- 6.—Rural mail delivery ordered for all portions of the Riding.

In North Brant, Mr. J. H. Fisher, M.P., although only a member for a little over a year, has likewise had the interests of his constituents suitably recognized.

- 1.—He was a big factor on behalf of the Erie and Northern grant, which will mean so much to Paris.
- 2.—He speedily had Post Office improvements inaugurated.
- 3.—He has been successfully active on behalf of rural mail delivery, and

THE ANTIQUITY OF SHORTHAND

In connection with the centennial celebration of Sir Isaac Pitman, the father of modern shorthand, it is pointed out by a well known authority on the subject in the London Strand, that shorthand is now so well known and so widely practised that we are apt to think of it merely as a product of our own bustling times. Nevertheless, the history of the art of shorthand writing extends over a period of some thousands of years, and its origin, in spite of much discussion and the production of an enormous amount of literature on the subject, is obscured in the mists of antiquity. It is a history filled with humour, with romance, and even with tragedy.

The first system of which we have definite knowledge has itself a romantic story. It is the system of Marcus Tullius Tiro, originally a slave of the immortal Cicero. Whether Tiro was the inventor of the method he used, whether it was devised by Cicero, or whether the system was much older than either, are points upon which historians have squabbled for centuries, but the fact remains that Tiro became so proficient in the art (if it had not been for this gifted slave many of the famous orator's most treasured speeches would never have been recorded) and so useful to his master that he was given his freedom by Cicero, becoming his private secretary and staunch friend.

This is romance. There are both humour and tragedy in the fate of Cassianus, who was a teacher of shorthand at Imla during the fourth century. Whether it was the fault of the teacher or the system we are not told, but the class one day became so exasperated that they attacked and killed the unfortunate Cassianus with their styles. The system he used was that of Tiro, which survived for many centuries, and though extremely useful in the absence of any better method, it did not always lead to that accuracy which could be desired.

Scholars are in doubt whether it was the system of Bright or Willis which was used for taking down Shakespeare's plays. For, little was we pause to reflect upon it. Shakespeare's plays were first taken down in shorthand, and it is from the reporter's transcripts that the plays were, for the most part, printed in

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Stick headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as indigestion, nausea, diarrhoea, distress after eating, pain in the side, &c. While the most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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the poet's lifetime.

Samuel Peps, the writer of the famous diary during Charles Second's reign wrote all of it in shorthand; Dickens also was first of all a shorthand writer after reaching his teens and many other famous men have started in that profession.

A SOUR, GASSY, UPSET STOMACH

"Pape's Diapepsin" overcomes your indigestion in five minutes.

Wonder what upset your stomach—what portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in revolt; if sour, gassy, and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; your head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate ungested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Diapepsin and in five minutes you truly will wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion, if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the "quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary.

How about the Ontario House? For over a quarter of a century Liberals held office there, and during nearly the whole period two Liberals were returned from the Brants.

How much did they do; didn't even stop London from securing legislation to take the Grand Trunk car shops from this city.

What in two sessions has been the record of the Whitney Government on representations from Mr. W. S. Brewster, M.P.P.?

- 1.—Increased buildings at the Ontario Institution for the Blind.
- 2.—The prevention of Hamilton making a proposed raid on natural gas at the expense of Brantford.
- 3.—Putting through a new constitution for the Brantford Hospital.
- 4.—A labor bureau in the city.
- 5.—The establishment of a fish hatchery in the County and the stocking of the Grand River with bass.

Mr. Brewster was also one of the Lake Erie and Northern deputation to Ottawa.

Mr. Jack Westbrook, the youthful member for North Brant, has not been long in the Ontario House, but since his advent, there is an agricultural representative for the County of Brant, with headquarters at Paris.

It will thus be seen that under Conservative auspices the people in the two Brants have had their interests properly, yes handsomely, looked after, when, under Liberal regimes, they could not even secure scant justice.

FARMERS' MARKET

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—The following are the latest quotations:

Grain and Hay—

Fall wheat, bush.	\$93 to 96
Oats, new	40 to 41
Goose wheat	91 to 92
Barley, 2 row	16 to 17
Rye	83 to 85
Peas	1.25 to 1.35
Hay, timothy, new	17.00 to 18.00
Clover mixed hay	14.00 to 16.00
Straw, bundled	16.00 to 18.00
Rye straw	16.00 to 18.00

Produce—

Butter and Eggs—	
Eggs (new laid, doz)	40 to 50
Butter, choice, dairy	30 to 33

Poultry—

Spring chickens, lb.	16 to 20
Fowl	14 to 16
Geese	16 to 18
Ducks	18 to 20
Turkeys	26 to 28

Miscellaneous—

Cabbages, doz.	35 to 45
Potatoes, bag	1.00 to 1.10
Apples, barrel	2.00 to 3.50
Dressed hogs	11.00 to 12.00
Celery	5 to 7
do heavy	3.00 to 3.50
do bucks and culls	1.50 to 3.50
Hogs, fed and watered	8.00 to 0.00
do fob.	7.65 to 0.00

LIVE STOCK

Export cattle, choice	6.25 to 6.60
do medium	5.75 to 6.25
do common	3.50 to 4.25
Butcher cattle, choice	6.25 to 6.65
do good cows	5.75 to 6.25
do medium	5.00 to 5.50
do common	3.50 to 4.25
Butcher cows, good	5.00 to 5.60
do good cows	4.00 to 5.00

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PARIS

(From our own correspondent.)

PARIS, Jan. 6.—Mr. Francis Graham died Sunday morning at two o'clock from injuries receiving by falling downstairs. Mr. Graham was one of our oldest citizens and for many years conducted a merchant tailoring business in town. He was an elder in the Presbyterian church and won the respect of all who knew him. He leaves a grown up family, but his wife pre-deceased him by many years.

Rev. Mr. Reid, Baptist minister and Rev. Mr. Macdonald of the Presbyterian church, exchanged pulpits on Sunday evening.

The churches have inaugurated a Week of Prayer this week, Tuesday evening in the Presbyterian church by Rev. Mr. Heyworth; Wednesday evening in the Congregational church by Miss Margaret Elliott returned from the Baptist church by Rev. Mr. Kerriush and Friday evening in the Methodist church by Rev. Mr. Purgon.

Miss Margaret Elliott returned from a visit to her home in Woodstock on Saturday.

Thomas J. O'Brien has returned from the West.

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Dated at Brantford this 20th day of December, 1912.

ANDREW L. BAIRD, K.C.,
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QUIZZES AND ANSWERS FOR CHIROPRACTORS.

Do you use electric belts or batteries? No.

Do you use medicine or drugs? No.

Do you practice surgery? No.

Do you practice obstetrics? No.

Do you rub, slap or use massage? No.

Do you use a stretching machine? No.

Do you hypnotize or mesmerize your subjects? No.

Can you treat me at a distance? We could no more fix you at a distance than your jeweler could fix your watch at the same distance.

Do you have to have faith? No. We adjust six months old babies.

Is there anything in your science like Christian Science, Faith Cure, Mind Cure, Metaphysics, Suggestive Therapeutics, Mental Science, Osteopathy? No.

Do you cure disease? No. We adjust the cause and nature does the healing. We remove the dams or obstructions that are restricting the life current.

CHIROPRACTIC (Spinal Adjustments).

Remove the Cause of Disease Without Medicine or Knife.

Chiropractor means one who adjusts with the hands. Chiropractic (Spinal Adjustments) is founded on the simple scientific principle that the functions of the body are governed by the nerves; that these nerves radiate from the spinal column through openings between the vertebrae.

Neuralgia, Asthma, Female Diseases, and the various Diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Kidneys.

As all the motor and sensory powers are transmitted through nerves, it is plain to be seen that the nerves should be free from all abnormal pressure. Strange, but true, all the nerves of the body may be freed by adjusting the spinal vertebrae with the hands.

Removing the Cause.

Chiropractors have remarkable success in removing the cause of Appendicitis, Deafness, Asthma, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Lamé Back, Constipation, Piles, Female Diseases, Stomach and Kidney Trouble, Nervous Prostration and Pneumonia.

NO LOCAL EXAMINATIONS used, as they are unnecessary.

Lady Patients.

In no line of disease do we have better success than in the ailments which afflict womankind. Benefits are promptly shown without the annoyance which they are subjected to under the drug treatment. The proper nerve supply being restored, the normal functions are quickly re-established.

Why Am I All Stirred Up After Taking Spinal Adjustments?

Disease is a perversion of the normal law. To get well requires time that is necessary to rebuild these abnormal tissues. To accomplish this means that all diseases must retrace their steps. Sometimes this process seems uncalled for, but it is all for the best; it is these that you should grip tightly and remain by your chiropractor, and in a few days you will generally see good results.

Motherhood Made Easy.

Motherhood should not be as painful and dangerous as it is, and if nature had its own way it would not be so, but it is in a great majority of cases, there are some of the nerves impinged through which nature controls the organs of generation and in that way makes them inactive. This would not be so if all nerves were freed to work in harmony. This has been proved by great many ladies who have taken Chiropractic spinal adjustments.

People Are Sleepless.

When anything new in the light of a radical departure from what people have been educated to believe is brought before them, it is human nature to be skeptical. The man who invented the telegraph, the man who discovered the circulation of the blood, were at first looked upon as lunatics or fakirs. But nothing can down truth. Many other great discoveries which at first met only with scorn, have been recognized as blessings by scores of years.

The science of Chiropractic but a few years ago was unknown. To-day it is known only in communities where it has accomplished seemingly marvelous results in the banishment of disease. People must believe the evidence of their senses. If a person comes to a Chiropractor with a disease which doctors have failed to cure, and that person is completely restored to health, he must believe. He is not tangled up with long technicalities; he only knows he is sick. The Chiropractor tells him why he is sick, and proves that he is correct by giving the patient adjustments that allow nature to restore him to health.

Chiropractic gives nature a chance to make you well.

CHIROPRACTIC

Is Based on These Two Principles:

1. Sub-Luxation (partial displacement) of Bones causes Pressure on Nerves.
2. PRESSURE ON NERVES causes disease.

The cause of disease has been and is yet mysterious to the great mass of humanity, but the mystery has been solved by the Chiropractor (spine adjuster).

My business is to adjust the cause, to RELEASE THE PRESSURE on the nerves and to restore normal action—therefore normal functions and perfect health. I do not rub, massage, knead, manipulate or treat disease.

I ADJUST CAUSE. My philosophy of taking off the pressure has the more rational claim upon all sufferers. I give a logical reason for the cause of disease.

Acute Cases.

Acute cases are often relieved in one or two adjustments. In cases of long standing the vertebrae have their forms changed by long continued pressure and time is required to get them back to normal position and to restore the freedom of nerves. That this can be done has been proven beyond the shadow of a doubt in 90 per cent of the cases adjusted.

Marvelous results follow our system of Spinal Adjustments, and we stand ready to give you abundant testimony of persons who have been restored to permanent health by our Spinal Adjustments. If you have any of the following ailments stop taking drugs. Go to a competent Chiropractor and have him take off the pressure, and health will be the result: Appendicitis, hysteria, blood diseases, heart troubles, insomnia, Bright's Disease, kidney diseases, childbed fever, lumbago, constipation, Locomotor Ataxia, consumption, (1st stages), liver diseases, bladder trouble, indigestion, bowel trouble, Lung Trouble, Diabetes, Meningitis, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, Female Diseases, Pneumonia, Gall Stones, Pleurisy, Grippé, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Spinal Diseases, Stomach Trouble, St. Vitus Dance, Shortness of Breath, Tumors.

If your ailment is not mentioned, do not become discouraged; my space is limited.

I make it possible for nature to restore health WITHOUT drugs or knife.

This means YOUR DISEASE.

With Interrupted Nerve Force Health Is Impossible.

Without nerve force the blood cannot circulate properly. The lack of circulation means strangulation, and strangulation causes many diseases, such as dropsy, tumors, running sores and various so-called skin diseases.

Chiropractic—Nature's Method.

Free the circulation, thereby permitting the refuse to be thrown out of the body through the natural channels.

Pressure upon Nerves causes such diseases as Paralysis, Rheumatism,

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