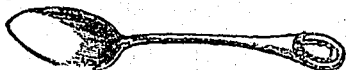


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tor of Customs at that port, has at last been appointed by the Government. The name of the new officer has not yet been announced.

DR. TANNER is now on a lecture tour through the States, but the people do not seem to be much interested in stories about starving. At Lawrence, Mass., a few days ago they only shelled out \$2.75 to hear the doctor tell how to live without eating. We will venture a wager that the man who will show the people how they may always be sure of getting something to eat will reap ten times the amount of money.

REECE & McDONALD, storekeepers of Katrine, Muskoka, formerly at Huntsville, assigned, after several suits had been entered against them. Their liabilities amount to over \$4,000, with a nominal surplus of \$250. Too many book accounts appear to have been one great cause of their trouble. Latest accounts announce no definite action taken by the creditors.

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The stock of J. N. Matthews, storekeeper, Huntsville, Muskoka, has been disposed of, for the benefit of his creditors.

PARKDALE, a two or three year old suburb of Toronto, is making rapid progress. The village fire brigade held a business meeting last Monday evening, and it is proposed by the town to acquire a chemical fire engine at a cost of \$1,700. A prevalent misfortune of the day is the unexplained apathy of small towns on the question of fire protection. Nearly all small towns are so built that without fire appliances the entire business section must become the victim of any full developed fire.

THE ROMANCE of real life is aptly illustrated in the strange story telegraphed from New York of the downward career of a Belgium Baron, "whose family reside at Brussels, and are known throughout Europe for their wealth and high connections." Baron Hermann de Reiffenberg emigrated to the United States fifteen years ago, dissipated his fortune, dropped his title and family name, and wound up as a convict on Blackwell's Island, where he died three months after being sentenced. This story is calculated to read a lesson to many young men of wealth and position in America to-day.

TORONTO business men of all classes are jubilant over the impetus given to general trade there by the large influx of visitors to the recent Industrial Exhibition. The *Globe* says "it would be difficult to compute or even guess at the amount of money left behind by visitors to the Exhibition, as \$20,000 per day would probably be as far astray as \$500,000." Although we have not yet had time to count up, there is every reason to believe that the results in Montreal from the same cause will be likewise satisfactory, only on a larger scale. We trust that similar verdicts will be given in Hamilton

and other Canadian cities holding Fall Exhibitions this year.

LISTOWELL is seeking the honor of a match factory; it is also aspiring to be lighted with gas.

E. D. LAWRENCE, one of the leading merchants of Waterloo, P.Q., is retiring from business on account of ill health, and offers his business stand and stock for sale.

A COMPANY are making arrangements with the Municipal authorities of Waterloo, Que., to construct works necessary to supply the village with water.

J. W. TURNER, confectioner and fruit dealer, London, Ont., whose stock was, recently sold by the sheriff to another dealer in the same line, Mr. Mountjoy, has left for the United States.

MITCHELL is becoming more and more exercised over its system of water works. The town fathers are negotiating for the purchase of an engine house, engine, &c., for the working of the present system.

THE new Midland Railway Elevator at Port Hope is rapidly approaching completion, and will have a capacity of 104,000 bush, and facilities for loading six cars at the same time. From all accounts the new Elevator is greatly needed, as the Midland is said to be doing a larger business this season than ever, an average of 130 car loads of freight, about half of which is grain, being received at Port Hope per day. The barley movement in that vicinity has opened two weeks earlier than last year, and the quantity held along the line of the Midland is said to be unprecedented. Trains are kept running day and night, and the work of unloading into vessels is carried on all night. The present freight rate to Oswego is 2c. per bush.