

Itching

If there is one thing more than another which gratifies us, it is the great volume of hearty thanks which come from grateful parents for the cures Hood's Sarsaparilla has effected upon their children. The agony of despair turns to unspeakable joy as mothers and fathers see dreadful sores and eruptions gradually yield to the potent purifying power of this great medicine, and bright boys and girls given perfect health. Read this:

"When my baby was four weeks old, perfolious eczema broke out on his body. He became literally covered with

Sores

When six months old the breaking out healed on his body, but his head, face and arms were a terrible sight. I passed many sleepless nights holding his little hands to keep him from scratching his face. I cannot tell what he suffered with the sores. One doctor attended him a year without avail. No one thought he would ever get well. He was almost a year old when I commenced to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla. He soon grew so much better that

Cured

I was able to rest at night. Gradually the sores on his head and arms healed, the burning and itching ceased, and he slept better. In two months he looked like another child, gained strength, was cured. I recommend all persons afflicted with eczema or any skin disease to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I feel assured that it will do wonders for others. I cannot praise it too highly for what it has done for my

By

poor little sufferer. It is hard to believe he is the same child, he is now such a big, hearty, fat boy, a very picture of health. If more people would give Hood's Sarsaparilla to their children, there would not be so many poor, delicate little ones." Mrs. AGNES C. BAILEY, Box 91, McVeytown, Pennsylvania.

This and other similar cures prove that

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists, \$1. Be sure to get Hood's and only Hood's. It is prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

cure all Liver Ills and Hood's Pills. Sick Headache. 25 cents.

DRUNK FOR MONTHS.

Sad Death of a Comparatively Young and Clever Woman.

Toronto, July 21.—Mrs. Harrietta Chantell, who lived with her husband in a wooden cabin in the rear of 143 Berkeley street, was found lying on the floor, dead, last night, between nine and ten o'clock. The woman, who was a fur-dresser by trade, had been for several years addicted to alcohol and during the past three months had been continuously drunk. She received \$100 from the city in April last as damages for a broken leg, caused by falling on a defective sidewalk, and as soon as she got out of the hospital she started in to spend the sum in the consumption of forty-rod whisky. The woman was 35 years of age, and was an expert hand at her trade when she was sober, which, it seems, was not often during the past year or so. Her husband, who is a French-Canadian, is evidently a hard-working fellow, but has had no employment for the past two weeks. The case is a clear one of death due to intemperance in its worst and most wretched form.

When Adam Was a Boy.

This was years ago, for Adam has been dead quite a while, though to be sure he has left a progeny that keeps up pretty well the family characteristics. There are wise men today who delve into the misty past and tell us all sorts of things, but they are silent on those events that would make Adam interesting to the modern man. What did Adam do when he ran a silver under his finger nail? Had he to take measles and whooping cough? If he had horns did he cut them with a razor? Did he stretch forth a hand in the future and get a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor? Putnam's is the best, is sure, safe, painless, and acts in 24 hours.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Expeller is pleasant, sure and effective. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Dr. Gray's Hair Tonic and Dandruff Cure, 25c, at Anderson & Nelles' drug store.

YOU'D BE SURPRISED

At the care taken with Cottam's Seed, some say we get just as great a sale for less carefully prepared food, and, perhaps, it's true, but we prefer to satisfy our own eyes as to what birds require, though we may not make as much profit as so many seeders of so-called bird foods. Cottam's Seed with patent Bird Bread is sold everywhere at 10 cents.

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A. SLATER, 427 Richmond, Richmond.

Opposite London News Office.

Braw Day.

Big Crowds Attending the Scotchmen's Picnic

At Port Stanley—The Toronto Pipers Arrive.

There's a dull look and a hazy, lazy feeling around town today. Port Stanley has taken nearly all the life out of the place. Twenty-five car loads of happy, agitated humanity were bundled out of the Grand Trunk station on the 9:30 and 10:05 a.m. trains. Eight car loads followed at 11 a.m. Another immense crowd went at 1:30 p.m., and a fair number at 2:30 p.m. Truly it's a braw day for the Scotchmen's picnic. They could not have chosen a better one if they had had the making of the weather themselves. Port Stanley is above and things a hot weather resort, and the temperature today makes it a delightful spot, apart from the special attractions the Scotchmen have provided.

The picnic was heralded last night by the bagpipes. A large crowd assembled at the C. P. R. station to meet Pipe Major A. MacSwaney and Pipers Malcolm McBride, Robert Muir and Sam McCracken, of the 48th Highlanders, Toronto. The lusty pipers were driven to the City Hotel, where they donned their Highland garb and issued forth with the pipes, to the delight of enthusiastic Scotchmen. They paraded the streets playing national airs until a late hour. This morning they went to Port Stanley, reinforced by local players.

Laid Down Their Pens.

The Examinations at the Collegiate Institute Completed.

Several Hundred Wrote—The Results Will be Made Known Later.

The examinations which have been in progress at the Collegiate Institute since the commencement of the holidays were completed today, greatly to the relief of the large number of candidates. In past years the results have been made public about the middle of August, and it is expected they will be out about the same time this year.

Instead of commercial, primary, junior and senior leaving, these examinations are now referred to as first, second, third and fourth form examinations. There has also been a change in the marking of papers. In each examination a pass is 33 1-3 per cent on each subject; grade C is 50 per cent; grade B is 66 2-3 per cent; grade A, 75 per cent.

About 200 candidates wrote on the first form examination, 100 on the second, 85 on the third, and 33 on the fourth.

The candidates for entrance to the high school numbered 150. Their marks will be known the latter part of this or the first of next week.

PRESENT TO LADY ABERDEEN

Sequel to Her Narrow Escape From Drowning in the Gattineau.

Ottawa, July 21.—Lady Aberdeen's narrow escape from drowning in the Gattineau last spring will be long remembered as one of the incidents of that notable flood. A sequel to the occurrence is the presentation which has just reached her Excellency from a Dublin friend of a pair of high-bred horses, to replace the team which was drowned in the Gattineau.

The pair were brought over by steamer and landed in Quebec, and so pleased was Lady Aberdeen that she has sent the groom who brought them on a trip to Niagara Falls in charge of one of the grooms of the vice-regal stable.

BASEBALL.

THE EASTERN LEAGUE.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Rochester.	45	50	.609
Providence.	39	55	.609
Albany (late Toronto).	39	55	.609
Buffalo.	39	55	.609
Syracuse.	39	55	.609
Saratoga.	39	55	.609
Wilkesbarre.	39	55	.609
Schenectady.	39	55	.609

STRENGTHENING THE ALBERTS.

Rathburn, a crack player, who has been with the Detroit Athletic Club, has been signed by Manager Sippl to cover third base, and arrived in the city today. Sippl will be seen more frequently behind the bat which is his regular position. Mickey Powers' fate has not been decided upon, but his release is probable. Rathburn is expected to materially strengthen the infield. Manager Sippl also has lines out for a clever pitcher in St. Joseph's, Mo. Fisher is in good trim and will pitch tomorrow.

FLYA.

The Springfield Union thinks that Buckenberger's rowdies "are the roughest lot of baseball timber ever seen in that city."

The Pittsburgh club has loaned Catfish Joe Sugden to the Albany club.

After winning nine straight games Albany has lost eight right off the reel.

McAleer, of the Cleveland, has made but two errors at center field this season.

It is estimated that the poor showing of the New York team this season will result in a loss of \$30,000 to other league clubs, or about \$2,600 per club in the season.

THE WHEEL

GETTING ACCUSTOMED TO THEM.

"It's kind of curious," said the speaker, "how we get accustomed to things, how things that once seemed strange grow familiar, and things that were once familiar grow strange and odd. For instance, when the low bicycle, the safety as it was then called, first came out, it looked strange enough; now it is the high wheel that looks strange. The first pneumatic tires looked enormous—now a wheel looks queer without them."

SPOKES.

Mr. J. S. Loughhead's offer to put up \$1,500 to \$1,000 for a race between Angus McLeod and Fred J. Loughhead, has been withdrawn, there being no probability of a race between the two dyers this season.

The Globe's correspondent reports that the peach crop in the district about St. Catharines will be a failure. Other fruits are generally abundant.

Mutiny and Murder!

Three Persons Butchered on Board an American Bark.

The Vessel Put Into Halifax Harbor—All the Crew Held as Prisoners.

(Special to the "Advertiser.")

Halifax, N. S., July 21.—The barkentine Herbert Fuller (Capt. Nash), from Boston July 4, for Rosario, put into Halifax this morning. There had been a mutiny on board.

The captain, his wife and the second mate were killed in their berths at night. The first officer was on watch at the time and knew nothing about the affair. The murderer, or murderers, crowded into the cabin and descended, and with axes chopped their victims to death.

All the crew were taken off the vessel and locked up in the police station here.

LATER DETAILS OF THE TRAGEDY.

When the Herbert Fuller put into Halifax this morning she was flying the Stars and Stripes at half-mast, with a black flag immediately beneath. This is the signal for "mutiny on board," and the entire port was filled with excitement. A few moments more and the Fuller was boarded, and it was learned that murder was added to mutiny, and that Capt. Nash, his wife, Laura, and Second Officer Banberry had been killed in their bunks while asleep. The murders had been committed while the vessel was at anchor. The victims lay where covered with blood, showing that a severe struggle had taken place, and the bodies were horribly mutilated.

THE FIRST MATE SUSPECTED. The cook, Jonathan Sheer, of Rosario, suspected the mate, Thomas Brown, and succeeded in placing Brown in irons. He afterwards ironed the man who was at the wheel at the time the murder was committed. Upon arrival of the vessel, all aboard, including Frank Monch, of Boston, who was a passenger, were placed under arrest.

WHEN THE DEED WAS DONE.

It appears that the murders were committed at 2 o'clock on the night of the 18th inst. Capt. Nash and his wife were in their respective sleeping apartments, and Banberry was in his, which was separated from those of Capt. Nash and wife by the room occupied by Monch. It was the first officer's watch. When all was quiet on board and those below were soundly sleeping, the murderers crawled aft to the cabin and descended, and with axes chopped their victims to death. The affair became known not long afterwards. A negro, who had shipped at Rosario, became suspicious of Mate Thomas Brown, a Nova Scotian, but a naturalized American, and Brown was placed in irons. The man who was at the wheel when the murder was committed was also placed in irons, and the ship was taken into harbor and made Halifax. The bodies of the victims were all placed in a boat and covered with canvas, and towed behind the vessel.

The United States consul and no body is allowed on board. The vessel hails from Harrington, Me. The married captain was 44 years of age, and his wife 37.

BAD FOR THE MATE.

At the police station this morning the first mate was stripped and blood was found on his clothing. The passenger Monch stated that he saw the first mate come from the captain's cabin after the murder. The evidence points to deliberate murder by the first mate.

THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

The Happy Vacation Season in Full Swing—Those Who Are Enjoying It.

Miss Kate Mason, city is at Chatham on a visit.

Mrs. Gammage, city, is visiting Cranbrook relatives.

Miss Munson, city, has been visiting in the city.

Miss McDowell, London, is visiting Mrs. F. C. Bond, Galt.

Mrs. James McWhorter, London, is visiting Mrs. J. S. Symington, Sarnia.

Mr. Wm. Deacon, of this city, has left for Detroit to spend the summer months.

The Misses Derr, of London West, are spending their holidays in Sarnia, at Mrs. Bury's.

Miss Nellie Malott, of Kingsville, is the guest of Miss Fannie Atkins, 423 Mainland street.

The Misses Nellie and Maggie Barrett, of 406 Burwell street, are visiting friends in Mitchell.

Miss Ella Paxton, of Ottaville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. Wilson, 283 Piccadilly street.

Miss May Pierce, of Sarnia, is visiting Mrs. M. Evans, 131 Dufferin avenue. She will wheel home.

Miss Mary McKay, of East Zorra, is on a month's visit to friends in London, Alisa Craig and Parkhill.

Miss Carrie Richardson, of 723 Richmond street, has gone to Detroit, Grand Rapids, Windsor and Pontiac on a visit to relatives.

Mr. Carey, chief train dispatcher of the C. P. R. at Portage, N. W. T., is in the city visiting acquaintances. He was formerly a G. T. R. dispatcher at Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Cottam, of Askin street, arrived home yesterday from an extended trip to the old country. Mr. Cottam is happily much improved in health.

Mr. G. L. Mackay, of Des Moines, Iowa, is visiting relatives in this city for a few days. Mr. Mackay has been in the department in the State Agricultural College at Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Leonard, Misses Edna and Leona Leonard, Miss Helen Marshall, Mr. Turnbull and family, and Mrs. (Dr.) H. P. Galt, of London, are among the recent arrivals at Weesbeach Hotel.

Steamers Arrived.

From	Arrived
Rosario.	July 20.
Albany.	July 20.
Providence.	July 20.
Buffalo.	July 20.
Syracuse.	July 20.
Saratoga.	July 20.
Wilkesbarre.	July 20.
Schenectady.	July 20.
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Mr. Ballantyne, of Stratford, after a visit to Manitoba, thinks that the outlook for dairying in that Province is very good.

S. & S.

THE WEATHER TODAY:
Fair; warm; thunderstorms.

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CORSETS—CORSETS

A great increase in our corset trade has obliged us to move that popular department upstairs to left of elevator, where in connection with our Whitewear Department we have secured increased facilities, more room and better light. That we do the Corset trade for London goes without saying. It's just this way—we have 75 different makes to choose from, and such a splendid selection attracts customers.

SOME FOR CYCLING,
SOME FOR HOT WEATHER,
SOME FOR NURSING,
SOME FOR EVENING DRESS,
SOME FOR GENERAL WEAR,
SOME FOR CHILDREN,
ALL FOR COMFORT.

Our Summer Corset

The "Arctic," which suggests coolness, has had a very large sale this season. At 45c, which is all we ask, one would expect to sell a large number. It is a strong Corset, is light and cool, and is just the Corset for summer weather. The price—45c—is an additional attraction. A large range of more expensive makes.

Cycling Corsets

Just what lady wheelers have been longing for. Short sides that give comfort and ease. No more stitches in the side, no more backaches. Tennis and golf players will also find this Corset that gives the body and arms perfect freedom of action. See them if you don't buy. They're the proper thing.

A Great Choice

We haven't an endless variety to choose from, but we can offer a choice of 75 makes. In English goods we have the Thompson; in American, E. N. R. & G., Sonnette, Armorside, Her Majesty's, and Detroit and Ferris' Waists; in Canadians, a complete line of Crompton's, D. & A., B. & C. and Featherbone. All prices—ranging from 45c to \$4 75. Children's Corset Waists from 25c up.

Our Whitewear Department contains the latest novelties in Ladies' Underwear. We solicit inspection. No trouble to explain qualities and styles.

TEXTILE BUCKSKIN comes in all colors at 25c a yard. It is the coolest, cleanest, lightest summer dress interlining on the market. Resists moisture and rains. Keeps skirts and sleeves in full flare of fashion.

Smallman & Ingram,

149 AND 151 DUNDAS STREET.

CANADIAN EXPORT TRADE.

Comparative Table of Exports for the Last Two Years.

	1898.	1895.
Ottawa, July 21.—A comparative table of Canada's classified exports is as follows:		
Minerals.	\$ 8,401,000	\$ 7,222,000
Fish.	11,275,000	10,963,000
Forest.	27,255,000	24,201,000
Animals and their products.	57,586,000	35,965,000
Agricultural products.	18,333,000	18,960,000
Manufactures.	10,938,000	8,737,000
Miscellaneous.	553,000	390,000
Coin and bullion.	4,955,000	4,344,000

Of Canadian produce the exports were \$1,065,611,000, against \$100,000,000 in 1895. With the exception of 1895 the duty collected on imports is the smallest total since 1886, but the percentage of duty is more than one per cent greater than in 1892, showing that the operation of the tariff was more burdensome than before the revision, as it has been asserted all along it would be.

The trade returns for June show the exports to have been \$11,931,281 and the imports \$9,083,000, with duty collected on \$5,514,000, amounting to \$1,572,000. The exports show a falling off compared with the average of the last three years during this month, and the same is true of the imports.

HORSE KNEW HIS MASTER'S CRIB

It Had Been Stolen and Wouldn't Pass the Stable.

From the Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Curtin, of 4,939 Ashland avenue, has an intelligent horse, and owing to that fact she now rejoices in the possession of property that was stolen from her on May 19. Her barn stealer, and a horse, survey, harness, and setter dog were taken. Two days ago John Byrnes, of Ave. B. and Thirty-fourth streets, drove along Ashland avenue, and when opposite Mrs. Curtin's house the horse he was driving refused to go any further, and walked to the curbstone. Byrnes whipped the horse, but it would not budge. Mrs. Curtin saw the horse and recognized it as hers. She called nearest to her, and Byrnes was held until an officer arrived. At the police station he said he had bought the animal at the stockyards, but the bill of sale he exhibited was dated ahead of the time Mrs. Curtin lost her horse. At a hearing before Justice Fitzgerald he was held to the criminal court.

The police learned that Byrnes was a relative of John Maloney, who is employed by John P. Egan, a Thirty-fifth ward politician. A search warrant brought to light the survey and harness in Egan's barn, and he and Maloney were arrested. Egan says he bought the carriage from gypsies on Western avenue.

NEW JOURNALISTIC VENTURE.

Toronto, July 21.—Prof. Goldwin Smith has made another journalistic venture. He has secured an interest in the Farmers' Sun, which has been incorporated under the title of the Smith Publishing Company, of Toronto, and will contribute to it weekly. Mr. Smith will write over his well known nom de plume, "Bystander," which he used in the Week for several years. It is understood that the Sun will cease to be a purely Patron paper, and an endeavor will be made to conduct it as a general newspaper, with strong political tendencies of the Free Lance character.

Mr. W. L. Smith, late editor of the Toronto News, will have charge of the reconstructed journal.

BURNED IN HIS LITTLE CRIB.

Montreal, July 21.—The little 4-year-old son of Theodore Dautre, of Beauharnois, was burned to death while lying in his crib Sunday morning. It appears that the child got hold of his father's pipe, and the live coals set his clothing on fire, hence the sad fatality.

A. Screaton & Co.

Great July Carpet and Curtain Sale.....

All Tapestry, Brussels, Windsor, Velvets, Axminster and Wiltons MADE AND LAID DURING THIS MONTH FREE OF CHARGE.

Tapestries—30c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 65c, 70c.

Brussels—70c, 80c, 90c, \$1, \$1 05, \$1 10.

Axminsters—\$1, \$1 10, \$1 15.

Wiltons—\$1 25, \$1 35, \$1 50.

Carpet remnants, from 2 to 25 yards, at extremely low prices.

Curtain Department.

The largest assortment west of Toronto, comprised of Lace, Muslin, Applique, Handmade Brussels, Chenille, Damask, Roman and Silk, to be cleared at prices never before offered in the west.

A. Screaton & Co.

sides of the tablelands, carrying the unknown subterranean courses to the sea. In view of this, attempts were made in 1878, at Killara, to secure water by boring, and an undulant artesian supply was tapped at a depth of 140 feet. Five years later the Department of Mines took up the work, the first boring striking a small supply of water at 89 feet, and by the end of 1884, it had completed 30 wells, with 9 in progress, and 23 others located, there being one failure to get water. Of the 30 completed wells, 20 yielded an artesian supply of over 7,000,000 gallons daily, and from ten a daily yield of half a million gallons can be pumped.

HOW DO YOU DO?

The Different Salutations of Different Nations—Characteristic of the People.

In "A Parisian in America," M. de Solons says: "Two Americans are talking to each other with a 'How do you do?' immediately followed by an inquiry, 'How's business?' We Frenchmen say, 'Comment vous portez vous?' (How do you carry yourself?) because we care so much about our appearance; in fact, we are the most vain nation in the world. The Germans say, 'Wie geht's Ihnen?' (How goes it with you?), and, indeed, they do go very slow, but sure. The Italians, 'Come state?' (How do you stay?) And you know how they stay, especially in these days with their army and finances. The Russians, 'Kak pagivetyech?' (How do you live?) because they are so fond of good material living. But the Anglo-Saxons say, 'How do you do?' The cause all their faculties are concentrated upon their work, upon hard work, from morning till night; that is the secret of their prosperity. The American says still more; he asks immediately about business. They do not care about their health, about their living; their great care is about business; they kill themselves with hard work, they neglect their physical and mental life, but they make business flourishing and booming."—New York Tribune.

NO TIME TO TALK.

He—My views on bringing up a family.

She—Never mind your views. I'll bring up the family. You go and bring up the coal.

INFALLIBLE TEST.

Mrs. Mack—I expect Johnny will be an editor when he grows up.

Mack—Why?

Mrs. Mack—He doesn't like poetry.