

Notes and Comments

In every city in the United States horse driven vehicles are outnumbered by automobiles ten to one.

The back yard garden suffers sometimes because the man of the house would rather handle a spade on a card than the spade in the shed.

In applying tire chains, never use a tool to draw them so tight that they cannot creep. If the cross grip cannot move to a new position on the tread every time it touches the ground it soon cuts deeply into the rubber and the fabric, seriously weakening the strength of the casing.

Every Methodist minister in Canada and Newfoundland henceforth is to be paid a minimum salary of \$1,500, with parsonage and horse-keep in addition, according to a decision arrived at by the Methodist General Conference Committee at Toronto last week.

American tourists visiting Canada do not require passports as a condition of entry to Canada from the United States or as a condition on leaving Canada for the United States, according to a statement just made by the Canadian Department of Immigration and Colonization.

The newspaper is still the cheapest commodity in the market. It is still the cheapest and best form of advertising, and if there are to be fewer newspapers than there have been they will be the more powerful and more capable of supplying the needs of the community in which they circulate.

What has become of the old fashioned word "earn"? Servants are "getting" high wages, bricklayers are "paid" a dollar an hour, and practically everybody is "making" big money. But nothing is heard about anybody "earning" anything. Has a conscience-stricken nation dropped the word?

Postmasters are out for a raise in their pay, which is all right and perfectly natural as things go today. Upon their integrity and faithfulness depends everything in the way of business. The rates have increased little if any for many years past, and their work has been vastly augmented besides in many cases being seriously handicapped. No sensible person will begrudge them as fair a compensation as the government can allow.

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Neuralgia and Sciatica

CAUSED BY STARVED NERVES
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People generally think of neuralgia as a pain in the head or face, but neuralgia may affect any nerve of the body. Different names are given to it when it affects certain nerves. Thus neuralgia of the sciatic nerve is called sciatica, but the character of the pain and the nature of the disease is the same. The cause is the same, and the remedy to be effective, must be the same. The pain of neuralgia, whether it takes the form of sciatica, or whether it effects the face and head, is caused by starved nerves. The blood, which normally carries nourishment to the nerves, for some reason no longer does so and the excruciating pain you feel is the cry of the starved, nerves for food. The reason why the blood fails to properly nourish the nerves is usually because the blood itself is weak and thin.

When you build up the thin blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, you are attacking neuralgia, sciatica and kindred diseases at the root. As proof of the value of these pills in cases of this kind we give the statement of Mrs. Thomas McGuire, North Malden, Ont., who says: "I have been a severe sufferer from sciatica, which attacked the sciatic nerve in the left leg. At times the pain was most excruciating and as a result of the trouble there was a distinct shrivelling of the leg. I could only hobble about by using a cane, and if I attempted to walk to the fields I would have to sit down every little while to ease the agony I felt. I was under medical treatment, but as there was no improvement shown, I was getting very despondent, as the trouble was effecting my general health. Finally a friend advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to do so. I took the pills faithfully for several months, finding a gradual and increasing improvement in my case until finally every vestige of the trouble had gone, and I was again enjoying the blessing of good health and freedom from pain. What Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for me seems almost a miracle and I hope that my experience may benefit some other sufferer."

If you are suffering from any ailment due to weak blood avail yourself at once of the splendid home treatment which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills so easily afford, and you will be among those who rejoice in regained health. These pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Talking Machine Popularity Music

One of the greatest helps in the advancement of music in these latter days is the talking machine which almost since its inception has been a big factor in the development of musical knowledge and appreciation on the part of the public in the school and in the home. As a matter of fact talking machines and records have accomplished more in this direction than perhaps all the other mediums in the music trade and profession combined.

Since the war the American Continent has come to the front among the musical nations of the world. Every band or orchestra concert, every community musical festival or entertainment has its reflex in or on the talking machine which has both popularized the numbers for the singers and musicians and helped renew in many homes the echoes of the concert. All these events, too, have created a direct interest in all kinds of instruments that produce music.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians

Passing of Acacia Villa School

This school completed what was probably the most successful year in its long history on May 20th. During the sessions the dormitories were filled to capacity and a large number who applied were turned away. From circumstances which were, unavoidable the usual interesting Commencement Exercises were not held, so when the boys had finished their examinations they returned to their homes.

The decision of Mr. and Mrs. Patterson not to re-open in the Autumn will produce a feeling of profound regret through a wide constituency. It will not, however, be a surprise to those who for some time have been familiar with the conditions. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson have been responsible for the conduct of a large farm, an extensive general business and the school for a number of years. The impossibility of securing efficient indoors and outside help has made it apparent for some time that something must be dropped or the result would be physical disaster. To avert it there came the decision to close the School.

Acacia Villa has behind it a history of sixty years. It was established by J. R. Hea, LL.D., in 1852, and taken over by the late A. McNutt Patterson in 1860. Mr. Patterson was not only an educator by profession, but by genius and instinct. His ideal of education was that of the development of the whole man, and his peculiar endowment enabled him to make it actual. Many, including the present Prime Minister of Canada, who was first a pupil and then a pupil teacher in the school, who are rendering conspicuous service in every department of Canada's national life, remember with gratitude the restraint, the guidance, the inspiration, as well as the broadened outlook which came to them while they were under his influence. He is reverently remembered because he has enriched their lives.

In 1907, when the father was compelled because of the advance of time to lay down his responsibility, his son, Mr. A. H. Patterson, and his cultured wife took it up and have maintained the high tradition of the institution to the present. As a School for teen age boys it has had no superior in the Maritime Provinces. A boy in his teens, may retrograde under the most favorable conditions, but no where was he more safe than at Acacia Villa. Parents had confidence in the Management, when they sent their boys there. It was not only a School but a home. An hour in the School Office any evening would reveal this. The boys came to Mrs. Patterson with their wants and troubles as to a natural parent. Thus the high tradition of the founder was perpetuated and for the long period of 60 years Acacia Villa has contributed to what is best in life. The passing away of such an institution and closing of the door of such an opportunity cannot but be regretted by all who are interested in education in our Province.

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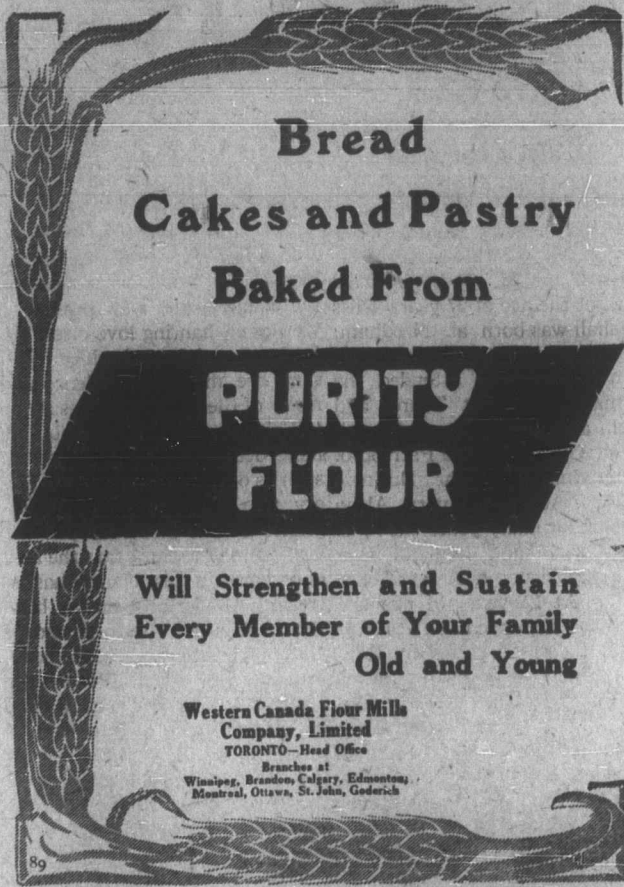
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