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Did you ever have a headache that made Sunday feel like wash-day?  
 Perhaps you have been drinking inferior teas.  
 No, you don't need medicine—all you need is a package of Grand Mogul Tea.  
 This tea combs the kinks out of the nerves. Why? Because it is rich in theine (the flavoring essence) which is just concentrated sunbeams. Grown on the high table lands of Ceylon, this tea contains the elements of a pure nerve-food.

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 "What is this man charged with?" asked the police justice.  
 "Stealing a dog, your honor," said the officer.  
 "Well, sir, what have you got to say for yourself?"  
 "Your honor," answered the prisoner, drawing a grimy coat sleeve across his nose, "if you'll make it embellemenment, I'll plead guilty. I may be a thief, but I've got feelings."

**HOW'S THIS?**  
 We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
**E. J. Cheney & Co.,**  
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 We, the undersigned, have known E. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.  
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 Hall's Catarrh Cure is a catarrh internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.  
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**Flattered Her.**  
 "Yes," said the fair young girl, "everybody says I'm just the picture of mamma."  
 "Well," replied the gallant youth, "you're certainly a flattering picture."

**Stimulating.**  
 She—Where do you get your inspiration from? The Author—From my creditors.—Lila.  
**RADIANT WOMANHOOD.**  
 The glory and satisfaction of beautiful womanhood can be known only to those possessing the unlimited advantage of health. No weak woman can be happy or enjoy half the pleasures of life. Pallid cheeks, sunken eyes, exhausted nerves, all tell of a terrible struggle to keep up. What a weak woman needs is Ferronox; it renews, restores and vitalizes instantly—it's a "woman's remedy" in every way.  
 Ferronox makes women strong, plump and beautiful because it contains food of nutriment, the kind that forms muscle, sinew, bone and nerve. Vitalizing blood courses through the body, making delightful color, happy spirits, true womanly strength. Fifty cents buys a box of Ferronox in any drug store.

**An Ashantee Belle.**  
 On the Ashanti Gold Coast the costume of a reigning belle is less a matter of well fitting clothes than of well spiked hair. The hair is first divided into a half dozen braids; then these braids are stiffened with wax and tar until they are as hard as kindling wood and stick out straight from the head in a semicircle like the spokes of a wheel. This coiffured the belle is ready to conquer all hearts.

**A PERSISTENT BACKACHE.**  
 Can have but one cause—diseased kidneys, which must be strengthened before backache can be cured. Why not use Dr. Hamilton's Pills? They cure the kidneys quick, make them strong and able to filter disease—breeding poisons from the blood. At once you feel better, stronger, brighter. Kidney health is guaranteed to every user of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Get a 25c. box from your druggist, and refuse substitutes.

A cheerful countenance betokens a good heart.  
 Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Crescense tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

**VANITY'S VISIONS.**

**Lace Beautified is a Number of Modish Ways—Gause Ribbon.**  
 A charming effect is gained by dotting lace flounces used on dressy to-lets with velvet bows. Sometimes they are large, stiff affairs put on at wide intervals, and again they are cute little bows or rosettes spaced far or near together, according to the design.  
 A pretty conceit when wide lace is used as a dress trimming is to outline the central motifs with a frill of colored silk. This treatment accentuates the pattern and adds a bit of color.  
 Some of the expensive shops are displaying laces run all over with shaded ribbons of tiny baby width.  
 Wide gauze ribbon is employed as a band trimming on many smart gowns.



**PRUNELLA GLOVE GOWN.**  
 These bands are headed top and bottom with a quilling of black velvet ribbon.  
 Feather hairs are universally becoming, and there is a new one that looks exactly like ermine. It is composed of white breasts studded with small black feathers just far enough apart to look like the royal fur.  
 Featherings are seen everywhere, around the fashionable woman's neck, on her hat and applied as bands on her dress skirts. There are feather fringes, feather cloth and feather rosettes to be purchased.  
 The frock illustrated is of mauve prunella cloth. The style is of the modified empire. About the skirt is a design worked out in velvet of a darker shade. This velvet forms the short waisted belt and pompadour bow fastened with a dull gold buckle. The natty vest is of crushed raspberry silk.  
**JUDIC CHOLLET.**

**CHIC STYLES.**  
 All Tints of Dahlia Popular—Stunning Evening Hats.  
 Dahlia in all the warm tints is smart this season. A pretty gown is of broadcloth in this rich, warm shade. The skirt, a walking length, has fans set in at the knees to give the fashionable fullness. The trimming at the bottom consists of two rows of fancy black soutache braid. The jacket is one of the new French models that are a sort of bolero with short basques. The back has a loose overhanging jacket trimmed with braid. Dahlia panne velvet forms a waistcoat adorned with a galloon, combining shades of mauve and dahlia. To accompany this suit is a toque of dahlia velvet adorned at the sides with small roses in mauve and old rose. The jacket is Evening hats are stunning made of tulle wrapped around a wire frame.



**POWDER PUFF HANDKERCHIEF.**  
 Tips, silver and gold flowers and pom-poms are used as ornamentation. A dainty white picture hat is of fine heavier simply trimmed with a band of gold braid tied in a tiny bow at one side. The chicness of this chapeau is to be found in its graceful lines.  
 There is a new velvet called etienne. It is much like panne velvet, but is a trifle heavier.  
 The illustration shows a handkerchief powder puff—a French notion—made of a tiny lace edged mouchoir. A circle is formed in the center of the handkerchief of an extra piece of fine linen hemmed down. A running is made through which is drawn fine elastic in the shape of a bag. A little powder and a tiny puff inclosed in this bag complete the handy little secret.  
**JUDIC CHOLLET.**

**The Mooney Way**

There's nothing too good to go into MOONEY'S CRACKERS. The best flour that Canada mills, the best butter and cream that Canada's famous dairies can produce, and the best equipped bakery in Canada, to convert them into the best crackers you ever ate—  
**Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas**  
 They are good eating any time and all the time.  
 Crisp, inviting, toothsome.



**Quite Solid.**  
 "Let me see a plain wedding ring."  
 "Solid?"  
 "You bet I'm solid. We've been engaged more'n a month."

Excessive anger against human stupidity is itself one of the most provoking of all forms of stupidity. — Von Radowitz.

**DEAD SICK OF ASTHMA?**  
 You couldn't be otherwise with such a distressing malady. Well, for one dollar spent on "Catarrhoxone" you can be thoroughly cured. Foolish to delay, because asthma steadily grows worse. Get Catarrhoxone today and cure yourself; it's pleasant to use, very simple, and guaranteed. Prescribed by thousands of doctors and used by people of nine nations—Certainly, Catarrhoxone must be good; it hasn't failed yet, no matter how chronic the case.

**A Bargain Rush.**  
 "How did the manager get all those women out of that burning theater so quickly?"  
 "He went on the stage and announced that a man down at the entrance was giving away samples of baking powder."

**A CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP.**  
 When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended. There is one preparation that can always be depended upon. It has been in use for many years and has never been known to fail, viz: Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Give it and a quick cure is sure to follow. Mr. M. F. Compton, of Market, Texas, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of croup with my children, and can truthfully say it always gives prompt relief." For sale by all druggists.

**The Wise Wife.**  
 Mrs. Tom—I wouldn't let my husband have his own way as you do. Mrs. Dick—Does he? Mrs. Tom—I heard him say so today. Mrs. Dick (softly)—I'm glad he thinks so. I've been a long time teaching him that.

**MUST BE QUICK.**  
 Pains in the stomach and attacks of the colic come on so suddenly and are so extremely painful that immediate relief must be obtained. There is no necessity of seeing for a doctor in such cases as a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is at hand. No doctor can prescribe a better medicine. For sale by all druggists.

Lots of excuses are not worth the trouble it takes to make them.  
 Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & McCullum.

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I was cured of painful Gout by MINARD'S LINIMENT.  
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Association has a vast influence on the manners of a man.

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**H. & A. S. gold-filled Watch Chains are equal in every way to solid gold chains for 10, 15 or 25 years**  
 Your jeweler sells H. & A. S. Chains. Send for the H. & A. S. Chain Book.  
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**MIDDLE AGE.**

**The Harvest Season of Life According to Ian MacLaren—Then Man Knows Himself.**

"Ian MacLaren" writes: Captious people will ask at once the date, forty or sixty? and one had better admit at once that middle age is not a fixed frontier which divides every life into the same size of provinces, but varies with each person. Some children are old at 15, with precocious talk and solemn faces, and some men at 30 have the air of 50. They are stout in body, they amble in their walk, they drop oracular remarks, they endure with an effort the gaiety of youth. There are others who defy time and put the record of the registrar general to confusion.

With most of us there is a turning point in life like the watershed on a railway journey. For so many years we are climbing up for a while we run on a level, and now we are beginning to go down, only beginning, but going down. Say at 50 years if an exact and pedantic reader must have a date. Our body changes about that time; we give up every game except golf; we puff slightly when we hurry to catch a train; we do not care to stand for a long time if we can get a seat, our walk grows more impressive.

We are not old now, but we are not young, we are half and between, we are middle-aged, and our mood corresponds.

The man has come to know himself, and that is the first great necessity of successful living. He knows what he can and what he can't do, and therefore he is not intoxicated when he is praised, because this was his strong point, and every man surely has some strong point, and if he is not dashed when he is censured, if a neighbor blames him, the chances are he is quite right, for that was his weak point, and every man is weak somewhere. If he were to praise him why that would be too friendly. The fact is the man has no illusions. They have been dispelled morning dreams. He has weighed himself and understands how he stands, and where he is, and so there comes over middle age a certain mood of calmness, which has not, of course, in the force of youth, but has its own compensation in contentment. Instead of the flush of spring there is the mellowness of autumn.

Akin to this mood is a gracious magnanimity. When one is young he is of necessity fighting for his own hand to win a prize, to obtain his degree, to establish a business, to acquire a practice, to make himself secure. Every man is his rival, if not his enemy, and he is not inclined to rejoice in other people's success, for it may be at his expense, or at least it may be a reflection on his failure. Nor has he leisure to concern himself about other men's reverses or to give them pity. He was down himself yesterday, and if he does not take care he may be down again to-morrow in the dust of defeat. When his battle has been fought and the struggle is over, especially when he has won, he reaches the crest of the hill, then he has time to rest and to observe and to take an unselfish interest in his comrades. When a man is running his race it is not possible for him to consider the other runners or wish them well. He needs all his breath for his own race. When he has come in and put on his coat, having won or lost, but all the more if he has won his prize, he stands by to applaud the panting runners as they pass the goal. The goal he has already passed. Renard had all his life prided himself upon not pushing but preserving calmness amid life's fiercest fight. "If a man shoves me," he used to say, "I say pass; then I shove him." It is not wonderful that as he grew old he was entirely satisfied. "His unimpeded curiosity continued to interrogate the universe," but he was full of rest, he suffered terribly, but he had not abandoned. "I have done my work," he said to Mrs. Renard, "I die happy."

When one has had his fill of work and has had some moderate reward he wishes the younger men coming up behind him to have their share of things and earn their wages. This is not so much charity on his part, it is justice. It is not to be ascribed to religion, but to middle age.

And so comes another mood, which one may call altruism, or living for other people. The middle-aged man (or woman) lives not for himself, but for his children. He does not care what men say about him, but he is desperately concerned about their judgment on his sons. If some one praises the boy the father is lifted for days, if they run the boy over the father is cut to the heart. He boasts about his son's success, he tries to cover his son's defeat, he would willingly pass on his own gain to his boy and bear his boy's suffering. He has died to himself and is alive again in his family, and if he is spared to be a grandfather he grows preposterous in his pride over that child, and his admiration of all its doings. No doubt there is such a thing as a disappointed and bitter middle age, when men profess to believe the end of all perfection and to believe neither in man nor woman. There was an old prayer, "Lord preserve me from a young judge," and one expects an old judge to be broad in charity and pitiful towards humanity, but there are old men who spend the last quarter of their lives in carping and complaining, in sneering and discouraging. This is the opprobrium of middle age, but when one sees this ungracious spectacle let him be pitiful, for the man has most likely failed. He has been a victim of circumstances or perhaps his own enemy. He has never reached the crest of the hill; he has never passed the goal post; he has been thrown out by the wave, he has been trodden underfoot. And now he has a vendetta against the young who are full of hope, because they mock him; against those who have succeeded, because he thinks it has been at his expense, and against humankind because it has been such a deceit and mockery. Pardon his sourness, he is one of the failures of humanity, fruit which has never ripened. Deal gently with him. And turn to that bleached man, who did great things in his day, and now is ready to lend a hand to every struggler, and to give a cheer to every winner. Who wishes well to all men in their place, and whose God (that life on the whole has been so kind to him, and the best of it is yet to come when the sun, already beginning to sink, will set gloriously behind the western hills.

**Election Cards**

**ALDERMEN.**

**For Alderman.**  
 Chatham, Ont.,  
 12th Dec., 1905.  
 To the Ratepayers  
 of Chatham—

**LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—**  
 I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the year 1906. If you approve of my actions in Council during the past year I would respectfully ask for your vote and influence at the coming Election. I do not intend making any personal canvass as I believe where there is no question at issue between the candidates that the Electors should be free to vote for the men they think will serve the city best.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I remain,  
 Yours sincerely,  
**CHAS. AUSTIN**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the office of Alderman for 1906, and respectfully ask for your vote and influence.  
 Yours faithfully,  
**THOMAS SCULLARD.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the coming year of 1906 and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

If elected it will be my earnest endeavor to render to our city and its good people earnest and efficient service to the best of my ability.  
**J. W. CARSWELL.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the position of alderman for the coming year and will appreciate your vote and influence.

As I am unable to make any extensive personal canvass I take this opportunity of respectfully soliciting your support.  
**L. E. TILLSON.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 At the solicitation of a number of ratepayers, I am a candidate for a seat at the Council Board for the ensuing year. I have always been a resident of Chatham, and I trust my course as a citizen in the past will justify you in giving me your support and influence.  
 Yours respectfully,  
**EDWIN C. RADLEY.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the coming year, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence, and I thank you for any support in the past. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,  
 Yours respectfully,  
**J. E. AINSWORTH.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the coming year, and if elected will endeavor to look after the best interests of our city. My policy for next year will be to keep down all unnecessary expenditure, thereby keeping our tax rate as low as possible. Trusting my actions in the past will warrant your support for 1906.  
 Wishing you all the compliments of the season.  
 Yours respectfully,  
**W. H. WESTMAN.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the coming year, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. If elected I shall always be my aim to promote and safeguard the city's interests to the best of my ability.  
 Respectfully yours,  
**WILLIAM H. BENSON.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the coming year, and as I believe the electors should be left free to choose their representatives, I do not intend to make a personal canvass, therefore take this means to solicit your vote and influence. If elected I shall use my best endeavors to safeguard the city's interests.  
 Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,  
 Respectfully yours,  
**JAS. A. THOMPSON.**  
 Wholesale Fruits and Confectioners.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF CHATHAM.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the year 1906, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

**FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 2.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for School Trustee in your Ward and will appreciate your vote and influence.  
 Sincerely yours,  
**RICHARD LOWE.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 2.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 Having been requested by a number of ratepayers to allow my name to stand in the coming municipal elections, I have decided to contest this ward for the position of School Trustee for the years 1906-07. I would be very grateful for your votes and influence.  
**HARRY JACQUES.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 2.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 Having been urged by a number of citizens to submit my name as a candidate for School Trustee in your Ward, I have consented to do so, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

I regret that it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvass, but I shall sincerely appreciate your support. If elected it shall be my earnest endeavor to work wholeheartedly in our educational interests.  
 Yours truly,  
**WM. SOMERVILLE.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 4.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for School Trustee in your ward, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.  
**HARRY A. ANDREW.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 5.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the office of Public School Trustee in your Ward, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming election.  
**R. L. BRACKIN.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 5.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I beg to offer myself as candidate for School Trustee for Ward No. 5 for the year 1906.  
 Wishing you the compliments of the season, I remain,  
 Yours respectfully,  
**W. W. SNIDER.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF HARWICH.**

Having served the municipality as Councilor for the past two years, and believing that my record has in some measure met with your approval, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence to secure my reelection as Councilor for 1906.  
**J. B. CLARK.**

**TO ELECTORS OF TOWNSHIP OF HARWICH.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am a candidate for the office of Township Councilor for the year 1906. Your vote and influence solicited.  
**W. J. CORLETT.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I am again a candidate for the Township Council for 1906, and respectfully solicit your support and influence. I have been a resident of the Township for over twelve years and before leaving Camden had the honor of a seat at the Council Board for five years. If elected I promise to devote my attention to the best interests of the ratepayers.  
**GEO. W. BROWN,**  
 Lots 23 and 24, Concession 8.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF HARWICH.**

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**  
 I have been requested by a large number of ratepayers and respectfully consented to offer my services for next year as a member of the Council, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. I have been a resident of the Township for over thirty years and have before asked your support, and if elected I promise to serve the interests of the ratepayers to the best of my ability.  
 Your obedient servant,  
**GEO. GERBER.**  
 Vanhorn P. O.

**NEW ROUTE TO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.**

The opening of traffic of the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad, known as the Salt Lake Route, between Salt Lake City and Los Angeles, makes available a most desirable short line to Southern California. This will doubtless be of great interest to the ever increasing number of people who journey each winter to this sunny clime.

In anticipation of a large volume of this class of traffic a handsome equipment of modern vestibuled trains has been placed in service in connection with the Overland Limited train of the Chicago, Union Pacific and North Western Lines, the most luxurious train in the world. This forms a new and interesting route by which first class tourist travelers can reach the sunshine and flowers of Southern California, travelling on fast schedules and in luxurious comfort. Rates, folders and full information can be obtained from B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont.

Lots of good ten cent Cigars, better only one best—the Lord-Lake.  
 Smoke Quail on Toast Cigars, 5c. Clear Havana filled.