. H BUTLER, Mr. Wiley's "Squeeze." Reads Like STOCK BYOKER.

Stocks, Grain and Provisions bought and ald for cash or on margin. Private wires to Mew York Stock Exchange and Chicago Board Trade. To onto and Montreal Stock Exchange quotations received by wire. Long distance telephone. istance telephone. 15 and 18 Masonic Temple, London,

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, Feb. 17.-Wheat-The demand for wheat is more active; the offerings are small and the market is firmer at 91c to 92c, north and west. Manitoba wheat is firmer at \$1 11 for No. 1 hard, North Bay, and \$1 07, Midland. Flour is in better demand and firmer at \$4 25 to \$4 30 for cars of straight roller in barrels. Millfeed-Toronto mills have advanced prices for ton lots here to \$1 and \$1 15 for shorts, and \$13 for bran. Barley firm at 45c for No. 1, 40c for No. 2, 35c for No. 3 extra, and 30c for feed outside. Buckwheat is firmer at 36c and 35c west. Rye firmer at 50c west. Corn firmer at 37%c for Toronto, and ..6 at 371/2c for American, Toronto, and 301/2c to 31c for Canada yellow west. Oats are strong, scarce and in good demand at 301/2c to 31c for white west. Peas very firm at 56c east and 55c west. Baley hay steady; cars on track here, \$8 to \$8 50; baled straw steady at \$4 50to \$5 here. Eggs steady at 18c for fresh and 14c for limed. Butter-

English Markets.

Wheat -Spot, strong; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10,d; spot No. 1 red northern spring; Strong, Ss 2d. Strong, 8s 2d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new.
18. 44d; do old, 3s 44d; futures steady; Feb.,
19. 14d; March, quiet, 3s 32d.

Flour—St. Lou stancy winter firm, 9s 9d.

Beef—Firm. extra India mess, 68s 9d; prime
mess, 58s 9d.

Pork - Firm; Prime mess, fine western Pork — Firm; Prime mess, fine western is 3a; do, medium, western, 48s 9d.

Hams—Short cut 14 to 16 bs. dull, 34s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, firm, 25 to 30 bs.

12s 6d; short ribs, firm, 25 to 34 bs. 31s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 bs. 30s 6d; long clear middles, heavy 40 to 45 bs. 30s; short clear middles, heavy 45 to 60 bs; no stocks; clear bellies, firm, 12 to 14 bs. 34s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 bs. 28s 6d.

Shoulders—Square 12 to 14 bs. 28s 6d.

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Shoulders—Square 12 to 14 lbs., 28s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, firm, 26; 9d.

Butter—Finest American, 92s; good, 60s.

Rosin—Common steady, 4s 1jd.

Cheese—American finest white, steady, 40s;

clored, steady, 40s.

Tallow—Prime city, firm, 19s.

Turpentine spirits—Firm: 21s 6d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, 2415s

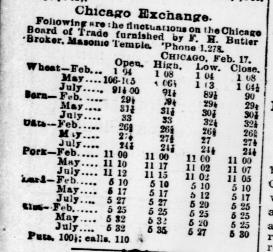
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Geo. McBean & Co. Dealers in Farm, Milling and Dairy Products.
Consignments and correspondence

American Markets. BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Spring wheat—
No. 1 hard. \$1 994: No. 1 northern. \$1 084 to \$1 11. Winter wheat, No. 2 red, \$1; No. 1 yellow, 35c; No. 3 white, \$1. Corp. No. 2 yellow, 35c; No. 3 corp. Mc. Oats, No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3 white, 314c; No. 3 white, 32c; No. 3 w DETROIT, Feb. 17.—Wheat. No. 1 white, cash, 9/1c; No. 2 red, cash, 9/1c; May, 989c; July, 90c.

TOLEDO. Feb. 17.—Wheat, cash, 99c; May, 51; July, 894c. Corn—Cash, 314c; May, 324c. all if Mr. Beck had not chosen to drag my name into the political discussion."

Liberals. But that is his own affair. Cwn. a few months old. With much hesitation my name into the political discussion." Chicago Exchange.



LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, Feb. 16-10 a.m.-Probabili- of Bay City, Mich., and A. D. Holman the lower lakes region for the and Bert Sheere, of London. next 24 hours: Fresh to strong easterly winds; higher temperature, with a League were adopted. Applications for fall of snow. Turning colder again on

LOCAL MENTION. ATTRACTIONS IN THE CITY THIS EVENING. Auditorium-Concert; Harold Jarvis

and others. St. James' School House-Concert. Music Hall-Concert; Railroad Train-

Princess Rink-Skating. Jubilee Rink-Skating.

-George McHugh, of this city, was in Ottawa today, and had an interview with Hon. David Mills. GOING TO OTTAWA.

The city council will meet tomorrow (Friday) night instead of Monday, as on the latter date a deputation will be sent to Ottawa to co-operate with Toronto against the increase of Bell Telephone Company's rates. The deputation will be named by the council.

ALL APPEALS DISPOSED OF. The business of the court of appeals on the Ontario voters' list was finished at 1 o'clock today. The result of the two days' sitting was that five Conservative and three Liberal appeals to add were allowed. Five Conservative and four Liberal appeals to strike off were allowed by the court, and ten allowed by consent. The other 250 or over were dismissed either by consent by the court.

Age Does Not Hurt It.

A day or two since there was reurned to the warerooms of Heintzman & Co. a plano that had been in se in a family for ten years. owner purchased a baby grand of this house, and the upright was taken back on account. The returned instrument looks as though it might have just come out of the factory. The finish and polish are perfect. The music can be produced from it is as delightful as the first day it was played on. It is evident that time is on the side of these planos, for they are made to last. The London rooms of this firm are at 236 Dundas

TAISY RINK-GOOD ICE-HARPERS

Another Letter and a Rejoinder to It.

Mr. Wiley Declares He Would Have Remarkable Story Affecting an Particularly Lively Session of Political Speeches.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

We have read with a great deal of surprise a letter published in your paper on Wednesday, Feb. 16, claiming to come from Mr. D. Wiley. Knowing the facts of the case, we cannot believe that Mr. Wiley ever wrote the letter or even knew what it contained, for we have no reason to suppose Mr. Wiley would either make a false assertion, or lend himself to gross misrepresentations. The facts are simply Mr. Dan. Wiley was in Mr. Beck's employ for about a year and a half in a minor position. About a fortnight ago he was promoted, and appeared well pleased with his posi-tion up to the time he left. His leaving was entirely of his own accord, and quite unexpected. There was no "squeezing" out, in fact, his position is not even yet filled. We can only say that Mr. Beck's treatment of ourselves and his employes generally is absolutely fair and impartial, and has never had the slightest political taint, and although it is a well-known fact Supply fair; large rolls are quoted at been Reformers, it has never worked to our detriment. Believing in fair play, however, in politics as well as in other contests, we gladly volunteer the above statement of facts. Henry Silk, Manager; P. C. Gleeson, Foreman; D. C. Budd, Book-keeper.

Mr. Wiley, being seen by an Advertiser representative in regard to the above letter, said: "Only one of the three men named (Mr. Budd, the book-keeper) is in a position to know the facts regarding my being squeezed out of Mr. Beck's employ. The others were fellow-employes, but they had nothing to do with the manner of my having to leave the place. As to my being welcome to stay after the treatment that caused my going, you must know that there are ways of making a man so uncomfortable that he might as well be kicked out. There are other ways than turning him on the street by force. It was Mr. Budd who came to my place and asked me to sign a paper acquitting Mr. Beck of responsibility, because, as he admitted, it looked bad for Mr. Beck, as it did seem that I had been squeezed out. It was Mr. Budd, too, who came to me to say that the cigar manufacturers did not want to do business through my department if I remained. He cannot, and he does not, deny that state-ment. If Mr. Beck and his book-P. O. BOX 807 - MONTREAL keeper did not know that I had been unfairly treated, why did they try to say I have known him to canvass strongly to secure the defeat of the

St. Thomas in

Enthusiastic Meeting of the International Baseball League.

A meeting of the International Baseball League was held yesterday at the Grand Union Hotel, Port Huron. It was a very enthusiastic, and lasted all afternoon and evening. The representatives present were: President McCarron, of Port Huron, in the chair; Secretary-Treasurer Cal Davis, Hamilton; Mr. Black, of Saginaw; Mr. Murphy, of Port Huron; Mr. Robinson, of St.

admission to the league were received from Grand Rapids, Mich., and St. Thomas, Ont. After hearing the representatives of each city, the matter was discussed and preference given to St. Thomas. Mr. Robinson, representing that city, agreed to the stipulations that the St. Thomas gate receipts should be 15 cents for men and 10 cents for ladies, the grand stand to be free for ladies, and the holiday admission fee 25 cents all round. Grand Rapids' application was also received on condition that another town be added, and the league be made to consist of eight clubs. A committee was appointed to secure the eighth club town in Canada, if possible, Guelph preferred. Should Guelph fail to accept, either Lansing or some other Michigan city may be given an oppor-tunity to come in. Messrs. Holman and Robinson were delegated to visit Guelph and ascertain the chances of a

team for that city. Visiting teams will have the option of 45 per cent of the gate receipts, or a guarantee of \$30. The rain guarantee

The schedule was deferred till a future meeting. The board of directors was elected as follows: Messrs. Black, Saginaw; Lewis, Bay City; Murphy, Port Huron; Robinson, St. Thomas; Collins, Hamilton, and Holman, London. The league, whether of six or eight clubs, is now assured, and prospects are very bright.

The evidence in the case proves Hood's Sarsaparilla cures scrofula, salt rheum, boils, humors and all erup-

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A Romance.

The Girl Unaware of Her Parentage-Was Left With Others by Her Mcther, Who Is Now Rich and Wants Her Child.

Here is a pretty and affecting romance, which is not fiction. Over 20 years ago, a young mother, unmarried, left her infant to the care of a poor but worthy couple in this

city. The child, a daughter, was only two months old. The mother left for parts unknown. Meanwhile, the child grew up in ignorance of her unhappy birth, believing that her foster-father and foster-mother were her true parents. The latter, for the girl's own sake, did not undeceive her, and treated her with parental kindness and affection. They became as fond of her as if she were their own. The child blossomed into band, like herself, was poor.

Now for the sequel: On Tuesday last, Mr. C. A. Kingston received a letter from California, addressed to the city of London, Ont. The contents caused him much surprise. The epistle was well composed and written in a good feminine hand. Inclosed was a photograph of the writer-a well-dressed, prepossessing woman of between 40 and 45 years of age. She was the mother of the foundling! Confessing her early misfortune, she

wrote that since that time she had lived a respectable, God-fearing life; she had married, but her first husband dying, she had wedded again. She is now in comfortable circumstances, a member of the Christian Church, possessing all that could make her happy save one thing—she had no children. "If you are a father," she continued, with a touch of deep pathos, "you can appreciate a mother's feelings-how I have yearned all these long years for my little one. I do not ask that she return to me if she does not wish to; I do not deserve it. Her foster-parents have been kind to her, I learn; and they may not want to part with her. I only ask that she be allowed to write me, and that she send her photograph." The writer asked Mr. Kingston to call upon the foster-parents (giving their address in the East End) and to acquaint them with her communication, and her earnest wish that her

daughter be restored her. The girl, she assured him, would find a splendid home and a loving welcome. Mr. Kingcoax an exoneration out of me. I ston set out in the storm the same have never bothered myself about night and found the parties at the adnight and found the parties at the adwere old and in poor circumstances. be proud of it. It would be a perman-They were astounded when the city clerk revealed his mission. The daughter, they informed them, was now mar-ried, and living under their roof with her husband, who was at present out of employment. She had a child of her With much hesitation and not a few

tears, the venerable couple promised to break the news to the young woman.
They were nearly heart-broken, they said, at the thought of losing her. Yesterday the old couple and the fos-ter-child called at the city hall. Mr. Kingston produced the letter, and the photograph, the daughter scanning them with an eagerness and avidity which Mr. Kingston says he will never forget. She had evidently been weeping over the revelation of her birth. In trembling tones she thanked the city clerk, and said she would write to her mother at once. In all probability she will accept the offer of a good

It would be grossly unfair to publish the names; the daughter feels her position keenly enough without public exposure. Her mother's second husband is the proprietor of an orange grove in California.

Parliament.

Mr. Sifton's Lucid Explanations of the Yukon All-Canadian Route.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Last night Mr. Sifton concluded his address upon the Yukon bill. It was a singularly clear and comprehensive review of the whole Yukon situation, pregnant with the information which the house desired, and which has been so conspicuously lacking in most of the speeches made by members. To form some conception of the vast amount of research and thought which the government must have devoted to the stupendous problem which suddenly confronted them. It may be said the youthful minister of the interior spoke with personal knowledge of every point involved in the problem, from England's treaty rights and the danger of anarchy in the Yukon if starvation threatened the people, down to the size of the rocks in the rivers. All was familiar to him from study and personal observation. His demonstration of the advantages of the arrangement proposed was a strong indorsation of Mr. Blair's remarks, and altogether his effort was masterly one. The opposition members consumed a good part of the afternoon in efforts to make capital for their friends in the Ontario elections, and some decidedly lively passages took place between Messrs. Blair and Foster, which resulted in the speaker call-ing both gentlemen to order. It was in reference to the telegram from Hon. Mr. Blair to Hon. Mr. Harty, setting forth that he intended to have three locomotives for the Intercolonial built immediately.

Mr. Foster charged that this was an attempt to corruptly influence the Kingston election. Mr. Blair retorted that the insinuation was insolent and impertinent. The wordy war went on till the

speaker stopped it An Ex-Alderman Speaks, MR. JAMES HAGAN, the wellknown ex-alderman of Kemptville, Ont., says: For some years I have been greatly troubled with pain across my back. Urinary troubles caused me much loss of sleep, and I suffered from a tired, worn-out feeling. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS gave me relief in a short time. The pain in my back has disappeared, and I feel that I would be doing wrong not to recommend

them to others suffering as I did. They are the best medicine I ever used." Ask Your Doctor. He will tell you that Scott's Emulsion

Western Fair Annual Meeting

the Association.

Col. W. M. Gartshore Succeeds Col. Leys as President.

Difficulties Arising Out of the Horticultural Society Dispute.

Election of Directors Not Harmoniously Conducted-Tie Vote on Two Slates-The President Gave the Casting Vote.

The annual meeting of the Western Fair Association was held yesterday | Clothes Wringer, each afternoon at the city hall. Among the members present were: T. H. Smallman, Wm. Yates, city; Alex. Smith, Maple Lodge; R. H. Harding, Morn- Tub Washing Machine, each a comely young woman, and a dale; R. Gibson, Delaware; Capt.Robson, Ilderton; George Green, Fairview; D. De Coursey, Bornhoim; Mayor Wilson, John Pope, Ald. McPhillips, Jolly, Winnett, Cooper and Wilkey, Alf. Robinson, W. C. Morrison, Frank Plant, city; Allen Bogue, Westminster; John Kennedy, Ilderton; Wm. Moore, West London; C. E. Trebilcock, The Grove; J. Laidlaw, Wilton Grove; John Durand, Dorchester; D. McKenzie, Hyde Park; R. McEwen, Byron; George Scatcherd, Wyton; S. K. Davidson, A. show of hands. The president said that such method had been followed by the Hosticultural Scalety and rothers, George Taylor, Ald. Douglass, E. J. McRobert, J. M. Logan, city; Edwin Scatcherd, Wyton; J. E. Blackall, Clinton; Peter Elson, London township; Job Morgan, Kerwood; Thomas Duffin, Rebecca; John Callard, Thomas Evans, St. Marys; C. M. Sim-

mons, Ivan; A. Kains, Byron; Alex. Innes, Chinton; A. T. Bowker, Woodstock; W. McNeil, R. Oke, John S. Pearce, W. H. Talbot and Thomas Ball, city. The meeting opened at 3 o'clock, with Mr. Allan Bogue, second vice-president, in the chair. Secretary Thomas A. Browne read the minutes of the last annual meeting, which were received and adopted. Mr. Bogue then presented the report of the board of directors, asp reviously published in The Advertiser. Upon finishing the reading of the report, Mr. Bogue said that if President Porte had reason to congratulate the directors

upon the success of the fair during the year 1896, President Leys had certainly greater reason for extending con-gratulations upon the record of 1897. he parties at the adhe parties at the adhe foster-parents

The Western Fair had become a solid The president asked why he did not take that position before the resoluent institution if conducted in a careshrewd and economical manner. The speaker predicted that if the management were to push along in the direction they were taking it would be a very great success. After the adoption of the report, Mr. Bogue resigned the chair to the president, Col. F. B. Leys, who had just entered.

The president read the financial statement, which has also been previously published in The Advertiser. On motion, Messrs. J. M. Logan and Capt. T. Robson were appointed a credential committee. Several communications were read by

the secretary, and referred to the new board. Messrs. W. H. K. Talbot and T. Ball were admitted to the association as representatives of the Gardeners' Association, city. The smooth current of business-like

procedure was somewhat ruffled when the report of the credential committee was submitted and the roll called. Mr. D.C.Macdonald called attention to the fact that his name was not on it, yet he had received a notice to attend the meeting. He produced the notice, and said he had been chosen representative of the Horticultural Society, and that he had a right to vote.

Secretary Browne said Ald. Douglass' name had been substituted for that or Mr. Macdonald's, but that Mr. McPhil-Ipis had a right to make the explana-

Ald. McPhillips, the solicitor for the Horticultural Society, in the recent dispute between members of that body, said it had been arranged to make the change stated by the secretary.

Mr. Macdonald said that when appointed, no one had a right to put him off the list. Perhaps they wanted no one but Grits there. "You are making an unfair remark,"

replied Col. Leys firmly. "Politics and were as follows: have never been mentioned in connection with the fair board, until you and one or two others endeavored to bring it in." The success of 1897 proved, the colonel said, that politics had no place in the working of the association, and went to show that Mr. Macdonald's remarks were made maliciously. Mr. Macdonald had been left off by his own solicitor, who had drawn up the terms of settlement of the dispute in the Agricultural Society. Mr. Wm. McNeil suggested that Mr. McPhillips, the solicitor, Ald. Douglass, and Mr. Macdonald retire and settle

the matter themselves. The dispute was entirely out of order. Thep resident explained that out of his regard for Mr. Macdonald, he wished to give him a hearing. Mr. Macdonald charged the president with showing political preferences in the actions of the association. Col. Leys replied that all who knew

him knew differently. Secretary Browne said he had got notice of the change too late to pre-vent sending Mr. Macdonald a notice. He denied that politics had governed his actions.

Mr. Macdonald said he did not boother lieve they had, but it was the other fellows.

There were several calls for "business," and the dispute ended for the time. Later it was revived, when Mr. Macdonald attempted to vote. The election of directors was the next order of business.

Mr. J. M. Logan moved that Col. Leys vacate the chair, and that Mayor

Wilson preside. That would have been entirely contrary to the usual procedure of the association, and Col. Leys said he would preside until his successor was elected, as had been the case in previous years. On motion of Ald. Douglass, Messrs. Allardice and Marshall were appointed scrutineers.

Ald. Douglass moved the election of the following as directors for the year: R. Shaw-Wood, Ald. Carrothers, E. J. Carrothers, John Callard, J. M. Logan, A. M. Smart, W. J. Reid, W. Yates, Col. W. M. Gartshore, J. S. Pearce, Col. W. M. Gartsnore, J. S. Pearce, W. M. Spencer and the mover.
Mr. Frank Plant moved the substitution of the name of Mr. W. C. Mortagoria and the move of the management of He will tell you that Scott's Emulsion on applications of the blood and debility of the nerves. He will say that it is the best remedy in the world for delicate children.

He will tell you that Scott's Emulsion or the name of Mr. W. C. Morrison as representative of the Trades and Labor Council, but the motion was not entertained.

Ex-Mayor George Taylor presented the following slate in exendment:

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Messrs. Wm. Yates, W. J. Reid, Col. Gartshore, R. Shaw-Wood, Col. Leys, Jas. H. Brown, W. R. Hobbs, W. M. Spencer, Ald. Carrothers, J. S. Pearce, A. M. Smart and George Taylor. It was decided almost unanimously by the Horticultural Society, and

caused trouble. The scrutineers declared the vote & tie, and Mr. Brown called upon the president to give the casting vote. Col. Leys said that his count had differed so much from that of the scrutineers that he did not want to take the responsibility of giving the casting vote. He thought the amendment had car-

ried almost 2 to 1. Ald. Cooper said the president had not the right to give the casting vote. Capt. Robson held that he had. A motion to divide the house was put and carried, with only one or two centrary votes. The supporters of the amendment were to go to the north of the hall and those who favored the motion to the south. The secretary was instructed to call out the name of each member present, who on his name being read was to go to whichever side of the hall he chose. Mr. T. H. Smallman's name was the first read, and he refused to vote. He objected to such an extraordinary protion for a division was passed.

Ex-Mayor Little called for a ballot to be taken. Ald. McPhillips was heard in the matter. By the assistance of the president, himself and others, he said, they had not long ago managed to straighten out a tangle, and they did not want to get into another. The bylaws of the association provided that the presiding officer should ask the meeting how the vote was to be taken. They also stated that at the request of any two members a ballot should be taken. "If the request is made at the proper said the president. He asked Mr. McPhillips' legal opinion as to whether or not the show of hands was

legal. Mr. McPhillips replied that it was legal, but that the division of the house after the tie would be illegal. The President-Have I the right to give the casting vote, then? Mr. McPhillips-My legal opinion is that you have. The president then ended the strain by voting in favor of the amendment. The meeting then adjourned.

DIRECTORS' MEETING. Subsequently the newly-appointed directors met for the election of officers. Col. W. M. Gartshore was nominated as president by Col. Leys and Mr. Bogue and elected unanimously. He gave a brief address upon assuming office, in which he thanked the directors for the honor conferred upon him. He hinted at an increase in the prize list, especially in other than the professional class. Mr. J. S. Pearce was nominated for first vice-president by Messrs. Smart and Hobbs. Mr. R. Shaw-Wood was

also nominated for this position Ald. Carrothers, but withdrew name, and Mr. Pearce was elected unanimously. The other elections were unanimous, Second Vice-President-Mr. Allan

Bogue. Secretary-Thos. A. Browne. Treasurer—D. McKenzie. Chairmen of Committees—Finance, . M. Smart; grounds and buildings,

J. H. Brown; gates and tickets, W. M. Spencer; printing and advertising, W. R. Hobbs; attractions, W. J. Reid.

The officers form the striking committee for the rest of the committees. In addition to the directors chosen at the annual meeting there are Mayor Wilson, Ald. McPhillips, Jolly, Winnett, Cooper and Wilkey, of the city council; and Messrs. Alian Bogue, John Durand, John Kennedy, Wm. Moore, C. E. Trebilcock and J. Laidlaw, of the East Middlesex Agricultural Society. The retiring directors are Messrs Col. F. B. Leys, A. M. Smart, Jas. H. Brown, J. S. Pearce, W. M. Spencer, W. R. Hobbs, Wm. Yates, W. J. Reid, Geo. Taylor, Col. W. M. Gartshore, Geo. Taylor, Col. W. M. Gartshore, Col. R. Lewis and Capt. A. W. Porte.

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Steamship Arrivals.New YorkLiverpool
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Richmond Fire Hall, Dear Sir,-Constipation for years has Toronto, Feb. 26, 1897. been my chief ailment; it seems to come oftener in spite of all I could do. However, some time ago I was told to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which I have done, with the result of what appears now to be a perfect cure. Yours truly,

J. HARRIS. The sensation of the week in British Columbia mining circles has been the offer made by McKenzie & Mann, the Stickeen River railway contractors, to W. A. Carlyle, the provincial mineralogist. They offered him \$25,000 a year to go to Yukon as mining manager in their behalf.

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure — one ceeding. He did not want to vote for will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's



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