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## Lambeth's Lovely Sunsets.

Mrs. Randall Davidson, wife of the Archbishop of Canterbury, in opening a free loan picture exhibition at the Borough Polytechnic, Southwark, said there were no sunsets so lovely as those of London.

"No sunsets," she remarked, "have the beautiful mistiness that characterizes those of the metropolis."

"I have seen sunsets in other countries and other cities, yet I have always been glad to come back to those of early associations—to the sunsets of Lambeth."

## Cynical Harold Speed.

Harold Speed, the London artist, is pleasantly cynical and witty in speech. One of his sayings is: "No gentleman (in the ordinary sense of the word) should be an artist, for either the gentleman or the artist must suffer. Another favorite observation of his, 'Look a fool, but don't be one.' Mr. Speed is a bit of a dandy, but everything about him betrays the artistic temperament."

## Sale Register

On Tuesday, Jan. 23, Joel Church will sell by auction at his farm near Frankville all his farm stock, implements, etc. No reserve. Liberal terms. A. M. Eaton, auctioneer.

## Card of Thanks

I desire through this medium to return my sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses and practical sympathy they extended to me following the destruction of my house by fire.

Mrs. M. W. CONNELL.

## The Spirit of Winter

The Spirit of Winter is with us, making its presence known in many different ways—sometimes by cheery sunshine and glistening snows, and sometimes by driving winds and blinding storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things worse, for rheumatism twists harder, twinges sharper, catarrh becomes more annoying, and the many symptoms of scrofula are developed and aggravated. There is not much poetry in this, but there is truth, and it is a wonder that more people don't get rid of these ailments. The medicine that cures them—Hood's Sarsaparilla—is easily obtained and there is abundant proof that its cures are radical and permanent.

## CANADA IN MEXICO

The Central Railway, of Mexico, has recently awarded a contract to the Western Assurance Company, of Canada, for the underwriting of its entire insurance which is placed at \$7,000,000, according to the recent estimate of the insurance inspector. The new policies, which will cover all rolling stock, port works, buildings and everything of an inflammable nature, went into effect on January 1st, and will remain in effect one year. This will give some idea of the interest that is springing up between Canada and Mexico, and the special excursion which will leave Montreal by the Grand Trunk Railway on the 20th of this month, will afford a splendid opportunity for manufacturers and other business men to visit Mexico with a view of furthering the trade relations that are now developing.

After you have tried hot springs, sulphur baths, patent medicines, electricity etc bring your case to the Supreme Court of Rheumatism Bone Oil. This is a powerful penetrating oil, which as it's name implies, acts directly on the bone or joint—the lodging seat of rheumatism. If you are troubled with rheumatism, sciatica, lame back or kindred troubles and have not been able to get anything to help you don't get discouraged and make up your mind that nothing cure you until you have tried Tuck's Rheumatic Bone Oil. It has cured hundreds of cases just as bad as yours H. S. Brown of Merrickville, Ontario writes as follows:—

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For all inflammation arising not only from rheumatism but from colds, croup, bronchitis, quinsy etc. Tuck's Bone Oil is a sure and speedy cure. Sold by all medicine dealers at 50c a bottle or sent by mail prepaid by The Tuck Bone Oil Co Limited Smith's Falls, Ontario.

## CURIOS SCRAP.

### A Church Puzzle.

For many years visitors to a church near Houghton-le-Spring were mystified by a double row of apparently meaningless capital letters, inscribed under the Ten Commandments. They were:—  
P R S V R Y P R C T M N;  
V R K P T H S P R C P T S T N.

At last, however, the enigma was solved by an ingenious individual, who alluding in the spaces between the consonants with e's, and then the inscription read:—

"Persevere, ye perfect men;  
Ever keep these precepts ten."

### A Tavern Sign.

Though "The Ram and Teasel" looks like a stork puzzle in tavern signs, it is really one of the simplest to decipher—it indicates a house of call for persons engaged in the woollen cloth industry, the Ram being emblematic of the fleece or raw material, and the Teasel (which is an instrument used for raising the nap of cloth) of the finished goods.

Source of a Suggestive Sign.

At Marston Moretaine, in Bedfordshire, is a wayside inn with the peculiar sign of "The Jumps." The local tradition of its origin is that in the long ago, on Sunday afternoon, a party of parishioners were gambling on the spot. It now occupies, when to their consternation "Old Scratch" suddenly appeared, and made a flying jump into their midst. The story goes that formerly a large stone marked each of the impressions made by his hoofs in the turf, and one is still pointed out to visitors as evidence of the alleged terrible event.

### A Sainly Butcher.

The head of the staff of the ancient church of St. Bartholomew the Great, in West Smithfield, is quaintly symbolic of the principal trade of the district, being surmounted by a figure of the holy St. Bartholomew himself, holding a butcher-knife in his right hand. On the staff is inscribed, "The gift of Samuel Atkins, citizen and clothworker of London, in the parish of St. Bartholomew the Great, Anno Dom. 1731. Repaired and beautified 1828."

Cannibalism in Europe.  
The eating of human flesh has not always been confined to other continents than Europe. Either from choice or necessity the practice has been indulged in comparatively frequently this side of the Equator. In France in 1031, during a great famine, human flesh was sold in the butcher's shops. During another great dearth, an innkeeper of Mecon was always able to supply his guests with fresh meat. This excited suspicion; his house was searched, and four score human heads were found in his cellar. He was convicted of cannibalism and burnt alive; the same fate overtaking a butcher of Tournay for exposing human flesh for sale.

Introduction of Gutta Serena.  
Considering the hundred and one uses to which gutta serena is now put, it seems strange to reflect that little more than half a century has elapsed since its first introduction to Europe. Yet so it is. At the beginning of 1842 Dr. W. Montgomerie drew the attention of the Bengal Medical Board to the substance, surmising it would likely be useful for some surgical purposes. In April of the same year some gutta serena was taken to Europe by Dr. D. A. L. de Meunier, who presented it to the London Royal Society of Arts, but it did not at first attract much attention.

A Wonderful Magnet.  
Sir Isaac Newton were in a ring a natural magnet, which weighed only three grains, yet it was able to take up 746 grains, or nearly 250 times its own weight.

## BACK TO 10,000 B.C.

Rare Harvest of Egyptian Relics On View in London.

The season's harvest from Egyptian excavations is on view at University College, says The New York Sun's London correspondent. The chief interest is in Prof. Flinders Petrie's Sinaitic Peninsula excavations made in the turquoise mines of Wakhmaghnia and Sarabit el Khadem and the latter's temple.

The oldest monument group, the King of Mersekh emitting a captive sheikh, is assigned to the first dynasty about 4,600 B.C. There are also sculptures and inscriptions which are assigned to 2,500 B.C. An interesting feature of Sarabit el Khadem is the evidence that it was Semitic and not Egyptian worship which was practised in the whole region. Scattered pilgrim shelters usually contained a bethel stone, some of which have Egyptian inscriptions. Here the Admiral came for sacrificial dreams. This special feature of Semitic worship was quite unknown in Egypt.

The Temple of Sarabit el Khadem was originally the sacred case of the Goddess Hathor. It must have existed in the Third Dynasty, nearly 7,000 years ago. One peculiar un-Egyptian feature of it was too small courtyards, each with a stone basin for purification. This characteristic feature of every Mohammedan mosque must have existed in Syrian worship fifteen centuries before Christ.

The discovery of the greatest antiquity to a collection of films used by the Bedouins in working turquoise out of sandstone, which dates to 10,000 B.C.

## Search for the Armada's Treasure.

The search for the sunken treasure in Torberrory Bay has been begun on board a strange-looking craft, all surrounded with awning, and with every precaution to secure secrecy. The Duke of Argyll is represented by Capt. Burns, Glasgow, who is assisted by a foreign-looking gentleman, who is an expert in photographic operations. Two years ago there was recovered a long brass cannon with loaded breech block, the charge of gunpowder not having been exploded, as well as a huge pistol, a cutlass, a ring, and pieces of timber of the ship Admiral of Florence. But the main object of the present search does not concern such subjects. The Admiral of Florence was the treasure ship of the Spanish Armada, and thirty millions of gold were said to have gone down with her in 1588, when the vessel was blown up by an enthusiastic and revengeful heretic of the chief of the McLeans of Duart Castle. The search now is for this gold, and every effort will be put forth to wrest it from his hiding place.—London Globe.

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The Hospital had last year in its beds and cots 691 patients—316 of these were from outside of Toronto. The cost is 1.14 cents per patient per day, and there were 133 sick little ones a day in the Hospital.

Since its foundation the Hospital has treated 11,262 children. About 8,000 of these were unable to pay a cent and were treated free.

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Your dollar may be a door of hope to somebody's child. The Hospital pays out dividends of health and happiness to suffering childhood on every dollar that is paid by friends of little children.

If you know of any child in your neighborhood who is sick or crippled or has club feet and the parent's name to the Hospital. See what can be done for club-foot children. There were 33 like cases last year and hundreds in 30 years.

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Lyn... 10.10 " 8.54 "  
Seeleys... 10.20 " 4.01 "  
Forthton... 10.33 " 4.11 "  
Elbe... 10.39 " 4.16 "  
Athens... 10.53 " 4.24 "  
Soperton... 11.13 " 4.41 "  
Lyndhurst... 11.20 " 4.48 "  
Delta... 11.28 " 4.54 "  
Elgin... 11.47 " 5.07 "  
Forfar... 11.55 " 5.18 "  
Crosby... 12.03 p.m. 5.18 "  
Newboro... 12.12 " 5.28 "  
Westport (arrive) 12.30 " 5.40 "

GOING EAST  
No. 2 No. 4  
Westport (leave) 7.30 a.m. 2.40 p.m.  
Newboro... 7.42 " 2.55 "  
Crosby... 7.52 " 3.06 "  
Forfar... 7.58 " 3.12 "  
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Lyn... 9.16 " 5.04 "  
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