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HOW BAD TIMES OCCUR.

A study of existing trade conditions in the United States appears to make fairly plain the cause of bad times. The formula is somewhat as follows: Given a period of business prosperity and its first result, a considerable amount of unproductive capital looking for investment. Then appears on the scene the financier. He takes hold of a legitimate industry paying good dividends and inflates its stock, disposing of the surplus so as to absorb any unproductive capital lying around loose. Then Labor concludes that a slice of the good things is about due and it puts up wages. Merchants put up prices of stable articles to absorb some of the wages of labor.

Stage second: The high-gear, broad-gauge trust magnate appears on the scene and merges the inflated industries, at the same time inflating the trust stock and cutting down operating expenses, alias sacking a few thousand wage-earners to save money to pay a few dividends on the over-inflation of stock. About this time the stock markets and bucket shops do a thriving trade with the unsophisticated public in juggling the hot air securities and succeed in accumulating a considerable further portion of the Unproductive Capital in the pockets of the kings of finance. Some of the late owners of Unproductive Capital shoot themselves, go into bankruptcy or to jail for embezzlement of more Unproductive Capital to square their losses.

Stage third: Complaints of undigested securities, slumps in the stock market, failure of gold brick trusts to pay dividends. Financial Geniuses proceed to whip-saw the trusts they created so that pretty soon there is a small new crop of multi-millionaires and a large crop of trusts suffering from financial dyspepsia as a result of undigested securities. By that time the Geniuses of Finance have a corner in Unproductive Capital, the industries are struggling to earn dividends on undigested securities, alias inflated stock.

Stage fourth: The trusts commence to bust. Individual industries fail, or dismiss wage-earners and reduce wages. Mercantile houses having stocks purchased at boom prices find they have to cut prices below a living profit and they begin to go into liquidation. Wage-earning competition becomes keen and wage rates are cut to a barely living margin, and those who live on the expenditure of wage-earners feel the pinch all along the line. Result: A few Financial Geniuses are multi-millionaires, unproductive capital has disappeared into their pockets via the stock market or watered stocks and the mass of the people are up against another purgatory of bad times.

SOME SOUND ADVICE.

Bobaygeon Independent.
Just a word to Uncle Sam. Don't you suggest a deal, trade, or swap with Canada, for the next few weeks, or you will hear something not pretty.

CACOTHES LOQUENDI.

Mr. Aylsworth, by his own opinion, sat on the boundary commission as a diplomat. He would have appeared to much better advantage as a judge had he done less talking to the public.

NONE OF OUR BUSINESS.

Woodstock Express.
The Conservatives are talking about protesting the Soo election. What nonsense! Didn't the Government buy the Soo and pay for it with the people's money? And hasn't a man a right to what he buys and pays for?

GREAT WORK AT THE SAULT.

Toronto Mail.
The Ontario Government will have to ask the gentlemen who burn the ballots to get to work as speedily as possible. Here are some curious figures from the Sault, which seem to render imperative the early lighting of the furnaces:

1902.	1903.
Miscam.	Miscam.
Smith bell Smith bell.	
Helen Mines	15 3 23 0
Wawa	26 23 38 5
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The peculiarity about these polling divisions is the circumstance that the population has been decreased owing to the closing of the mines subsidiary to the Sault industries. While the population has fallen off the voting strength has nearly doubled, and, strangely enough, the kind of voters who have increased are those who vote for Smith! The operators at the Sault did great work. In the distribution of offices they ought not to be forgotten.

When the little folks take colds and coughs, don't neglect them and let them strain the tender membranes of their lungs. Give them

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

The Lung Tonic
It will cure them quickly and strengthen their lungs. It is pleasant to take.

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JUST HIS LOOK

A young lad who is attending the Canada Business College here had rather an unpleasant experience on Queen street while going home late Friday evening.
The victim of the joke had been up town all evening with a number of friends. They all walked down Queen street together and when they came to the corner of Richmond and Queen they stopped to have a chat. They were all standing at the first young man thought it would be far more pleasant to sit down. He noticed a far barrel standing near so he made a hand spring and lit on top of it. Imagine his surprise when the barrel head gave way and he felt himself gradually doubling up and sinking into the soft tar.
It took his friends fully half an hour to extract him from his unpleasant position and as a result of the accident a Maple City tailor is about \$24 richer to-day.

THE STRENUOUS LIFE

A Great Strain.

No one disputes the fact that we are living in a "rapid" age; it is rush, rush, rush from morning until night, and competition is so fierce that the struggle does not cease until the machine is worn out.

Women, too, even when surrounded by every comfort, become infected by the common spirit, and what with their clubs and many social duties, have no time to give thought to their physical well-being until they are suddenly brought to a sharp realization of the fact that nothing in their lives is so important as attention to correct or rational living.

It may surprise the reader to learn that women are more prone to piles than men, and in most cases because it is difficult to impress upon them the importance of regular movements of the bowels; irregularity means straining at stool, and straining means piles, with the certainty under the usual methods of treatment that the sufferer will "have them always with her." By "usual methods" is meant the application of salves and lotions, or (as a last resort) a surgical operation.

If there is a complaint which entails more distress and suffering upon those afflicted than piles or hemorrhoids, it is not known to the writer; fortunately, however, there are learning that there is a remedy that effectually cures all forms of piles; it is known as the Pyramid Pile Cure, is in suppository form, is applied directly to the parts, and does its work quickly and painlessly; it is sold by druggists at fifty cents a package, or will be mailed by the makers to any address upon receipt of price.

Mrs. L. M. Joliff, Parisburg, Ohio, says: "I feel it my duty to acknowledge the great benefit I have received from the use of Pyramid Pile Cure. For several months I suffered untold agony from the bleeding piles, and was finally advised by a Columbus doctor to get Pyramid Pile Cure at once, which I did, and one box completely cured me. I advise all sufferers to use it." Write the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their little book on the causes and cure of piles.

ON THE RIVER

Sunday was an ideal day and yesterday was even better. Everybody who owned a horse or could hire one was out. Bicycles were brought into requisition and a few spent the day on the river. Two young men from the city paddled up the river as far as George Marshall's. At least they started to paddle. Above the C. P. R. bridge the electric vapor launch Winkie came along in charge

Food Was Torture—How Iron-ox Tablets Cured R. J. Fowler, of Orillia.

February 19, 1903.

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of Captain E. Blake Arnold. The captain cheerfully offered a tow and the two lazy ones were only too glad to accept. As they lolled in the bottom of the canoe watching the landscape slipping past, they considered writing a book on paddling made easy. Along the either bank a couple of lazy hawks kept flying from tree to tree along the side of the boat. A coot, too, became a pilot for the boat and whenever the launch got too close the water fowl would fly for a couple of hundred yards or so, leaving a watery wake.

The launch sent word back, when near Jack Smith's place that they were going no further. Orders were then given to cast the canoe adrift and the lazy ones paddled up stream a couple of bends to the sand bank opposite George Marshall's. Then the canoe was faced down stream and the two drifted idly in the trees while a solitary king fisher slipped across the river. A few red squirrels, an occasional blue jay and a distant crow relieved the stillness. The far off boats on Lake St. Clair could be heard occasionally tooting. Altogether the day was a perfect one and until the sun had begun to descend did the canoeists feel the reality of life. The chill air had its effect and then the pair began to move their paddles in unison. Then the little craft shot forward, leaving scarcely a ripple. The canoe is the best of all small water boats. It obeys the will of the master mind and does exactly what its guide wills. Its motion is easy and pleasant.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY

Nov. 3.—Mrs. T. Beno, of Maidstone, is visiting her son here, Mr. Frank Beno, and his wife.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keeley, of Chatham, have been visiting friends here the past few days.
Joe Labadie, of this village, and Miss Martin, of Dover, were married to-day.
Dr. Ferdu, of Chatham, was in town yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sales are returning this week to their farm in Tilbury East, and have rented their house here to Mr. Lee.
Mrs. Crawford is visiting her parents in St. Mary's.
Harry Kelly, who has been visiting his sister here, Mrs. H. Johnson, returned to his home in Toronto yesterday.

THAMESVILLE

Nov. 2.—Miss Fay Wing left to-day for her home in Chatham.
Dr. and Mrs. Fraser were visitors in London.
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Cyril Monroe, of the Detroit School of Telegraphy, spent Sunday with his parents here.
Mrs. Georgian Ripley, of Chatham,

If buying for cash is a factor towards good buying, if buying for seven stores instead of one is any advantage, if selling for cash only and making no losses or bad debts in selling, if a thorough knowledge of the best goods, best makers and best source of supply counts for anything, then this store is in front of the procession as sellers of fine furs at popular prices. Examine our stock, compare our prices, and remember fur buyers take no chances here. We stand squarely back of every garment we sell and have only one price, the same to everybody.

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Ladies' Electric Seal Coats, extra quality, 24 in. long, storm collar and lapels, new pouch sleeve, rich heavy quality, satin linings, special at \$40.

Electric Seal Coats, superior quality fur with large storm collar and reverses of rich Columbia Sable, heavy satin lined, special at \$45.

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Fur collars and capelines, immense variety of styles in all fashionable furs, matchless values, at each \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.00, \$8.50 and \$10.00.

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SEVEN STORES The NORTHWAY COMPANY, Limited TWO FACTORIES

spent Sunday in town.
Mrs. Johnson and sister, Miss Shaw, left to-day to visit friends in Windsor.

Anniversary services were held in the Baptist Church yesterday. Rev. Mr. Norton preached morning and evening, and Rev. Mr. Campbell, of Bothwell, conducted the afternoon service. Miss Rena Langford, of Kent Bridge, rendered a solo in the evening, which was highly appreciated by the congregation.

The young boys of the village were up to their usual pranks during Halloween.

Mrs. Tom Sims, Sr., returned home, after a lengthy visit with her daughter in Chicago.

DROVE AWAY BOTH DISEASES.

Geo. Robertson Cured His Kidneys by Using Dodd's Kidney Pills

And His Rheumatism and Dropsy Departed Never to Return—He Makes a Statement.

Montreal, Que., Nov. 2.—(Special).—The illness and cure of Mr. George Robertson, of 39 St. Antoine street, this city, is further and convincing proof that Rheumatism and Dropsy are both the results of Diseased Kidneys. Mr. Robertson had Dropsy and Rheumatism for five years. He cured his Kidneys by using Dodd's Kidney Pills and both diseases departed for good. Speaking of his case Mr. Robertson says:

"I had been troubled with Dropsy and Rheumatism for five years. I am now well and it is all owing to Dodd's Kidney Pills. Before I started using them I could hardly put my feet to the floor they were swollen so much from Dropsy. My arms used to swell at times so that I could not put my coat on. A friend advised me to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, offering to pay for them if they did not help me. Before I had used the second box I felt a great improvement. I took seven boxes in all and I don't know what it is to be sick since."

DRESDEN

Nov. 3.—Mr. M. Mahoney, one of Dresden's best known citizens, visited in Windsor last week, and while there suffered from a stroke of partial paralysis. His many friends will be pleased to learn that he is much better and was able to take the journey home yesterday, arriving last night.

Frank Miller has resigned his position in the Standard office and will enter the sugar factory to serve an apprenticeship in the lucrative work of sugar boiling.

The annual tea of the ladies of the Methodist church was held last night and was highly successful in every respect. The attendance was unusually large, and the entertainment given in the church after the tea meeting was alone worth the price of admission.

Frank Porter, of the Thamesville Herald, was a Dresden visitor on Sunday.

Henry McIntosh, of Chatham, spent yesterday in town.

The season's campaign at the sugar factory commenced in earnest this morning at seven o'clock, when the first beets were put through the slicer. The beets this year are a very good sample and test fairly high, so that the season's run promises to be a most successful one.

Sandy Burnie will commence work at the sugar factory to-morrow morning.

The Misses Leak and Abbie Davies are once more able to get around after their recent attack of typhus fever.

Bert Smith arrived home from Detroit last night. He has secured a job in the sugar factory.

Mrs. Haybow and daughter Ida are the guests of Mrs. John Waffie.

Harold Hughes has given up his position with Wm. Budd & Co. and

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Roy Turner is back from the West and will commence work at the sugar factory this week.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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