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LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED, TORONTO, CANADA.

Coal Oil Stoves, \$5 to \$15.
Chip Market Baskets, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c each.

Wood's Fair

SCREEN DOORS.

We have this year the biggest value in Screen Doors and Windows, considering quality, that we have ever been able to offer. Never before have we been able to give a Screen Door good enough for a front door for \$5.50, complete with hinges and other trimmings.

A clear oak finish, stock and moldings, with best grade wire cloth, covered edges, 1/2 stock, 2 feet 10 inches by 6 feet 10 inches, usually sold at \$15.50, price on Thursday, complete, \$5.50.

The same style door as the one above, 3 feet by 7 feet, for the more, \$5.50—includes all trimmings. Of course, we have the fancy doors at a little more money. Complete, \$15.50, \$17.50. But you had better see our Doors before buying.

A five-string 35-cent Broom on Thursday for \$2.50.

DECORATED BLACK TEAPOTS, 25c.

Just opened up six crates of very fine black English Decorated Teapots, these were bought at an exceptionally low price. See the line on sale Thursday at, each \$2.50.

CURTAIN STRETCHERS REDUCED TO \$1.00.

To clear out the balance of our Dandy Curtain Stretchers, we have cut the price down to \$1.00, which should be within the reach of all. We only have about one dozen left, so be early on Thursday and get one. Set \$1.00.

Clear Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers, 4c each.

Wood's Fair

Best Garden Seeds, 3 pgs. for 5c.

REILLY MAY BE RELEASED

Physician Says the Detention is Injuring His Health.

Belleville, Ont., May 23.—There seems to be no doubt that P. J. Reilly, the ballot box expert and ex-college professor, will be released from custody in a day or two. Dr. Farley, jail physician, has recommended to the authorities that Reilly be released, on the ground that his health, both bodily and mentally, is suffering severely, and that his continued detention for the full year would result in the gravest consequences. Reilly is still in jail here.

Two Flore for Machen.

Washington, May 23.—August W. Machen, under sentence of two years imprisonment for his connection with postal frauds, pleaded guilty today to an additional indictment in which he is charged jointly with Crawford and Lorenz with conspiracy in the purchase of letter carriers' satchels, and was at once sentenced to an additional two years' imprisonment. Several other indictments involving similar charges will be quashed.

Galathea, or "milk-stone," is being much used for decorating, and promises to take the place of marble.

The Watch-Dog, in your Vest Pocket

YOU can buy Health Insurance now.

Several good "Accident" Companies sell it. Sixty dollars per year will bring you \$25.00 per week, for every week you are Sick.

But, your time alone may be worth far more than that.

And \$200 per week might not pay for your Suffering.

That's why "Cascairet" Insurance which prevents Sickness, is worth ten times as much money as other "Health" Insurance.

Yet "Cascairet Insurance" will cost you less than Ten Cents a week. That gives you a "Vest Pocket" Box to carry constantly.

Carry one of these tiny, flat, enamel Boxes all the time and you will prevent 90% of all the ills likely to assail you.

Eat one of the Six Pleasant little Confections contained in each Box, whenever you suspect you need it.

That single tablet will set your Bowels, Liver and Intestines working naturally without any Gripe or Inconvenience.

Constipation, or Indigestion are impossible when Cascairets are used on first indications.

And these two primary ills pave the way for nearly all other Diseases. It is not only the discomfort

their train of small and great ills, and to insure against a return of them?

Not so very much. One 10 cent box of Cascairets per week, at most, perhaps half that.

One Candy tablet night and morning, taken regularly for a short time, is warranted to cure the worst case of Constipation or Indigestion that walks the earth.

It is Guaranteed to Cure, or Money refunded.

One tablet taken whenever you suspect you need it will insure you likely to attack you.

Because 20 per cent of these ills begin in the Bowels, or exist through poor Nutrition.

Cascairets don't purge, don't weaken, don't irritate, nor upset your stomach.

They don't act like Cathartics that flush out the bowels with a waste of precious Digestive Juices, needed for tomorrow's Bowel work.

No—they act like Exercise, on the Bowels, instead.

They stimulate the Bowel Muscles to contract and propel the Food naturally past the little valves that mix Digestive Juices with Food.

They strengthen these Bowel Muscles by exercising them. This stronger action, producing greater nutrition from food, brings back to the Bowel Muscles, greater power for self-operation.

The Bowel Muscles can thus, in a short time, dispense with any Drug assistance whatever.

This is why the dose of Cascairets can be lessened from time to time instead of increased as with all Cathartics, and Laxatives, which act as masters of Digestive Juices.

The time to take a Cascairet is the very minute you suspect you need one.

—When your Tongue is coated a little.

—When your Breath is not above suspicion.

—When your head feels dull, dizzy, or achy.

—When you have eaten too heartily, or too rapidly.

—When you have drunk more than was good for your digestion.

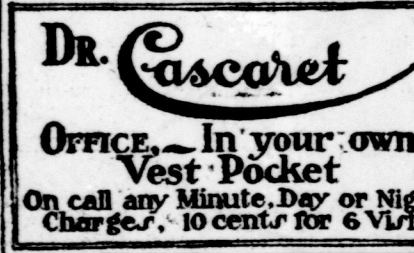
—When you have a touch of Heartburn, Gas-belching, Acid-rising, or a Coming-on-Cold.

These are all sure signs of Bowel trouble that should be checked on first appearance.

One "Cascairet" will do it.

Sold by all Druggists—10 Cents.

You can try Cascairets FREE before you buy. Write for Free Sample and booklet, "The Curse of Constipation," best ever printed on the subject. Address Sterling Remedy Company, 374 St. Paul St., Montreal.



Dr. Cascairet

Office, in your own Vest Pocket

On call, any Minute, Day or Night

Charge, 10 cents for 6 Vials

of Indigestion or Constipation that

It is the loss of Nutrition from Food eaten, but not digested.

On food digestion depends Mental Energy, Aggressiveness, Cheerfulness, Courage and Confidence, as well as mere Physical Strength.

One's Capacity for Success therefore depends largely on his Capacity to extract Nutrition from food.

Cascairets increase that Capacity, but only partially digested.

"Constipation" means food retained in the body undigested too long, till it decays.

It then supplies the poisons of decay to the system, in place of the nourishment it might have supplied.

Isn't that a tremendous handicap worth insuring against?

What does it cost to Cure, Constipation or Indigestion with

QUEEN'S WANTS SLICE OF GRANT

Whitney Scored for Giving Monetary Assistance to Toronto Alone.

Toronto, May 23.—Queen's University, in view of the proposed grant by the Government of \$25,000 to the Central Hospital, in connection with the clinical work of the University of Toronto, is moving to secure a conditional grant for medical education in Eastern Ontario. The medical faculty of Queen's has passed a resolution deploring the members of the department from the past educational policy of Ontario, and requesting the Government to consider the claims and work of Queen's University any monetary grant that is made for medical education.

ROCKEFELLER, JUN., TO BOLT

Rumor That Son of Magnate Rejects Standard Oil Methods.

New York, May 23.—John D. Rockefeller, jun., according to a discussion of the Standard Oil Company, is moving to resign the leadership of the class by withdrawing from all official connection with the Standard Oil Company.

This determination, it was said, is due only in part, if at all, to ill-health, but is due largely to the great public outcry against "tainted money" recently raised by Congressional members in New England. A member of the Bible class at the close of the meeting said that he understood young Rockefeller had held several heated interviews with his father on the general subject of Standard Oil methods.

Rockefeller, jun., according to reports, had made it clear to Rockefeller, sen., that the former did not approve of all the Standard Oil's modes of doing business, but regarded them as efforts at least an excuse for the cry which has been raised against "tainted money."

As for young Mr. Rockefeller's health, it was said his real ailment had turned out to be nervous dyspepsia of a type similar to that which afflicted his father for years. The trouble is attributed to the care and worry growing out of the great responsibility that has devolved upon the young man since his father transferred to him the actual control of the Standard Oil and the various banking and railroad corporations affiliated with the monopoly.

Rumor of a rift between them on the subject of Standard Oil methods and "tainted money" with a determination on the part of the son to clear himself of the taint, did not arouse much surprise among members of the Bible class, who discussed the subject.

Young Rockefeller has devoted himself with every show of enthusiasm to his Bible class and has, within the last few days, gone publicly on record as saying some sharp things about modern business methods. He has said that a corporation that did not do good as well as itself would be ultimately fail.

According to a member of the class, young Rockefeller while in Cannes, France, was under the care of a specialist, who told him that unless he showed great improvement this summer he would have to return to Europe this fall, and continue the cure during the winter.

WHERE IS ROJESTVENSKY?

Hasn't Been Heard From for Ten Days, Says Russia.

St. Petersburg, May 23, 1:38 p.m.—The Associated Press was informed at the admiralty this morning that no direct advice has been received from Vice-Admiral Rojestsvensky for ten days, when it is believed, he set out on his long voyage. The report of Rojestsvensky's death was ridiculed at the admiralty.

The sending of Vice-Admiral Birelet to Vladivostok is considered a natural precautionary measure for the purpose of having an energetic commander at Vladivostok to replace



Bu-Ju

THE KIDNEY PILLS

CURES RHEUMATISM

Escaped an Operation.

Doctored 15 Years—Joints Stiff, Feet Always Cold—An Aurora Lady's Good Fortune.

The following letter from an elderly lady of Aurora, Ont., we commend to the careful attention of sufferers from uric acid poisoning, caused by weak or disordered kidneys. It will be noticed that a very few doses of Bu-Ju, the Kidney Pills, effected what 15 years of doctoring could not accomplish.

Clafin Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.:

Gentlemen—I am glad I learned of your Bu-Ju Pills. Have used one box and a sample package of Bu-Ju and am now feeling like a new creature.

I have been, have doctor for over fifteen years and they told me I had to undergo an operation, but I could not do it. My joints were all stiff and my toes and now they are all right. My feet were always cold, but I am altogether better now, and feel like a new creature.

I have recommended them to my granddaughter and the pills are helping her. Am pleased I ever heard of Bu-Ju Pills and will try them with pleasure.

FANNY BRILLINGER, Aurora, Ont.

The discomfort of continued cold feet, so prevalent among elderly ladies, is the worst of ailments, and is often strengthened. This is what Bu-Ju, the Kidney Pills, was made especially to do. Nothing on the market today offers such a kidney remedy as Bu-Ju, the Kidney Pills, and the above letter is only one of many testimonials to its potent, but gentle effects. Every person who has ever tried this remarkable specific strongly recommends it to relatives, neighbors and friends, as Mrs. Brillinger has done, and the result is the same as in the case of her granddaughter. This sovereign remedy for all kidney disorders may be had of druggists generally.

25-27 St. J.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. Wm. Skelly left yesterday for a three-months' trip to Scotland.

—Lieut.-Col. Little left for Winnipeg on a business trip yesterday. He will be gone for a week.

—Mr. Ed. Nicholls, editor of the Toronto World, was in the city yesterday sizing up the political situation.

—F. D. Emsley has taken out a building permit for a two-story brick residence and a frame stable on High Street.

—Inspector McCallum yesterday had a number of summonses issued for persons who are selling milk in this city without a license.

—The engineer's department is laying a cement curb and gutter on King Street, both sides, between Wellington and Matland streets.

BOWLING MATCH.

The annual bowling match—president vs. vice-president—of the Thistle Club will be held on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. Dr. Wood will captain the unnamed side, and Mr. L. J. Walker the second.

THREE WEEKS IN JAIL.

Charles Walsh was yesterday sent down for 21 days in default of payment of a \$10 fine imposed upon him by the magistrate for being drunk. Three others were allowed to go, and a disorderly was also freed.

RUSH STARTS FOR FESTIVAL.

The committee in charge of the concert to be given by the Thomas Orchestra have decided to place 500 rush seats on sale at 50 cents. This will afford an exceptional opportunity to hear high-class music at popular prices. The sale of seats for the big concert has been very satisfactory and the financial success of the undertaking is already assured.

MRS. MCKELLAR'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jeannette McKellar took place on Sunday from her residence, 1010 St. Lawrence Street, to the Disciples of Christ Church, Interment took place at Poplar Hill Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Howell conducted services, and the following acted as pall-bearers: Alex. Archie, Dan, Duncan, Malcolm McKellar and John Ferguson.

ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT.

County Detectives Northgreaves and Corsaut on Monday arrested a man called Abraham Summers, of London Township, on a charge of common assault, preferred by his brother's wife, Mrs. Thomas Summers. The complainant alleges that Summers entered her house when her husband was absent and knocked her down. The prisoner was lately discharged from the Asylum. He was brought before Squire S. P. Gorrell, and remanded until Monday.

A SMALL BLAZE.

At 2:50 p.m. yesterday the firemen had a run to the residence of Mrs. Thompson, 288 E. Main St. There a pair of curtains, from some unknown cause, had caught fire. A painter was working in the house at the time, and he, with the assistance of the firemen, succeeded in extinguishing the blaze before the department arrived. The damage is very slight.

NURSES' GRADUATING EXERCISES.

The hospital trust met in the mayor's office yesterday and completed arrangements for the nurses' graduating exercises, which will be held in the Auditorium on May 21 at 2 p.m. His Worship Mayor Campbell will preside, and an address will be delivered by his Lordship the Bishop of Huron. The diplomas will be presented to the nurses by Chairman Screech, of the trust.

DUFFIN GETS THE JOB.

The following dispatch from Toronto verifies the report that the axe is to fall on Inspector Bailey, to make room for Mr. Thomas Duffin, ex-warden of the county, and at all times an active partisan. Mr. John McCann has been appointed license inspector for Brantford, and Mr. L. B. Markle, of Oakland, Inspector of the Southern Ontario branch of the Ontario Police.

NEW DIRECTOR FOR BAND.

Mr. William Wilson has been placed in charge of the local Salvation Army Band. Mr. Wilson is one of the dozen or more who recently came to Canada from the old country, and are members of the Salvation Army and made their home in this city. He has been for a number of years connected with bands in the old country, and he has also been a leader in song services. It is expected that he will at an early date have the local band in splendid shape. Special services are to be held today—open air at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m., and at the cathedral at 3 and 8 p.m. The band will take a very prominent part in these.

MUCH ORE FOR THE SOO

Thousands Sent to the Big Canadian Smelters.

Detroit, Mich., May 23.—An Ashland, Wis. dispatch says: "During the present season, at least 100,000 tons of iron ore will be shipped from Ashland to the Algoma Steel Company at the Canadian Soo. Considerable ore also will go to the Canadian Furnace Company at Midland. This port has never before shipped over one-third this amount to Canadian ports, the business starting in 1902 with half a dozen cargoes. The quality of ore being sent to the Canadian furnaces is of the very best Bessemer grade, valued at \$4 per ton. The Canadian ships Logruis, Monksheaven, Laford, Strathcona, Palke and Barium are now engaged in the trade."

The work of the building and grounds at the Lewis and Clark Exposition is more than 95 per cent completed. June 1 is opening day.



ON SALE THURSDAY Day After Holiday.

The glorious 24th today—store closed. Tomorrow we resume catering to your requirements. It will pay you to remember the following bargain events for Thursday.

Special Broken Lines of Laces.

These are broken lines that we wish to clear at once. They include some of our best laces, and the low prices warrant us expecting a quick sale on Thursday.

Silk Chiffons, 44 inches wide, in coral, heliotrope, light and dark cerise, wedgewood blue and burnt onion shades. Regular 65c yard, clearing Thursday at only 29c.

Beautiful Black Fiber Laces and Insertions, all widths; worth from 40c to \$1.65, clearing Thursday at from, per yard, 25c to 95c.

Ivory and Champagne Fiber Insertion and Laces, beautiful patterns, wide and narrow widths; former regular prices were 40c to \$1.65 yard, clearing Thursday at only, per yard, 25c to 95c.

Handsome colored and two-toned effects in Fiber Insertions, all up-to-date shades, in straight edge and galloon styles; regular prices 50c to \$1.35 yard. Thursday at only, per yard 35c to 95c.

All-over Fiber Lace, 18 inches wide, in ivory, champagne and black; regular price was \$4.50 yard, clearing Thursday at \$3.25.

Shot Lustres for Shirtwaist Suits, 50c.

Shot Lustres for Summer Suits, in navy, brown, green and black with white; very serviceable for Shirtwaist Suits, pleats lovely, and will give good satisfaction. Per yard, Thursday only 50c.

Two Lots of Shirtwaist Silks for Thursday.

We have a big range of Special Silks for Shirtwaist Suits, and for Thursday we offer the following to those who want to secure material for a Shirtwaist Suit at a low price.

LOT I.—In this lot you have 13 pieces of exceptionally good Silks to choose from. The price is very low. Only 59c.

LOT II.—Here you have five pieces of the newest styles in pin shot stripes. At the price this is extra special. 65c.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

149, 151 and 153 Dundas Street. London.

Rojestsvensky in the event that the latter is killed or disabled during the coming sea fight, no doubt being entertained that the fleets come together Admiral Togo's vessels will concentrate their fire on the Russian flag-ship.

The Russian cavalry which detoured Fakumen, from the right bank of the Liao River, was frequently defeated by our rear guards. On May 20, after their failure in the vicinity of Tafang-shen, they camped with the main strength at Shiao-shan. From Fakumen, and on May 21 they retreated to the right bank of the Malien River.

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SISE THINKS 'PHONE CONTRACTS WITH RAILWAYS ARE ILLEGAL

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, May 23.—At the meeting of the telephone committee today, Manager Sise, of the Bell Company, was further examined by W. P. Maclean, who took up again the exclusive contract with the railways, and asked Mr. Sise's opinion in regard to these contracts.

Mr. Sise said that he considered that it does not matter what Mr. Sise thinks of it.

Mr. Maclean—Do you still make those contracts?

Mr. Sise—I don't think that is a proper question, when I say that they are illegal. In reference to the North

American Telegraph Company, Mr. Sise said that the Bell Company owned the stock.

Mr. Aylesworth said that a letter had been read from Mr. J. J. Kelso, stating that if Edmonton had not bought the system in that town the Bell Company would have got hold of it.

Mr. Sise explained that he did not desire to buy out the Edmonton system, because it would have been impossible to standardize it at a cost of not less than \$20 a phone. He read a letter written in September last to the local manager at Edmonton, stating that if the municipality would buy out the local company the Bell Company would not bid against them, and would also give connection to Calgary and other distant points.

Mayor Urquhart, of Toronto, was examined in regard to the telephone situation in that city.

EXPLOSION IN TORONTO HOSPITAL

Mysterious Bursting of Boiler by Which One Man Is Badly Scalded.

Toronto, May 23.—A portion of St. Michael's Hospital was damaged this morning by an explosion of a boiler in the rear basement. The explosion occurred about 10 o'clock, and John Mahony, a fireman, who was in the boiler-room was badly scalded by the force of the explosion. A hole was knocked through the brick wall, some of the pieces landing in a dining-room beyond. A hole was knocked through the floor directly above the boiler, and the beams of the floor were broken. A piece of metal went through a door into the hall. The damage will amount to about \$1,000. It is not known how the explosion was caused.

Deserted Wounded Companion.

Walkerville, Ont., May 23.—While attempting to board an eastbound G. T. R. freight, Herbert McDowall, of Brantford, had his left foot badly mangled. McDowall was accompanied by two companions, who boarded the train safely and left the injured man on the tracks. He was removed to Hotel Dieu, where Dr. Ashbaugh amputated the foot.

The largest pontoon bridge in the world is at Buddha, and is a permanent structure.

WHITE GIRL IN REDSKINS' CAMP

Seven-Year-Old Child Reported Being Brought Up as an Indian.

Toronto, May 23.—Partis' near Orillia have written to J. J. Kelso, superintendent of neglected children, stating that Indians near there have a white girl about 7 years of age whom they are bringing up as one of themselves. The department of Indian affairs at Ottawa has been asked to look into the matter.

The cellar in the Bank of France resembles a large warehouse. Silver coin is stored there in 500 barrels.

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 LONDON, WEDNESDAY, MAY 24.

The Man for London.

When Mr. Hyman's new honors are cited as an argument in his favor, we are told that it is an insidious attempt to corrupt the electorate. Is there anything sordid in the contention that Mr. Hyman has established a claim on public favor by his extraordinary success as a public man? As citizens of London we are and ought to be proud of a fellow citizen who has borne himself worthily and achieved distinction in any sphere of activity. Mr. Hyman is a local product. He was born, reared and educated in London, and from early manhood has labored for the upbuilding of the city, and given his time and energies to the service of the community. He was the youngest mayor the city has ever had, and his regime has been one of our finest civic traditions. At 32 years of age he was president of the board of trade. His entrance into politics was inevitable, and his gallant fight for 20 years is one of the most inspiring pages in the history of the Liberal party. It says much for Mr. Hyman's magnanimity that he did not forfeit the personal good will of his Conservative fellow-citizens in the periods when party feeling ran highest.

The qualities that brought Mr. Hyman to the front so early in life in his own community won him instant recognition in the wider field at Ottawa. He has been rapidly advanced from one position of responsibility to another—chairman of the railway committee of the House of Commons, a member of the cabinet without portfolio, an acting minister, and finally the head of a great department. He has mounted to the top of the ladder in five years of parliamentary experience. This is an almost unexampled record, and is surely of some value in the estimation of the electors of London.

A Winnipeg contemporary takes The Advertiser to task for pointing out that London, by rejecting Mr. Hyman, would be "reduced to impotence in the federal councils." It says this is equivalent to holding out a bribe. The Advertiser was not suggesting anything of the sort. London will receive justice in the matter of public expenditure under any circumstances, but even the friends of the Conservative candidate will not seriously maintain that he will greatly recruit the Opposition, or make a profound impression upon Parliament. London would not be conspicuous in the House of Commons whether Mr. Gray sat on the right or the left of the Speaker, merely because Mr. Gray's undoubted abilities lie in another direction. It is some consequence to London how and by whom she shall be represented in Parliament. There is not a constituency in the country that would not feel honored if its member were intrusted with the portfolio which Mr. Hyman has accepted. Mr. Hyman, by sheer ability, has made himself a power at Ottawa, and his power and influence are at the service of his own city.

Victoria Day.

This is Victoria Day, a statutory and public holiday, perpetuated in honor of the late Queen. No British subject needs to be told that. There are few British subjects living who can remember a time when they did not celebrate the 24th of May. It is apparently as much a fixture as Christmas or New Year's. If it were passed over the children of "the five nations" would rise in rebellion.

The Twenty-fourth of May is the Queen's Birthday.

If they don't give us a holiday we'll all run away.

There is a man, woman or child of British blood who hasn't chanted that refrain? The children sing it today and their grandfathers and grandmothers sang it. It touches the spot and will last longer than much better poetry. It has a stronger grip on the juvenile mind than all the nursery rhymes ever written.

The good Queen is dead, but her memory lives, and the Twenty-fourth of May will be consecrated; perhaps for all time, to her virtues as a mother, wife, and queen, and the glory of her reign. It is an appropriate holiday in other respects. In this country it usually comes with the first breath of summer and is the first out-door holiday of the season. For this and for sentimental reasons, it is not likely to give way to the birthday anniversary of a future sovereign, on whatever day it may fall.

The Arctic as a Health Resort.

So long has the archipelago north of the Canadian mainland been considered as useless that Canada's titular sovereignty over it has only lately been asserted. If the claim advanced by Dr. Frederick Sohon, of Washington, to the effect that a sojourn in the Arctic regions during the three summer months of continuous sunlight is of radical benefit to persons affected with tuberculosis, be substantiated, the far north will be something better than a half-way house for polar expeditions.

Dr. Sohon, who was tubercular himself, accompanied Lieut. Peary to the north in 1897. So greatly benefited was Dr. Sohon by the trip that he returned to Greenland in 1902, and carefully studied the climate of the Arctic regions in its relation to tubercular germs. He says:

"The climate conditions in Greenland above the Arctic circle are ideal. Even at our best consumption resorts in this country the patient has good days and bad nights. He can not go out in the damp air, and ordinarily he loses at night what he has gained during the day. The sec-

ret of the outdoor treatment for this disease is abundant sunlight and dry, cold, bracing atmosphere. I have made numerous bacteriological cultures in Greenland and have never found a disease germ. Such germs cannot exist in that climate, as their propagation depends upon a temperature almost as high as that of the human body."

Dr. Sohon's utterances have attracted widespread attention and enlisted large financial aid. The expedition of the steamer Havana, which will start for the fjords of Greenland in June with about thirty tubercular patients on board and cruise in the far north for three months under the direction of Dr. Sohon, will be watched with intense interest by the medical world and people suffering from consumption. Greenland is a colony of Denmark, but Canada has a heap of territory north of the Arctic circle which she would be glad to put to some use. It may yet become useful as a health resort.

A Public Disgrace.

Nothing has been so morally nauseating in a long time as the Nan Patterson episode. According to the Judge who presided at the first trial of this debauched woman, she and some of her family connections wheeled her paramour, Caesar Young, a race track gambler, out of \$50,000, and he met his death in a final attempt on Nan's part to extort more money. She had been a married woman; Young was married all the while. As a reward for her shame the woman is offered \$2,000 a week to go on the stage, her only claim to the title of actress being that she posed over the footlights for a few weeks as a chorus girl. A correspondent signing himself "An Indignant Actress," sends this protest to the New York Sun:

"People will crowd to see her on the stage, simply because her colossal vulgarity and flaunting shamelessness made her the cynosure of many eyes at a trial for murder, of which she was not acquitted, while good, honest women of the theatrical profession who have worked at the art earnestly and well are hammering away at \$30 to \$100 per week, or are unable to find positions at all."

"The manager is not to blame; he but serves the tastes of the public. And Nan, of course, will sell her notoriety to the highest bidder, as she did her honor before the law overshadowed her. But to think that fathers, brothers, lovers and husbands who have mothers, wives, sweethearts, sisters and daughters—and even these, their women—will vie with one another in their rush for seats to see this woman showing herself at \$2,000 per week!

"What a bid it is for vice; what a bait for crime! What premium on villainy! Why may not say, as Nan must think: 'It pays to live a shameless life and to be tried for murder!'"

What is to be said of a public which makes a heroine of Nan Patterson? Ten thousand people gathered at the railway depot and cheered her on her return to Washington, after her release from prison. "There is something rotten in the state of Denmark."

Philanthropists.

(Toronto Star.)

Sir Frederick Treves says that alcohol is a real poison. This is doubtless the reason why philanthropic saloon-keepers allow so little of it to get into the whisky.

Some Tongue Twisters.

(Exchange.)

The sun shines on the shop signs. She says she shall sew a sheet. She sells sea shells.

The sixth sick sheik's sixth sheep's sick. The sea, ceaseless and it sufficeth us. A noisy noise annoys an oyster.

Peers peer from the pier perusing penny papers.

Fighting fever's feverish fight fight feverish fever fever.

No Cold Baths for Women.

(Pittsburg Dispatch.)

Lillian Russell's declaration in Cincinnati that she often takes five baths a day in tepid or hot water brings out the information from an old-time housekeeper in one of the big uptown hotels that women never take cold baths. Men take the water right out of the cold spigot and like the idea of the shock and reaction, but women invariably prefer the hot or the tepid bath. In the morning most of the complaints of a lack of hot water come from women. The men complain only when they want to shave themselves.

Never Wins.

(Washington Star.)

"Does your husband ever win at the races?" answered young Mrs. Torkins; "sometimes the bookmakers let him hold a few dollars of their money for a little while; but he never actually wins."

The Right to Work in Peace.

(Boston Post.)

It is an old cry that the world owes every man a living. This is a favorite argument with the lazy and shiftless. But the world owes none such a living. If a man will not work he shall not eat is a mandate as old as the race itself. But there is another fundamental tenet in which the maxim that the world owes every man a living is profoundly true. It owes every man a fair chance to earn a decent living. And that is all that any self-respecting man asks or wants.

Danger in Riches.

(Cincinnati Inquirer.)

One of the Rockefellers is said to be impaired in health. It isn't always a good thing to be so very rich. It is a constant menace to the stomach, and a temptation to ride in carriages and automobiles and not get enough exercise.

But It Is Not.

(Chicago Journal.)

"All a woman asks is to be loved," says a gushing poet. Then all this stunts about her wanting new bonnets and jewelry must be a vile slander.

No Limit.

(Philadelphia Press.)

"Land sake, Zeke!" finally exclaimed "Mandy," who had just accepted him, "ain't ye never givin' tew stop a-kissin' me?"

"Laws, Mandy! I don't know when tew; 's jest like eatin' peanuts."

Fatal Objection.

(Washington Star.)

"Don't you think it would be a good idea to endow a college?"

"No," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "If

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TRUST CO. GOES TO SMASH; OWES ABOUT TWO MILLIONS

The Merchants Company of New York Closes Its Doors By Order of State Authorities.

New York, May 23. — The doors of the Merchants Trust Company of this city were closed today.

The Merchants Trust Company had a capital stock of \$500,000, and owed depositors about \$2,000,000. An examination of the company's affairs was made by the state banking department on Dec. 23 last. The report of the state banking department showed that the company's book surplus of \$1,195,737 had been reduced by the examiners to \$1,074,548. While the examiners had increased the value of some of the securities held by the company, they threw out some others as valueless and reduced the valuation of others. The company is trustee of a \$4,000,000 consolidated mortgage on the property of the Hudson Valley Railway Company, which is a consolidation of trolley lines around Albany, Troy, Saratoga and Lake George. The bank examiners accepted the company's valuation of the securities of the Hudson Valley Railway Company held by it. The company was organized in 1899. In May, 1905, the stock reached a high point, 250 being bid for it. Edwin Hawley was president of the company at one time.

It was said today that the closing of the institution was due to inability to secure payment of certain large loans on which the collateral consisted of securities of the Hudson Valley Railway Company. The company was a participant in the Hudson Valley Railway Company syndicate to the extent of \$533,500.

Reports that the company would be obliged to discontinue business were circulated in Wall street yesterday and today.

I did, the chances are that the professor of the students economy would teach them to object to the way I eat rich."

The Men Worth While.

(Chicago Record-Herald.)

It is easy enough to be cheerful. When pleasures come, and the Irish man worth while is the man who can smile. When his "woolens" begin to stick.

Glorious—With Precautions.

(Chicago Tribune.)

"This is glorious!" exclaimed the fair maid as the automobile struck a smooth stretch of country road and the young man let the machine go at full speed. "But who are those two men who are following us in a runaway about all morning?"

"Never mind them," he replied. "One is the repair man, and the other's the surgeon."

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The price for the round trip, including railroad fare, Pullman tourist sleeping cars, all meals in the dining car, hotels, side trips, etc., is \$165.50, from Quebec, or \$165.50 from Montreal, and \$165.50 from Toronto. The trip is designed as a vacation trip for teachers, although many who are not teachers will improve the opportunity of taking the trip at the remarkably low price afforded.

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MORE TURMOIL IN BRITISH HOUSE

Balfour Promises Members a Day for the Fiscal Discussion.

London, May 23.—At the opening of the House of Commons today there were prospects of a repetition of the scenes witnessed last night, but Premier Balfour calmed the members by promising a day for the discussion of the vote of censure of the members for their statement on the subject of the colonial conference, undertaking that the debate will proceed with "moderation and fair play."

The Premier, entering the House was greeted with ministerial cheers and Opposition cries of derision. When order was restored, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman asked, "Whether in view of the confusion created by the declarations of his majesty's ministers in regard to the fiscal policy and the proposed colonial conference, the Premier will give a day for the discussion of a vote of censure."

Sir William Hart Dyke (Conservative) interjected the suggestion that the Liberal leader express regret at the "obstruction and insulting language of yesterday."

The House was immediately in an uproar, the ministerials cheering, the Opposition deriding, and the Irish members shouting, "Police! Police!"

Sir William ultimately withdrew his offensive remark, and Mr. Balfour, taking advantage of the lull, made an offer of a day for the discussion of the proposed vote of censure, and the matter was dropped.

GONE TO THE BOTTOM

French Vessel With 127 Fishermen Aboard Given Up for Lost.

St. Servan, France, May 23. — All hope has been practically given up here for the safety of the French fishing vessel Cousins Reunis, which left this port 80 days ago for St. Pierre Miquelon, off the coast of Newfoundland. She had on board 125 fishermen, and great grief prevails here among the missing men's families.

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Empire Day Is Fittingly Celebrated in the Schools

Flags Hoisted and Patriotic Programmes Given—Presentation at Collegiate.

Yesterday was Empire Day, and it was celebrated in royal fashion by the schools of the city. The majority of the school premises were tastefully decorated with flags, bunting, and other emblems of patriotism. The children entered heartily into the work of celebrating the greatness of the wide empire to which they belong, and much credit is due the teachers for the way in which they superintended the preparation and carrying out of the day's festivities.

Much of the celebration took place out of doors, and the weather was ideal for the occasion, bright sunshine prevailing all day. Fancy drills, hoisting of flags, and speeches by well-known citizens were in order. Never have the boys and girls celebrated Empire Day so enthusiastically and so extensively in this city, and there can be no doubt that the celebration is productive of much wholesome patriotism.

At the Collegiate.

The Collegiate Institute grounds were beautifully adorned. The many shade trees to the west of the big building, which have just lately put forth their leaves, were adorned with a forest of flags. The pupils worked hard all morning to get things in shape. About 1:30 o'clock, the boys and girls assembled on the lawn and listened to a short but pithy address by Mayor Campbell. The speaker had a word of praise for the hearty manner in which the students entered into the celebration, and reminded them of the duty they owed to the great British Empire. A large class of girls gave an interesting exhibition of dumb-bell drill, under the supervision of Miss Gregory. Anthem, "Rule Britannia," and other patriotic songs by the pupils.

The pupils marched around to the front yard in a body, and on the front steps two interesting and appropriate presentations took place. Hugh Peters received the fine rifle given by the daughters of the Empire for the best shot in the L. C. I. Cadets, and Sergt. Bowes received the \$5 offered by Mrs.

(Col.) Peters for making the second best score.

A Joint Celebration.

The exercises of Wortley road and Askia street schools were held in conjunction on the spacious grounds of the latter institution. In all there were between six and seven hundred children in attendance. On each side and in front of the platform, which had been erected, the children from the different grades lined up and witnessed the ceremony of hoisting the flag, which was presided over by Dr. Teasdale. Askia street was the first school to have a flagpole erected, and to secure one of the flags presented by Col. J. L. Little. It was expected that Col. Little would have conducted the ceremonies, but he was called away from the city to Winnipeg. Fancy drills were given around the flagpole of the eighth grade, which is about sixty strong.

A feature of the afternoon was the presentation of a gold medal to Miss Vera Hodgins, of Victor street, who took the highest standing at the last entrance examinations. Chairman Yeates made the presentation, and complimented the bright young pupil in glowing terms.

At Colborne Street School.

Colborne street school was not behind the others in the city in the way of its Empire Day celebration. In the morning the various rooms had a programme of songs, recitations and dialogues, the majority of the former being of a patriotic nature, and in the afternoon a combined entertainment was held in the open air. The teachers and pupils had gone to considerable pains to make not only the rooms attractive with flags and bunting, but to have decorated the grounds, a profusion of Union Jacks being everywhere displayed. The programme in the afternoon included addresses by Police Magistrate Love, and Trustees Yeates, Evans and Fitzgerald, and a number of patriotic songs by the children. Prizes won in the daughters of the Empire essay competition were also presented.

At Talbot Street School.

A very interesting and entertaining programme was carried out at Talbot street school. The first part of the morning was taken up with the raising of the flag, all the children of the school participating in the ceremony. All joined in singing "The Maple Leaf," "Rule Britannia," and "God Save the King." Afterward the scholars again assembled in the front yard, and the front steps two interesting and appropriate presentations took place. Hugh Peters received the fine rifle given by the daughters of the Empire for the best shot in the L. C. I. Cadets, and Sergt. Bowes received the \$5 offered by Mrs.

was carried out. Principal Liddell presided, and the following took part: Eaves, Marjorie; Plaster, Lillie; Gray, Sibbelle; Grant, Empire Day oration; George Little; solos, Clara Higgins, botham, Gordon; Calhoun, Kathleen; Brodick, May; Graham, instrumentals; Vera, Ellwood; Kathleen, Brodick; class choruses, with all the scholars. The rooms were gaily decorated with flags, and presented a very creditable appearance.

At the Park School.

Empire Day was celebrated in an interesting manner at the Park school, when the following programme was given: British Empire, Catharine Smart; Canada, Nora Moore; arms of Canada, Gladys Peters; people of Canada, Nancy Niven; "My Canada," recitation, Arlene Hugheson; Canada in 1535, Marjorie Reid; Canada in 1603, Dorothy Gunn; Canada in 1759, Elsie Chapman; Canada in 1812, Helen Stone; Canada in 1837, Annie Ward; Canada in 1867, Kitty Hague; Canada in 1902, Winifred. "Here's to the Land," recitation, Dorothy Allen, Mary Nicholson, Oliver Williams, Margaret Belton, Nancy Niven; men to make a state, Marjorie Carr; three British premiers, Marjorie Pennington; Olive, Arlene Hugheson; Cecil Rhodes, Nancy Maitland; Chamberlain, Margaret Williams; Curzon, Jean Allen; Gladstone, Elaine Leonard; our flag, Dorothy Allen.

At Princess Avenue.

The front of the Princess avenue school was tastefully decorated with flags of all colors, and the children grouped themselves around the front steps. Several interesting essays were read, among them being the four essays, written by Gordon Emery, Eva Baskette, Laura Butler and W. Hilliard. Many patriotic songs were given by the children to the accompaniment of a cornet. Then, while two of the classes of little ones formed a ring around the tall flag pole, the Union Jack was slowly hoisted, while the children sang in chorus, "It's Only a Bit of Bunting." Maude Runyans and Eleanor Holland hoisted the flag. Canon Dunn was present and briefly addressed the gathering.

MORE ESSAY WINNERS

Rudyard Kipling Chapter Awards Prizes to School Children.

The Rudyard Kipling Chapter of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, has just announced the winners in another essay competition. The subject dealt with was the trip of the Canadian soldiers to South Africa and incidents of the Boer war, and the prizes given were copies of "Robert's History of Canada."

The chapter was not in a position to offer prizes for competition in each of the schools, but it decided to give them in every sixth, seventh and eighth grade, the teacher of which was connected with the chapter. This in itself meant the distribution of many prizes, for the names of several of the pedagogues appear on the membership roll of Rudyard Kipling. In awarding the prizes the committee took principally into account the sentiment expressed by the pupils, rather than the matter of spelling, punctuation and the like. The winners are: School—Grade VIII—Emma Evans and Martin Bleuthner; Talbot Street—Grade VI—Charlotte Gilbert and Gerald Pearson.

Clifford and Clifford—Grade VII—Clifford Tait and Helen Baker. Princess Avenue—Grade VI—Gordon Innie and Eva Baskette, Grade VII—W. Hilliard, Stacey and Laura Butler, Lorne Avenue—Grade VI—Muriel Young, Grade VI—Richard Singleton.

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PROCTOR TRAGEDY IS RECALLED

The Indiana Hall and Delarey, Charged With Perjury, Found Not Guilty.

John Hall and Joseph Delarey, the Indiana Hall defendants, who were acquitted yesterday in the recent trial of Robert Proctor for murder, were yesterday acquitted by Judge Macbeth. The evidence given in the case was so contradictory that the jury, after a long deliberation, found the defendants not guilty. The case was a sensational one, and the trial attracted much public attention. The defendants were charged with the murder of Robert Proctor, a well-known figure in the community. The trial was held in a court of law, and the proceedings were closely watched by the public.

The court said yesterday that the evidence of Turnkey Stickle for the prosecution was so contradictory that the jury, after a long deliberation, found the defendants not guilty. The case was a sensational one, and the trial attracted much public attention. The defendants were charged with the murder of Robert Proctor, a well-known figure in the community. The trial was held in a court of law, and the proceedings were closely watched by the public.

HYDRANTS ARE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN

London's Eastern Section Needs Better Fire Protection—Incendiary Blaze.

Fire Chief Clark yesterday made an inspection of the easterly portion of East London, and he stated afterward that in some places he found that if a fire were to break out it would require perhaps 1,600 feet of hose to reach the nearest hydrant, so as to fight it. This is a state of affairs which he intends to bring to the attention of the market fire and light committee at once, and in all probability the water commissioners will in the near future be asked to put in half a dozen or more new hydrants in that district. Another district which is giving the department trouble is that which lies south of the Hamilton road and east of Adelaide street, where it is said the hydrants are few and far between. The district is building up rapidly and, of course, it will not do to allow the people to be practically without fire protection. The fire chief says that the fire on Frances street yesterday, in which one house, belonging to a Mr. Melmer, was destroyed, and another house of Melmer's badly damaged, was of incendiary origin. The house which was destroyed was vacant, and it naturally follows that someone must have set it on fire.

A year ago some of the residents of Frances street petitioned for a water main on the street, and it was agreed that other residents opposed the main and it was not laid.

MANLEY—REED

Afternoon Wedding at the Residence of Mr. Parkinson.

A pretty wedding took place at 4 o'clock yesterday at the residence of Mr. J. Parkinson, 423 Pall Mall street, when Mrs. Parkinson's daughter, Miss Manley, became the bride of Mr. Reed. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. D. Hubbel, of Plant, Mich., and it was witnessed by only the immediate family. The bride was in the drawing-room under a beautiful arch of apple-blossoms, and the wedding breakfast was afterwards served on the lawn in a large marquee. Mr. and Mrs. Manley left on the evening train for a wedding trip to the east, after which they will reside on Oxford street.

A SERIOUS COMPLAINT

East End Citizen Says the Paving Material Is Not Right.

A resident of East London yesterday complained to one of the aldermen that the Forest of Faving Company, which has the contract for all cement walks south of Dundas street, is not putting in the proper proportion of materials in the walks which are being laid in the south part of East London. City Engineer Graydon at once took the matter up and has begun an investigation. He has written to the citizen who made the complaint, asking him to submit evidence which will substantiate his charges. If he does so the engineer promises to make it warm for the contractor. Mr. Graydon says that the city has an inspector with each gang, and he cannot see how the claims of the citizen can be entertained without reflecting on the city's own inspector.

Good for Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Ont., May 22. — Another important industry is about to locate here. The Raymond Gasoline Engine Company has decided to erect a factory in which they will employ about 200 men.



Mill Ends Table Linens

Special Clearing Sale Thursday Morning, 9 o'clock.

Of the 300 Ends offered for Thursday not one will be reserved. All must go away below their value. They are worth over three times the prices we have marked them at. The lengths range from 1/4 to 1 1/4 yards. Don't miss this grand opportunity to buy good linens at less than it cost to manufacture. Sale starts sharp at 9 o'clock Thursday. You can buy an end for.....10c, 15c, 20c and 25c

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25c Summer Dress Linens, 19c Yard. 20c Check Cotton Voiles, 15c Yard. 225 yards of Linen Suitings go on sale Thursday morning. A good assortment of Fancy and Plain, as well as overlaid Plaid Effects. This is a special opportunity to secure a Linen Suit for summer wear; 25c a yard. For this sale, yard.....19c

25c a Yard—Corset Embroidery, Thursday's Special Sale—25c Yard. 15 pieces extra quality Fine White Corset Embroidery, beautiful patterns with beading; splendid assortment of patterns to choose from; go on sale Thursday, worth 35c to 40c yard. At this sale.....25c

Special Sale—Black and Colored Dress Goods—Remnant Sale. 200 ends of Black and Colored Dress Goods, Ends from 1 1/2 to 5 3/4 yard lengths, on Dress Goods Counter Thursday, 1/4 to 1/2 off the regular prices. Early Spring and Early Summer Ends to be cleared at bargain prices.

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LIBERALS ARE ACTIVE—READY TO ROLL UP A BIG MAJORITY

Hard at Work in Mr. Hyman's Interests—Returning Officer Named.

Mr. U. A. Buchner, barrister, of this city, has been appointed returning officer for the coming bye-election in this city. Notice of his appointment was received in the city yesterday morning. The Liberal executive has issued a hearty invitation to all the Liberals in London to associate themselves with the committee, so that they may be afforded an opportunity of assisting to return the Hon. C. S. Hyman by a large majority on June 13. All Liberals are invited to call on the Liberal Club at once, where they will be warmly welcomed, and assigned to the committee where it is believed they can be of the greatest service to the party. The explanation was given out that any person whose name appears on the voters' list used in the Run-Back election, but who has taken up his residence outside of the city since that time, is not eligible to vote in the forthcoming election. This does not apply to persons who have left the city to work in other places, and who have allowed their families to remain in this city. All such persons will be regarded as having their place of residence in London, and consequently will have a right to vote here on June 13. The stand which has been taken by Mr. Hyman's opponents has stimulated

his supporters to put forth a great effort to roll up a large majority for him, and they are showing their interest in the election by frequent calls at the club, and by bringing in valuable information as to voters, all of which is received with the greatest thanks by those in authority. "Hyman Expects Every Man to Do His Duty," is the motto of the Liberals these days.

A Toronto Tribute.

Yesterday's Toronto Globe pays the following tribute to London's new cabinet minister: "The Hon. C. S. Hyman, who was sworn in as Minister of Public Works in the Laurier Cabinet yesterday, is a business man of excellent record and a departmental administrator of proved capacity. Long before he entered politics Mr. Hyman was conspicuous among the successful business men of Canada. Few men in Parliament or out of it have a keener insight into financial problems or a firmer grasp of the business situation. As chairman of the railway committee of the House of Commons he revealed marked qualities of leadership, proved his strong control and impartial conduct of public business, and facilitated the most adverse conditions of the prolonged illness of the late Hon. James Sutherland. Mr. Hyman not only became master of the important department for which he is now made responsible, but he proved himself an administrator of exceptional ability. His businesslike methods are matched by his personal qualities of frankness and conciliation. His re-election in London, now that he is before his constituents as minister of one of the most important departments of Government, will secure to the country the services of a man whose fitness for public office is conceded by all who know him, and whose services the country needs."

Confectioners Insolvent. Toronto, May 23. — A. J. Stewart & Co., confectioners, Toronto, have admitted insolvency, and a winding-up order has been applied for by Eby, Blain & Co., wholesale grocers, who are creditors for \$900. Other liabilities are \$1,300.

New Milling Enterprise. Winnipeg, Man., May 22. — Another big milling enterprise is contemplated. Parish & Landry, Kelly Milling Company of Brandon, and McGaw, of Godrich, Ont., have organized into a Royal Canadian Mills Company. They will expend \$250,000 on a plant in St. Boniface, if exemptions are granted and will erect a 4,000-barrel mill.

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RUNAWAY INDIAN BOYS

Two Lads Missing From the Mount Elgin Industrial School.

Two Indian boys have absconded from the Mount Elgin Industrial School at Muncy within the last few days, and the principal, Rev. T. T. George, has enlisted the aid of High Constable McLeod in locating them.

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A lady, who saved her husband at home, says: "I had for a long time been thinking of trying Sarsaparilla for my husband for his drinking habits. One day when he came home very much intoxicated, and his wife's salary spent, I sent for the Sarsaparilla. I put it in his coffee. He never suspected a thing, and before I had given him the full course, he stopped drinking altogether. I honestly believe this remedy will cure the worst cases. FREE SAMPLE and pamphlet, giving full particulars, testimonials and price, sent in plain sealed envelope. Correspondence answered confidential. Enclose stamp for reply. Address—THE SARRARIA REMEDY CO., 23 JONES STREET, TORONTO, Ont. Also for sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

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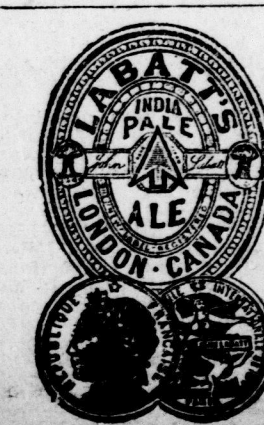
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