

CONDITIONS—Each poem, essay, or advertisement must be accompanied by 25 surprise Soap wrappers. Everyone sending in the 25 wrappers will receive a picture, and the best essay, poem, or advertisement will receive the money prizes in addition. Prizes will be awarded September 1st, 1908. Send in at any time. It will be kept on file. Address

LAXA-LIVER PILLS are purely vegetable. Never gripe, sicken nor weaken. Cure Constipation, Bilioussness, Sick Headache and Dyspepsia. Price 25c.

The daily use of Abbey's Effervescent Salt will keep you in constant good health. Health is your capital. If you have been neglecting it commence to take care of it now. A teaspoonful of Abbey's Effervescent Salt in a half tumbler of water makes a most delicious drink, which brings health and vigor to the system, while it cleanses it and purifies the blood.

Now is the time to have your lawn mower sharpened and repaired. Perry David, 569 Richmond street, is the man to do it. Drop him a card.

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50c. and \$1.00, all druggists.

Mammoth Mills at Hull. Branch
and agencies at Montreal, Toronto,
Quebec, Hamilton, Kingston, St. John
Halifax, London, Winnipeg, Victoria
Vancouver, St. John's, Nfld.

The child was the daughter of a farmer living a few hundred yards from the track. The little one had wandered away with the dog, and had fallen asleep between the tracks.

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ERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT—
merely with C. C. Haight, New York,
Rock, Richmond street.

With Will Power

and average intelligence any young person can obtain in a few months by our methods of instruction, a knowledge of arithmetic, business paper, correspondence, bookkeeping, etc. that will be of incalculable benefit in after years.

Write the Forest City Business and Short-hand College, London, Ont., if you are interested.

Mr. W. Henderson, of Niles town, has secured the position of assistant in the office of G. Lewis & Co., apico dealers, Chicago.

HAVE YOU GOT THE WILL?

EXTRA TROUSERS.

Nine out of every ten gentlemen buying a new pair of trousers, would desire an extra pair of trousers. We have made provision for this when putting in our stock this spring. A call solicited.

O. LABELLE,
Merchant Tailor, 372 Richmond Street.

Watches That Are Guaranteed.

To keep correct time are the kind we offer you. Special grades for railroad men. We have a watch expert in our repairing department. If your watch is not running right better leave it with us. Charges are moderate.

H. Davis & Son,
Jewelers,
170 Dundas Street.

DR. S. J. CAMPBELL,
DENTIST, 439 PARK AVENUE,
Between Dundas and Queen's Ave. Phone 962.

MONEY TO LOAN—\$100,000
At 5 per cent.
James E. Kerrigan, Barrister,
492 Richmond Street. Telephone 1,283

R. K. COWAN,
BARRISTER, ETC.,
County Buildings, Court House Square

If You Want

Time for building purposes or Coal and Wood at the right prices, try the C. F. R. Coal and Wood Yard.

Fresh Lime Always On Hand.

Office and yard, corner Piccadilly and Richmond streets. Branch office, 657 Richmond Street. Telephone 363.

Geo. McNeil.

FITZGERALD
and FITZGERALD,
Larriers, 171 Dundas Street,
Fitzgerald Block.

Turn Me Loose.

I AM GOING TO
J. A. JOHNSTON
To buy the latest Bath Tub, and for less money than you can find anywhere. He furnishes the best workmanship in this city. None but experienced union labor employed. Jobbing given personal attention. Phone 1,234, 230 Dundas St.

FAIRBAIN
MERCHANDISE
TAILOR,
Opp. City Hall, Upstairs

Walking Canes....

All the new fads and mountings in CONGO OAK with natural handles. Largest variety in the city. Low prices.

J. Goldner, Tobacconist.

203 1/2 DUNDAS STREET.
SAM STEWART'S OLD STAND.
SPECIAL NOTICES.

Feather and down cushions, 50 cents each. Large stock of goose feather pillows and mattresses. Fancy rockers, bedroom suites, Stoves bought and sold at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory. Janek & F. Hunt & Sons, 593 Richmond Street North. Telephone 897.

We have just opened out a fine line of furniture coverings, imported direct from England. All the latest shades and designs. You should see them. At Trafford's, 95 to 97 King Street.

Did you see the Fly? Yes. 34 ft

Wm. Long takes scratches out of your piano or furniture, repairs and refinishes them. Send me something for trial. Oak picture frames and new work made. 290 1/2 Dundas Street. Phone 1,226.

The Lambeth Methodist Sunday school people have decided to hold their annual picnic at Springbank on Wednesday, June 8, and have invited other schools to join them.

The New Treatment.
Hundreds of people who have gone the rounds of physicians and patent medicines have found a cure in Merrill's System Tonic. This new medicine cures disease by toning all the principal organs in the body, thus enabling nature to throw off the disease. It is the greatest blood purifier known. Price 50 cents per bottle at W. T. Strong's pharmacy. Explanatory pamphlet free.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—a pulmonary acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swollen neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claim to public confidence.

New Hats Exchanged For Old Ones. . .

—Of course we do not allow anything for the old ones, but our Fedoras at \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25 and \$3 are very correct. Straw and Crash goods are also right.

SPITTAL, SABINE & CO.

146 Dundas Street.

Fish Rods

A nice rod and outfit are necessary to the proper enjoyment and sport of fishing. We can sell you a good

Split Bamboo Rod,

with full nickel-plated mountings, solid metal reel seat and plugs, silk wound, three pieces with extra tip,

for \$1.10

WM. GURD & CO.,
186 Dundas Street.

FINE TAILORING SOUTHGOTT'S

361 RICHMOND ST.

FINE AND WARM.

Toronto, June 6—11 p.m.—The pressure continues high and very uniform throughout the greater portion of the continent. The weather has been showery in the Lake Superior district, local rains have fallen in Manitoba, and a few light scattered showers have occurred in Ontario and Quebec. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 22-30; Kamloops, 54-84; Calgary, 40-78; Qu'Appelle, 44-66; Winnipeg, 50-66; Port Arthur, 46-54; Parry Sound, 58-78; Toronto, 60-72; Ottawa, 56-83; Montreal, 64-85; Quebec, 50-66; Halifax, 42-66.

Probabilities.—Toronto, June 7—1 a.m.—Lower lakes. Light to moderate winds; fine and warm.

Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here yesterday were 86 and 56 above.

Don't Eat Too Much Meat

this hot weather, it's not good for you. Better eat more of our **XXX GLUTEN BREAD**, highly recommended by the medical profession. Delivered all over the city. Phone 318.

JOHNSTON BROS.

London Advertiser.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS:
107.....Business Offices
134.....Editorial Room
175.....Job Departments

UNION LABEL

READERS OF THIS PAPER DESIRING TO BUY ANYTHING ADVERTISED IN ITS COLUMNS SHOULD INSIST UPON HAVING WHAT THEY ASK FOR, REFUSING ALL SUBSTITUTES OR IMITATIONS.

News About Town

—Mr. Melvin Hodgins, of Bay City, visiting his brother, Mr. Austin D. Hodgins, of this city.

—Lieut.-Col. Vidal, formerly of this city, is commanding officer of the camp in progress at Fredericton, N. B.

—Mr. A. A. Campbell, of this city, manager of the People's Loan and Building Society, is on a trip to Saint Ste. Marie at present.

—Conductor Salem Smith, who has been running out of St. Thomas, returned here yesterday to take charge of the way freight between London and Petrolia.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Callard will have much sympathy in the death of their bright 8-year-old daughter, Queenie, who died yesterday in the city hospital of scarlet fever. Her death was unexpected.

—Arrangements are under way here to have Godfrey's band in the city on June 21, to play at a military concert in Queen's Park, when the Seventh, Forty-eighth Highlanders and bands from the camp will take part.

—A young son of Thomas Hodgins, 811 Marchand street, met with a severe accident Monday morning. While playing in the yard he got one hand caught in a feed-cutter, which squeezed the flesh off his thumb and cut off a portion of the bone.

—Mme. Marie Harrison, who has been abroad two years studying with Mme. Marchesi and Fidele Koenig, of the Grand Opera, Paris, is in the city visiting her brother, Dr. Harrison, of 99 Ridout street. Mme. Harrison is singing in the early fall in concert here.

—Mr. Calvin Hodgins, brother of Mr. A. D. Hodgins, city, fell about 25 feet at a barn raising near Wyoming a few days ago. His brother spent the latter part of last week with him, and reports that he is progressing very favorably. His recovery is still doubtful, however.

New York Ginger Ale.

In hot weather there is no drink so refreshing and invigorating as Ginger Ale. We've sold this brand for years and we guarantee it the best made.

Try a Case of
One Dozen Large Bottles,
\$1.00.

T. A. ROWAT & CO.,
234 Dundas St. Phone 317.

DELICIOUS Our EUREKA
DELIGHTFUL Bread is particularly well-
NUTRITIOUS made loaf. It is baked with care, and the ingredients that make the bread a success are used. The pleasure of a trial is solicited. You will remain a customer. Phone 929.

Parnell's Bakery,
75 Bruce Street.

the cartridge exploded and the bullet was embedded in his hand.
Dr. Piper was called and attended the young man. The X-rays were used to facilitate extraction, but the bullet was so embedded in the bones of the hand as to render this impossible.

A STARTLING CASE.

A Woman's Condition, Physical and Mental, Completely Changed

By the Use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets
—She Had Catarrh of the Stomach—
Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

"I can't imagine what's wrong with me. My food doesn't agree with me, and I feel sick and wretched after eating. I have a sensation of being bloated after each meal, a sour-water liquid rises up to my throat, and my mouth and gas belches up constantly. I find it difficult to breathe, my head aches fearfully, my appetite is changeable, my nerves are utterly unstrung, and I feel weak, played out, and entirely unfit to do anything but lie down and quarrel with myself and everyone about me."

Such is the way a Toronto lady described her condition a couple of weeks ago.

She looked miserable. She was pale, thin and feeble. Her face was covered with pimples. She was a living picture of ill-health.

A friend advised her to use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. She did so. Today she is another woman. Her complexion is pure and clear, she is plump and healthy-looking, strong, energetic, her head is clear, her eyes bright, she eats and sleeps well, and is as happy as the day is long.

She was suffering from Catarrh of the Stomach. Her food did not digest, out lay, a putrid mass in the stomach, fermenting and creating offensive gas, and poisonous matter.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets digested her food, giving her stomach a rest, and a chance to gain strength. They regulated the bowels which carried off the foul, poisonous matter that formally rose from stomach to mouth.

They cured her.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by all druggists at 50 cents a box, six boxes \$2.50, or sent, on receipt of price, by The Dodds Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

To Restrict the Use of Water.

Commissioners Limit Its Use for Lawn and Garden Purposes to Two Hours Per Day and Three Days in the Week.

The water commissioners yesterday decided, in order to check the unnecessary use of water, to limit the sprinkling of lawns and gardens to two hours per day—from 8 to 3 p.m.—and that, too, on only three days of the week, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The inspectors will keep a sharp lookout, and the police will be requested to co-operate, and report any violation, which will be summarily dealt with.

Engineer Moore said there would be no shortage of water this year, if the lawns were sprinkled to a reasonable extent, and no water was lost in his opinion, 400,000 gallons per day would water all the lawns in the city. None of the water from the lower Colville springs has yet been required for use.

From May 16 to 29, 33,374,706 gallons of water were pumped. On the latter date the depth of water in the reservoir was 12 feet 8 inches. From May 30 to June 6, 18,938,294 gallons had been pumped, and on June 6 there was a depth of water in the reservoir of 11 feet 6 inches.

Miss Jane Holman, daughter of the late Jos. Holman, through her solicitors, Messrs. Parke & Purdon, informed the commissioners of her intention to take action for damages for the death of her father, and requested that a committee be appointed with a view to settling the matter. The chairman and Mr. Little will investigate.

E. T. Essery, representing Mr. Cronese, appeared before the board to press a claim for damages for the diversion of the watercourse through the latter's lands in consequence of the city's purchase of the Griffiths springs. The matter will be considered later.

Chairman Jones was appointed delegate to attend the American waterworks convention, which meets in Buffalo on June 14.

A number of applications for mains were read and referred to the engineer. All the members were present.

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 box of Parnelle's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and vigor.

Dr. Parnelle and Dr. DeLion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parnelle's Pills.

'Tis But A Mere Advertisement

LONDON, JUNE 7, 1898.

TO THE READERS OF THE ADVERTISER:

There was a time, and that not so very long ago, when you would not be bothered reading "ads." But the times have changed, and you have learned that many an advertisement contains a money-saving story, well worth the reading. But even yet the pages of the daily papers are so crowded with big blustering self-praises, as unwarranted as offensive, and often so soiled with direct mis-statements that one sometimes loses faith in all advertising. It is in view of this fact that we address this letter to the readers of The Advertiser.

Our advertising policy is simple and straightforward. We try to interest sensible people in our daily talks about Drygoods; to tell them in a plain, quiet way about the business doings in our big store, to advance sound arguments why they should trade with us, and to hold out to them strong inducements to become our patrons. And the great spirit in all our efforts is simple Truth. We strive to never misrepresent, never exaggerate. It would never pay us to have you expect more than we can give you. If we say a thing is all wool, there is not another thread but wool in it; if we say a thing is reduced from \$1, we mean that we used to get \$1 for it; if we say it is worth \$1, we mean that you must pay \$1 for it at our competitors' counters. Our policy is: Not something for nothing, but your money's worth every time. We give you whatever we promise, and the guarantee of the biggest and best store in Western Ontario goes with every article you purchase.

Are our "ads." worthy of your attention? Try us once, anyway, and see whether or no we live up to our agreement. Here's an offer as an earnest of our good faith: Splendid Black Llana Dress Goods, as light and cool as black dress goods can possibly be woven, durable and dust-shedding, 32 inches wide, the very biggest value you ever got, at 35c a yard.

Remember, we ask for no patronage unless we can convince you that it is to your advantage to trade here—but we do ask you to watch our advertising columns daily and give us a fair chance to convince you.

Hoping that our old patrons will bear witness to the truth of our statements, and that others will so appreciate our policy that they may soon become our business friends, we remain,

Yours very sincerely,

KINGSMILLS

Special Sale of Chamber Sets

\$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.48, \$1.68,
\$1.98, \$2.45, \$2.85, \$2.98.

Greatest Values Ever Offered.

PIGOT & BRYAN

"The People's Store,"
186 Dundas Street, London.

CAN YOU EAT

Anything and everything you would like to? You can if you will try **RUBY ROLLS**. The first few doses bring back your lost appetite. One box convinces that in them lies the cure.

Price 50c a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50.

For sale by all druggists or by mail from

The Ruby Roll Med. Co.,
Box 328 London, Ont.

DISCIPLES CONVENTION

Will Be Held Next Year in Toronto—
New Board of Co-Operation.

Ridgetown, June 7.—The sessions of the Disciples' convention were continued throughout Saturday. Toronto was chosen as the next meeting place.

The deficit in connection with the Christian Messenger will be wiped out. The editorial appointments were as follows: Rev. C. T. Paul, editor-in-chief; J. L. Leary, news and exchange editor; Rev. W. J. Bamber, Sunday school editor; Rev. W. D. Cunningham, C. E. editor; Mr. R. Butchart, of Toronto, was re-elected business manager.

The convention decided for the present to keep the educational work represented by the College of Disciples at St. Thomas separate from the work of the co-operation proper. The work being done by the college was heartily endorsed by many.

The treasurer's report, presented by John McKinney, of Guelph, was adopted.

The following compose the board of co-operation for the year 1898-9: President, John Campbell, St. Thomas; vice-president, Thos. Whitehead, Warkenton; recording secretary, J. W. Kilgour, Guelph; corresponding secretary,

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