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For the Teeth.

TRIANGLE SOAP,
TEABERRY,
RUBIFOAM,
CROWN WASH.

PERFUMES.

Lily of the Valley,
Swiss Clover,
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DR. A. WILSON,

—M. B., M. C. P. & S., Ontario,—
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON & ACCOUCHUR. Office, Colborne Street, Fenelon Falls.

Dr. H. H. GRAHAM,

GRADUATE of the University of Trinity College, Fellow of Trinity Medical School, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, Member of the College of Physicians & Surgeons of Ontario. Office and residence on Francis-St. West Fenelon Falls, opposite the Gazette office.

R. M. MASON,

VETERINARY SURGEON; Honor Graduate Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto, 1884; R. M. O. V. M. A. Residence—Francis Street East, Fenelon Falls.

E. P. SMITH,

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Wildcat Mining Projects.

Mr. Bostock, backed by the other members of Parliament from British Columbia, has in the House of Commons drawn attention to the improper methods adopted by some alleged mining companies in order to obtain money from unwary investors. The discussion of the subject led to a statement by Mr. Laurier that the whole matter would be referred to the Minister of Justice, and if the present law is found insufficient to cause the punishment of those who publish misstatements in prospectuses, such alterations will be effected as will make it a criminal offence to lay such traps for the public. The *Star* was the first, and for some time the only, Eastern Canadian newspaper to expose the methods employed by promoters who did not see fit to confine themselves to facts. Those whose prospects of gain were injured by having the truth told about their schemes were exceedingly bitter in their denunciation of this paper, which was declared to be an enemy of British Columbia and of its mining interests. The opposite was the case, for no other journal in the Dominion has stronger faith in the mineral richness of our Pacific province, and now that all the representatives of British Columbia in the House of Commons have proclaimed the necessity of stopping wildcatting, the *Star's* position is fully vindicated. Irreparable damage will be done to all legitimate enterprises if misstatements are published and bogus schemes floated and eager investors are lured into schemes where the mine may be rich, but owing to crookedness of management no development work will be done and the property probably sold for a song in the end to some confederate.

Of course, all mining is more or less of a speculation, and in many cases it is almost a lottery, but the law should be made so as to protect investors, and it should be a criminal offence to take money from the purchasers of stock for the ostensible purpose of developing the mine when, as a matter of fact, the cash will go into the pockets of promoters. To prevent this a law might be so framed that all prospectuses and advertisements should state the purpose for which the money realized shall be used, and if the funds be not used for development purposes when it was declared that such was the object of the subscription, those misapplying the money should be sent to the penitentiary. If something of this sort is not done the whole mining proposition, as far as the floating of companies is concerned, will be utterly discredited before British Columbia has so established its reputation as a rich mining center that it can stand the pressure of having been used as a bait to catch "suckers" in the East.—*Toronto Star*.

The Lumber Market.

Lumbering operations in Canada this winter will be unusually quiet, and all on account of the Presidential elections across the line. Up in the woods, where thousands of men generally find employment, business is at a standstill because a certain uncertainty exists over the monetary standard to be adopted in the States. Up to the present time there has been only about one-half the usual number of men hired for the lumber camps that have been employed in former years, so that the outlook for many poor families who depend on this industry for the winter months is not encouraging. The reason of this great change in the Canadian lumber trade is mainly due to the lack of demand from the American market. The silver question on the other side has made lumbermen shy of buying in any large quantities until the money question is settled. The English market has been the salvation of the Canadian dealers, and had it not been for this trade this season there would probably have been very little done in the woods this year at all. Although the general trade has been very dull there has been a great demand for square timber. This year's output will greatly exceed that of last year.—*Ottawa Free Press*.

Walter D. Wellman, a San Francisco book-keeper, has succeeded in writing 7,069 words on an ordinary postal card. The words comprised an extract from one of Victor Hugo's novels.

R. H. Moore, of Wellsboro, Pa., who has passed his eighty-first year, climbed up the 228 winding steps in the lighthouse in Atlantic City and kept on without rest from start to finish.

Risk Nothing on the Names.

Eminent members of professions which have nothing whatever to do with mining ought to keep off the directorate of mining companies. And investors should not stake their money on the high standing of a doctor or a lawyer or a clergyman whose name shines in a list of directors. A mining company is no weaker because its directors are unknown men, and no stronger because its directors are well-known men. Some enterprises have succeeded in spite of the obscurity of their directors, and some enterprises have failed in spite of the eminence of their directors. Doctors, lawyers and clergymen are proverbially ill acquainted with anything outside their own business. The fact that a hard-headed business man of standing is on the directorate of a mining company is evidence that he thinks there is something in it for him. But the people who rush into any company because an eminent doctor or a distinguished lawyer or a zealous clergyman is on the board of directors, are following people who know less about business than they do themselves.—*Toronto Telegram*.

Will Preach Buddha.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—The most picturesque passenger on the steamship *New York*, which arrived yesterday, was a priest of Buddha, H. Dharmapala, who comes from East India, with messages of love and peace from Buddha for the people of America. Mr. Dharmapala was attired in a mauve coat, blue leg coverings, red morocco leather shoes, a flowing robe of deep yellow and a mix skin turban. He is tall and stately, and his swarthy skin contrasts strikingly with the bright hues of his garments. He stands over six feet, and generally in appearance is a magnificent specimen of Asiatic manhood. Explaining the object of his visit, he said:

"I come here with a message of love and peace from the people of India to those of the United States; a message from the great teacher of compassion, Buddha, whose doctrines I am going to preach to those who wish to hear them from one of the great teacher's devout followers. I am not coming here to make converts. My desire is to bring about a more harmonious feeling among the different branches of the faithful."

Ontario's Mines.

A feature of the mining boom that is striking Canada is that while British Columbia mining stocks are now quoted and traded in, nothing has been heard of Ontario mines in the same way. If any one desires shares in the mines of the province, he has to go direct to the shareholders and then, as a rule, cannot get them. The truth is that Ontario possesses mineral deposits which, while their "immensity is not indicated by the size of the mountains," have rewarded those who have developed them with greater returns in proportion to the outlay than any British Columbia mine. This is proved by the official statistics. The fact that people cannot pick up shares which are peddled in the market is another pretty sure indication of their value. People do not sell or give away a good thing.—*Toronto Star*.

In a Lion's Grip.

MONTREAL, Sept. 18.—During the performance of Hagenbach's trained wild animals at the Montreal Exposition this afternoon there was a very exciting scene, which was not on the regular programme. One of the most interesting feats is when one of the trainers, Alexis Canoz, enters the lion's den and has a wrestling match with the lion. So far the feat has been performed successfully, but this afternoon the lion was in an ugly mood, and no sooner had it put its paws over Canoz's neck than it sunk its claws into the back of the man's neck and gave him a hug that made him black and blue in the face. The lion then sunk his teeth into Canoz's neck. By this time the other attendants were aroused and they belabored the lion with an iron bar until he let go his hold. Canoz, who was almost fainting, made his escape from the cage. He was removed to the general hospital, where his wound was cauterized and dressed.

A strong shock of earthquake was felt at Baie Ste. Paul, Que., on Sept. 17th at 7 a. m. It lasted about a minute.