

Cannot Please Everybody.

Editing a paper is a peculiar business. It contains much political matter, and people won't have it. If it is neutral, they say we are not to offend. If we publish foreign news, they say it's local news we want. If we leave out foreign news, they say they are more interested in that sort of news than the home. If we have a few jokes, folks say we lack sense. If we omit jokes, they say we are boring but fossils. If we publish original matter, they say we don't write our own editorials. If we give a complimentary notice, we are censured for being partial. If we don't, all hands say we are great hog. If we insert an article which pleases the ladies, the men become jealous. If vice versa. If we stay in our office, they say we should be abroad looking after news. If we go out, they say we don't attend to our business. If we don't publish all the Church Society concert and other notices, they exclaim great Scott! what we keep you for. If we publish serial stories, some say what rubbish. If we don't, others say the stories all they care for. Everybody knows just how to conduct a paper except the editor.

COMPELLED TO YIELD.

Mrs. Salter, of Franktown, Ontario, for four years afflicted with a fever sore that baffled all treatment, until they tried Burdock Blood Bitters. It cured her. All chronic sores and humors of the blood must yield to B. B.

CANADA PACIFIC steamers, Alberta and Athabasca will leave Owen Sound at 4 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Port Arthur, Manitoba and the North West on the opening of navigation.

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Although during the cold season "Jack Frost" get in his work lively, yet Hagar's Yellow Oil beats him every time, curing chilblains, frost bites, and all their painful effects. It also cures croup, sore throat, rheumatism, and most painful affections.

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THE LOST RESTORED.

Ira McNeill of Poplar Hill, Ont., states that his brother aged 12, was afflicted with a terrible cold, from the effects of which he lost his voice. Hagar's Pectoral Balsam cured the cold and restored his voice in a perfect manner. He says it cannot be exceeded for coughs and colds.

The first C. P. R. steamer of the season will leave Owen Sound on Friday.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Geo. W. Platt, of Picton, says he can confidently recommend Burdock Blood Bitters to any who suffer from loss of appetite, constipation and general debility, that remedy having cured him, after severe illness from the same complaints.

Another statistician has been statistically checking, and gives as the result of his labors the opinion that a large percentage of the liars in the world were brought up in infancy on bottles, because fed, as it were a lie right at the start. Quite ingenious. Reader, were you brought up on a bottle? Beware the bottle, both young and old.

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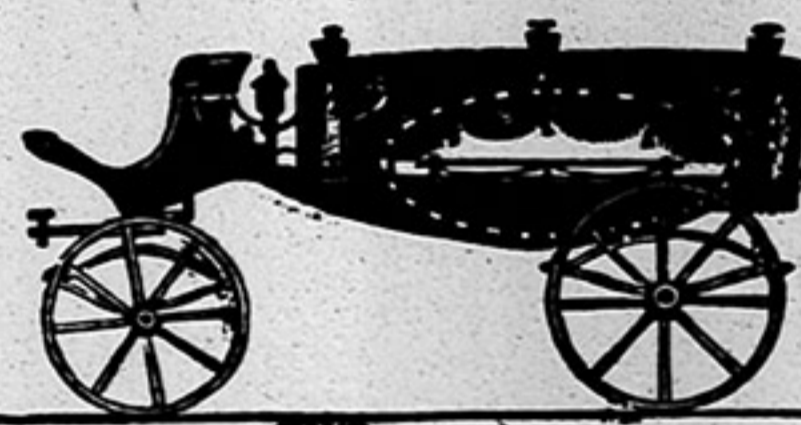
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