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FELICITATIONS.

In the House on Thursday, Sept. 17, Before the House adjourned, Dr. Sproule reminded the House that this was the 35th anniversary of the great National Policy victory.

Afflicted with appendicitis, with colitis and with a third attack of Shamoockitis, our good friend Sir Thomas Lipton has not had a time of unalloyed joy in America.

Traverston

Splendid crops of potatoes in this neighborhood and no rot. Miss Mary Glenore leaves for the Queen City on Wednesday, after spending a couple of pleasant months with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Greenwood.

Harvest Home.

New England Harvest Home will (D. V.) be held next Sunday and Monday. On Sunday the Rev. W. N. Chantler, of Maple, the late pastor, will preach at 10.30 a. m. and 7.15 p. m.

WANT D—SEVERAL INDUSTRIOUS PERSONS—each state to travel for home established each year with a large capital, to call on merchants and agents for successful and profitable lines. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$15 and all travelling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

If you want fall bulbs for Christmas, Winter or Easter Flowers you can get them at Turner's drug store.

NOTICE—All parties indebted to the undersigned are hereby requested to call and settle by cash or note as promptly as possible and oblige William Jackson, Markdale.

FOR SALE—Colt rising two years, mare, heavy; two spring colts, well matched, mares, heavy class; a spring colt, fancy carriage mare; also a brood mare, blood.

R. W. Breadner, Wodehouse. MEN WANTED—A few good men wanted for bush work, also teamster. Will let contract to cut wood and haul to Berkeley. Hundred to thousand cords. Apply at mill.

The undersigned will sell by public auction on Saturday, Oct. 3, the following, viz: 1 new parlor suite, 6 pieces; 1 chest carpenter's tools; 1 boring machine; 3 sewing machines; 1 new Portland cutter, 1 cow. Terms, cash.

Harvest Home services will be held in Christ Church next Sunday. The choral part of the services will be suitable to the occasion. There will be Holy Communion after morning prayer. The special preacher will be Rev. Mr. Hill, M. A. A liberal offering is asked for.

Mr. Wm. Croft, of the suburbs west, having sold his farm will dispose of his live stock, implements, etc., on Wednesday, the 14th October, commencing at 12.30, noon. Terms, twelve month's credit on approved joint notes for sums over eight dollars. Geo. Noble, Auctioneer.

Mr. H. Cornfield is again in Markdale with headquarters at Murphy's hotel. He pays fifty cents per hundred for all kinds of iron, four cents per pound for old rubbers, twenty cents for horse hair, and five cents for wool pickings. Leave your order at the Murphy House, or write to H. Cornfield, Markdale.

Mr. Wm. Fleisher, having sold his farm, will dispose of his live stock, implements, etc., by public auction on Friday, the 2nd October at his premises two miles south-east of Markdale commencing at 1 o'clock sharp. Twelve months credit will be given on approved paper on amounts over eight dollars. Geo. Noble will wield the hammer.

Say Young Man! If you would like to look as good as the other fellow just bring your shirt and collar to us and you will be surprised at our improved appearance, and all for twelve cents. Markdale Steam Laundry. Office next Jas. A. Crowston's barber shop.

FALL FAIRS. MARKDALE, Oct. 6-7. Orangeville, Oct. 6-7. Priceville, Oct. 8-9.

Epping. The apple pickers are busy this week. The packers report the crop lighter than previous years though an excellent quality. Miss Nicholson, teacher near Berkeley, visited with friends in this neighborhood Saturday last.

Always Sick, Constantly Tired. Nerves On Edge, Appetite Poor, Sleep Disturbed.—You Need Ferrozone.

The benefit I derived from Ferrozone, writes Mr. Al. P. Whitehead from Moncton, "is really marvellous. For two years I didn't have one day's freedom from nervous headache and pains in the back and side. I consulted doctors in Montreal, but wasn't helped. I used Ferrozone, and am glad to say my health is better to-day than for many years. I weigh ten pounds more and look and feel stronger. Ferrozone is the best tonic I ever used."

Any amount of money to lend on mortgage security at the lowest rate of interest. Expenses low. No fines. Properties valued personally. No waiting for convenience of inspectors. W. L. Young, Markdale, Appraiser for Canada Permanent Loan Company.

F. T. HILL & CO.

FALL Millinery Opening

You are cordially invited to our Fall Millinery Opening which takes place on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Unusual preparations have been made and our showing of Exclusive Millinery Designs will be the best yet attempted. Miss Stein and an efficient and capable staff of assistants will be pleased to have you visit our Millinery Parlors on opening days—Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

60c and 75c Tweeds for 40c per yard. 278 yards, extra heavy, pure all-wool Tweeds. This is an exceptionally good lot of high-class goods which will sell at 60c to 75c per yard. We place them on sale at one price, per yard only.

\$1.00 Wakefields Unshrinkable Underwear 75c. 40 dozen of this, the most satisfactory wearing Underwear at the price, has a world-wide reputation. Every garment is made of extra fine, soft and guaranteed unshrinkable. Nowhere else is or has this special line of \$1.00. Our price, special while this lot lasts.

Ladies' Winter-weight Vests 18c. We have this season, without exception, the very best values in ladies' vests. These are made of pure all-wool, excellent weight and guaranteed unshrinkable. Better lines at 55c to 1.10.

American Wrapperettes, 6c. Flannelette Blankets, pair 68c. Another big shipment of new-pattern, fast color, American Wrapperettes, direct from the mills. It is a long time since we have had such a good lot of these goods. They are sold at a profit and at less than wholesale prices. Buy them now while they are available. They are made of the best quality of material and are guaranteed to give you the most satisfactory results. Buy them now while they are available. They are made of the best quality of material and are guaranteed to give you the most satisfactory results.

25c. Oil Baize for 17c. 7 pieces New Pattern Oil Baize, 45 inches wide, the quality that is sold elsewhere at 25c. On sale for 17c.

Dress Goods, Silks, Blousings, Trimmings, Jackets, Capes, Gowns, Gloves, Hosiery, etc. (Abundance of these all priced low)

Groceries! Groceries! Groceries! With all lines at all times as fresh and low-priced as you can get them. Buy in large quantities we are able to give values not approached by place of sale 100 boxes Valencia Raisins, fine goods, stemmed and cleaned.

HARDWARE HARDWARE

Another big shipment of AMERICAN GRANITEWARE just received. 100 Granite Wash Basins (largest size and best quality made). These are offering have always sold at 50 cents each. Our special price while this lot lasts.

STOVES, RANGES, HEATERS. In these we are doing a big business this season, and are confident that the present time we have made a big sale. We are confident that the present time we have made a big sale. We are confident that the present time we have made a big sale.

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Liver Pills

That's what you need; something to cure your biliousness and give you a good digestion. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation and biliousness. Gently laxative. All druggists.

CANADIAN PACIFIC ANNUAL WESTERN EXCURSIONS

Return tickets to St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn., via North Bay, \$38.40. Sept. 24th, 25th and 26th; via Owen Sound and Upper Lakes on Sept. 24th and 25th, \$32.40.

Single Fare for Round Trip To Detroit, Bay City, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Mich.; Chicago, Ill.; Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Ohio; Indianapolis, Ind. Tickets good going Sept. 24th, 25th and 26th, all stations Toronto and Windsor, including branches.

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To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Cures Grip in Two Days. on every box. 25c.

Canadian Breeders and the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

General Press Bureau, World's Fair. Col. Charles E. Mills, Secretary of the Live Stock Department, has received from Toronto where he attended the meeting of the live stock breeders of the Dominion of Canada, convened for the purpose of considering the matter of making an exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The meeting was attended by the leading breeders of Canada and they manifested much interest in the Fair. The convention was held on the grounds of the Dominion of Agriculture and Industrial Exposition, called the Live Stock Association of Canada, called the Commissioner of Canada, after an earnest meeting to order and, after an earnest and effective address urging a large and creditable exhibit of live stock at the World's Fair, introduced as the chairman of the convention, Hon. John Dryden, the Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, who made an eloquent and convincing appeal for a splendid exhibit. Mr. A. P. Westervelt, the Secretary of the Canadian Live Stock Association, was made Secretary of the conference and added much to the enthusiasm of the meeting. Col. Mills then addressed the meeting on the advantages that would accrue to Canadian breeders of live stock from an exhibit. A rising wave of thanks was extended him for his information and the following resolutions, introduced by Hon. William Shortt, President of the Dominion Live Stock Association, and seconded by Mr. John Jackson, President of the American Shorthorn Association, were unanimously adopted with great enthusiasm, viz: Whereas, the Canadian breeders of live stock, poultry, dogs, hares, etc., have received a very cordial and hearty invitation to make an exhibit of their herds, studs and flocks of the Dominion at the Universal Exposition to be held in St. Louis in 1904, and whereas, the cash prizes offered for all kinds of live stock exhibited at the World's Fair of 1904 largely exceed the amount the breeding made at the exposition, and are well worth the Dominion breeders, and whereas, the exhibits of live stock at St. Louis in 1904 will give additional prestige to our studs and flocks and help to our home and foreign trade, be it Resolved, that the Canadian breeders of live stock assembled hereby extend congratulations to the managers of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition for the liberal invitation for live stock exhibits and that thanks be tendered for the invitation extended to the exhibitors at St. Louis in 1904.

Resolved, that the breeders of Canadian live stock industry be widely extended by an exhibit of live stock in keeping with the character and value of our own purebred stock. Resolved, that the chairman of the meeting be and is hereby authorized to appoint a committee to represent the breed of stock and co-operate with the Dominion officials having charge of the assembling and displaying of the Canadian exhibit of live stock at St. Louis in 1904 to the end that obtainable specimens of the breeds may be shown at the Exposition next year.

Resolved, that the Secretary of the meeting send a copy of these resolutions to the Minister of Agriculture, Dominion with the assurance of the desire of the breeders of Canada to heartily co-operate with the Government in the endeavor to have the stock of Canada most creditably represented at the World's Fair at St. Louis in 1904.

Resolved, that the breeders assembled desire strongly to urge upon the Dominion Government the earnest desire to be aided in making a creditable exhibit, and hereby pledge ourselves to present the best animals for exhibition. The Live Stock Association of Canada are making an earnest appeal to the Dominion Minister of Agriculture for an appropriation of \$50,000 for a live stock exhibit, and Col. Mills thinks that the sum asked for will be granted.

Coming Again to Markdale. If you are ruptured attend to yourself at once. If your child is ruptured do not allow him to grow up in pain or handicapped by a rupture. Have your child cured. No matter how many failures you have had from other sources, it is a duty you owe your child the opportunity presents itself constantly (tree) J. Egan, rupture specialist of Toronto, who will make a regular visit to the Markdale House, Markdale, on Wednesday, day and evening, (one day only), to show the largest establishment in the Dominion, exclusively devoted to the treatment of rupture. He has been established thirty-seven years, and for the past quarter of a century, this is not a record? See "adv." in the "Standard." Out same out for future reference.

D. WATSON, Markdale.