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PROHIBITION IN WINNIPEG.

Hotelmen in Despair—Women Have Votes and New Local Option Clause Makes Permanent Investment Risky.

Winnipeg, Feb. 24.—Hotelmen today admit that prohibition in Winnipeg is very certain, since the new law permits women to vote.

The worst feature of the law, they claim, however, is that clause which permits submission of local option each year, rendering permanent investments out of the question in hotels.

It is asserted that the value of hotel property in Manitoba has depreciated enormously within the last few weeks, due to the report of this radical local option measure.

Our ideal of a flirt is a girl who makes a fool of herself while trying to make a fool of some man.

THE TWO INVINCIBLES.

Cod Liver Oil and Iron.

Cod Liver Oil and Iron in some form or other are prescribed by physicians the world over more than any other two remedies the world has ever known, for anemia of poor blood, weakness, convalescence, and all wasting and pulmonary diseases.

Iron, because it is the basis of the blood and without a sufficient amount the blood is impoverished, watery, pale and impure.

Cod Liver Oil, because it contains curative and reconstructive qualities greater than that possessed by any other medicinal agent.

In Vinol, modern science has given to the world a combination of these two world-famed tonics—Cod Liver Oil and Iron, but shorn of all useless oil or disagreeable features.

Vinol is made by a scientific, extractive and concentrating process from fresh cods' livers, combining with peptonate-of-iron all the medicinal, healing, body-building elements of cod liver oil, but no oil.

As a body-builder and strength creator for old people, delicate children, weak, run-down persons, after sickness, and for chronic Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles, Vinol is unexcelled.

We ask Markdale people to give Vinol a trial. It won't cost anything unless it gives satisfaction. W. Turner & Co., Druggists, Markdale.

KIMBERLEY HAPPENINGS

Spring is approaching. Oh, let it be soon.

The Misses Frances Hurd and Mina Weber, who are attending High School at Meaford, are spending a few days at their respective parental homes here.

Better behavior on the part of those who aught to and do know better during church services especially on Sunday evening would be much appreciated by those who go to listen and profit thereby.

Mr. Ed Hamil, our enterprising young flour miller, spent a few days last week at his parental home at Singhampton.

Mr J. R Fawcett visited friends at Heathcote during the past week.

Judging from the number of sawlogs going into the mill yard, our enterprising sawmillman, Mr. Bishop, will have another busy season.

The following is the list of officers for the ensuing year of the local Football club:

President—R. R. Fawcett.
Vice-President—Jasper Gilbert.
Manager—George Stuart.
Captain—John Lawrence.
Sec.-Treas—J. A. Stuart.
Referee—George Cairns.
Committee—W. Rear, E. Proctor, L. Lawrence, F. Stewart and R. Lawrence.

The Club intends holding a first class concert at an early date. The Sec.-Treas. is open for challenges from any of the neighboring clubs as soon as the season opens.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brooks, of Clarksburg visited friends here during the past week. Mrs. Brooks will remain for a few weeks to wait on her mother, Mrs. Edward Burritt, who is unwell.

Miss Annie McGee, of Toronto, who has spent the past six or seven months with friends here, returned home last week.

Born—On the 20th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. John Weber jr. a daughter.

What some of the people of this vicinity are thankful for:

Stuart Bros., Butchers—For the hard, freezing weather that makes good thick ice.

Geo. Hutchinson—For good sleighing for his timbering operations.

John Plewes—That the oil drillers will soon resume operations.

R. D. Carruthers—That in the shipment of stock he missed all the railroad blockades.

Mr J. T. Reid—For the deep snow which means less horseshoeing for a while, so that he will get at least a short well deserved rest.

The people in general—For the near approach of spring.

The thermometer registered 12 below zero on Monday morning of this week.

Skating still continues to be the favorite pastime and practically everyone is learning or has mastered the art, and as a consequence there are already some good skaters, in fact, as far as speed is concerned, we are inclined to believe that in the person of Earnie (Riley) Proctor we have a skater that can keep some of the best moving to beat him.

The Feet of a Pioneer.

An old Scotch settler, whose sons are becoming prominent in public life, had remarkable pedal extremities—not big feet in the sense of broad or thick feet, but long, thin feet. One day he was driving to market with his feet over the side of the sleigh. A schoolboy jumped on for a ride. The urchin gazed for several moments with open mouth, and then, like Little Red Riding Hood of old, exclaimed: "My, but what big feet you've got!"

The old man was not embarrassed, but replied in his inimitable Scotch brogue: "Ay, the twa juist mak' a yaird."

Once he ordered a pair of boots made to order by an Irish cobbler. He called for them one day but they were not done. After a week had passed he called again and was given the same answer. Pretending anger, he broke forth:

"Why will ye no keep to your word?"

"The weather has been bad," said the cobbler, in excuse.

"The weather! Hoots-mon! What has the weather to do wi' makin' a pair o' boots?"

"Shure, you're not after thinking that I could make them in the shop?" demanded the cobbler.

SKIN DISEASE OF TWENTY YEARS STANDING CURED.

I want you to know how much Chamberlain's Salve has done for me. It has cured my face of a skin disease of almost twenty years' standing. I have been treated by several as smart physicians as we have in this country and they did me no good, but two boxes of this salve has cured me.—Mrs. Fannie Griffen, Troy, Ala. Chamberlain's Salve is for sale by R. L. Stephen, Markdale.

Public Parks and Cemeteries

The managing of public parks in cities are intrusted to a committee of municipal officers, and owing to multiplicity of duties, short tenure of office, and possibly other things we do not care to mention, has proved a dismal failure. Mr. Sylvester Baxter, Secretary to the Parks Commission in Boston, gave an interesting address in Toronto in the Cty Council Chamber on February 17, on how the Commission works. One of the advantages of a Commission was "definiteness of policy" and continuity of administration. Parks managed under fluctuating city councils gave no satisfactory results. Under the more permanent and intelligent system of a Parks Commission Boston has developed parks and bouvelards second to none in the world. We have a Public Parks Act in Ontario which makes this possible, but some amendments require to be made to make it satisfactory. Markdale arrived at a similar conclusion some time ago in regards to the care of the cemetery, but in view of the present municipal law, a Commission is not possible. We hope, therefore, this may be done. To remove this administration from city councils will gradually tend to purify municipal politics in our large cities by making less offices to dispose of.

This touches the cognate problem of enlarging the civil service. The day is fast approaching when less offices will be at the disposal of the party in power, and the highest offices in the Government employ will be as a result of ability and merit, not political services. Until this is done each party is at the mercy of the machine.

Stop that tickling cough! Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure will surely stop it, and with perfect safety. It is so thoroughly harmless that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else, even with very young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung-healing mountainous shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. Sold by W. Turner & Co.

W.C.T.U. COLUMN

The January meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. McKennitt. After the devotional exercises, which were conducted by the President, Mrs. Cook, the minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The general routine of business was then proceeded with. As the Union contemplates holding a Medal Contest, the Superintendent of this department, Mrs. F. J. Ritchie, was asked to give her report of the work so far accomplished in this line. Owing to other entertainments being arranged for, the date of the medal contest was changed from February to April 7. We expect this entertainment to be one of the best you will have the opportunity of attending. There will be nothing left undone to make this program very pleasing and of interest to all. Arrangements have been made to have Miss Jamieson, a temperance evangelist, in Markdale from March 15th to 27th. Miss Jamieson has been is such great demand all over the province that it was with difficulty the Union succeeded in securing her services for that date. She comes highly recommended, a very consecrated woman and a great success wherever she has been. We look forward to these meetings as being a great uplift to our town.

Permanent Results

"I had been suffering for over two months with an obstinate cough, as had also my little girl. We tried several remedies common to any drug store without obtaining any apparent relief, in fact we were growing worse. I got a bottle of **Coltsfoote Expectorant** from my druggist and inside of two days the cough was stopped, and the results so permanent and rapid that we decided to keep it in our home continually.

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Coltsfoote Expectorant is recognized the world over as the best prescription ever used by the medical profession for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Bronchitis and Tightness of the Chest. Children like it. To introduce it into every home we will send a free sample to every person sending their name and address to Dr. T. A. Slocum, Limited, Toronto. Sold by all up-to-date druggists at 25c.

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OUR GREAT

February GRANITEWARE Sale

ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5th, we start our Great February Graniteware Sale. 5,000 pieces of all kinds of Graniteware to be sold at one third to one-half less than usual retail price. This is a stirring sale and of impelling interest to every woman with big inducements to refurnish kitchen utensils in Graniteware of all kinds. You cannot afford to pass it.

WASH BASINS.

300 only Granite Wash Basin in grey and white colors, McClary's make, regular 25 and 30c values anywhere. During our great Graniteware sale for the month of February only, remember selling at half—2 for 25c or each..... **13c.**

TEA POTS.

1 quart Granite Tea Pots,	reg. 35c,	Feb. price	19c.
1½ " "	40c	"	22c.
2 " "	55c	"	29c.
3 " "	65c	"	28c.

STOVE POTS.

Just think, 75 only Granite Stove Pots, perfectly seemless with steel bale and lips, sold regularly at 75c and 85c. During February they will be sold at each..... **48c.**

FRY PANS AND SPIDERS.

Customers will please note that the quanity is limited in this line, but while we have them the price will be:—

45c. Fry Pans or Spiders, selling for each 23c.
50c. " " " " 27c.
35c. " " " " 18c.

RICE BOILERS.

3 quart Granite Rice Boilers, reg. $1, Feb. Sale price..... **68c.**

4 quart Granite Rice Boilers, large size, regular $1.25. February Sale Price..... **78c.**

BUTTER DISHES.

75 only Granite Butter Dishes selling at each..... **10c.**

SUGAR BOWLS.

75 only Granite Sugar Bowls, selling at each..... **10c.**

PLATES.

600 only Pie Plates, Dinner Plates, and Tea Plates, all in Graniteware, regular 10c and 12½c. While we have them your choice at each.. **5c.**

GRANITE BOWLS.

10c. Granite Bowls selling at your choice for 5c.
12½c " " " " 7c.
15c. " " " " 8c.
During February only remember.

Sensational Reductions will also be found in the following line of Graniteware. Remember we have nearly everything in the lot and the February Sale Price is on them all. Come early while our stock is complete. This is an opportunity that may possibly never repeat itself.

Preserving Kettles, all sizes, reduced.		Pails, all sizes, reduced	
Pudding Pans " "		Stove Pots, "	
Milk Pans, " "		Cake Pans, "	
Sauce Pans, " "		Chamber Pails "	
Coffee Pots, " "		Chambers "	

And the reductions are sweeping in every case. Be on hand early. This sale for the month of Feb. only.

During our special sale of Graniteware we will also include many odd lines of

General Dry Goods and Clothing

which will be priced accordingly for quick selling during this month.

Buy Toiletware Now. Money Saving that Counts.

10 piece Toilet Sets, in best English porcelean, rich embossed decorations, with heavy gold stipling, full 10 piece set Regular value $4.50. February Sale price..... **3.40**

10 piece Toilet Sets in the new cream, lustre finish, now so popular, with heavy gold band decoration, regular value $3.75. Februory Sale Price **2.85**

Anticipate your future requirements and save money.

Big Values in Men's Clothing

45 only Men's Fine Tweed and Worsted Suits, fine qualities with all sizes in the lot from 36 to 42. Some are $9 00 suits, some are $10.00 Suits, some are $11 00 suits and they all go on sale at the February Sale Price of..... **7.50**

GREAT VALUES IN CARPETS.

In lengths of from 2 to 20 yards. Clearing at a straight discount of 20 percent on your choice.

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VANDELEUR

Miss E. Stafford visited her sister, Mrs. Ed. Baker, last week.

Mrs. F. W. Taylor and Master John visited at The "Oaks" recently.

Mr. Ed. Baker returned home on Monday, after visiting his mother in Collingwood.

Mr. W. Alcox had a butchering-bee on Monday of this week.

The Women's Institute are having a Leap Year Box Social on March 5th in Foresters Hall, Vandeleur. The gentlemen will provide the boxes and admission for the ladies 20c. A program is also being provided. Don't forget the date.

FOR RHEUMATIC SUFFERERS

The quick relief from pain afforded by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm makes it a favorite with sufferers from rheumatism, sciatica lame back, lumbago and deep-seated and muscular pains. For sale by R. L. Stephen.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

HAVE YOU NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA?

How it shakes one up, invades sleep, destroys strength, adds real misery to life. Not the stomach but nerves are effected. Starved nerves cause the whole trouble. You need Ferrozone because it's a nerve food. It supplies the elements that are needed to make rich red blood. This is the savings bank of health. The richer the blood in red cells, the richer you are sure to be in health. Ferrozone quickly makes blood, strengthens the nervous system, invigorates the digestive organs, and presto! the nervous disturbance disappears. You'll try Ferrozone, 50c. per box at all dealers.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BILIOUS.

The right thing to do when you feel bilious is to take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Try it. Price 25 cents. Samples free at R. L. Stephen's drug store.

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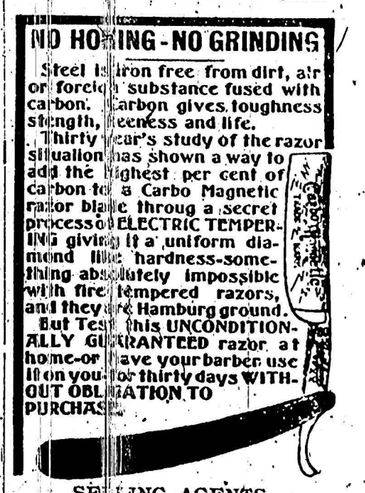

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