

Notes and Comments.

The Temperance vote is becoming formidably strong in the United States. In the recent vote in Ohio the prohibition ticket did not carry, but it rather reached a figure which is ominously threatening to the traffic in the bodies and souls of men. There seems to be nothing more certain in the future than that prohibition will carry all over the States when the hideous monster—liquor traffic—shall neither be muffled nor muzzled, but have the knife of prohibition passed completely through its heart.—Toronto Truth.

A DARING SCAMP.

His Doings at Rockwood.

It is reported that on Wednesday of last week a man went to the house of Mr. Robert Dunbar, near Rockwood while all the members of the family were absent except Miss Annie Dunbar. The scamp taking advantage of this circumstance chloroformed, and it is supposed, outraged her. When Mr. Dunbar returned in the evening he found her lying on the floor in an insensible condition, from which she only partly rallied during the night. All the information that could be got from her was uttered in broken sentences. On Thursday the young lady was in the house alone again and it is stated, the fellow returned once more. After demanding all the money there was in the house he once more chloroformed her, and when the folks came back in the evening she was found lying unconscious. She has since recovered her senses. In her description of her assailant Miss Dunbar says the man had a flager mien from one of his hands. The perpetrator of the deed is still at large.

An Unfaithful Husband.

Comes to Halton with another woman and dies here.

A queer story comes from Hornby. A man named Charles Drew, once a respected resident of Lowell, Mass. was married and had two children, doped with a young woman, who was once a servant in his family. Assuming the names of Charles W. Jackson and wife, they came to Hamilton this summer and took the train to Georgetown in quest of a temporary rural home where they might enjoy a season of quiet retirement. They were accommodated at the residence of Mr. Matthew Howson, near Hornby, and Drew's two children were with him. A month or so ago Drew died rather suddenly, and was buried. His "widow" set about procuring administration documents, and finally left for Lowell with the children, where she intended leaving them and returning to wind up her "husband's" affairs. On reaching Lowell she dropped the children off and continued her journey alone. It is supposed to Boston. From her children the real wife found the true state of affairs and set out at once for Toronto, where she was directed to Hornby. There she soon found out where Mr. Howson lived and solved the whole mystery for her. The lady is engaged in winding up her husband's affairs. It is the intention to wait the return of "Mrs. Jackson" and have her arrested. The remains of the unfaithful husband will be removed to Lowell and re-interred there.

PERSONALS.

Mr. M. Speight, of Markham, was in town last week. Mr. Albert Hall, jr., of Trafalgar, visited Acton friends this week. Messrs. C. C. Speight and C. W. Hill visited friends in Markham during the week. Messrs. A. E. Matthews and Jas. Moore, jr., left Saturday for Roseau, on a deer-hunting expedition. Mr. J. H. Lloyd, who has been a resident of Acton for a number of years left last week for the home of his youth in London, England. Mr. J. E. McGavin left yesterday morning for Orangeville, to see that the orange blossom business, referred to in another column, was rightly attended to. Ned's attentions were, however, more taken up upon his arrival there with his wife and darling little daughter, who have been absent from home for about a month. That forlorn and haggard countenance which has been so noticeable for the past fortnight or so will no doubt have altogether disappeared when he returns with his domestic possessions.

THE CRADLE.

WINDSOR—In Esquimaux, on the 13th inst., the wife of Mr. John Wrighthead, worth, of a son.

THE ALTAR.

NORFOLK—In Orangeville, on the 24th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. G. M. Brown, Mr. George H. Nibel, of Acton, to Sarah, second daughter of the late J. B. Reid, Esq.

THE GRAVE.

MONROE—On the 17th inst., Mary, beloved wife of Mr. Geo. McNair, Milton, aged 49 years. Deceased was sister of Mr. D. Henderson, Manager Acton Banking Co., of this village.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. J. J. T. Lusk, Station D, New York City.

LORD LANSDOWNE.



The New Governor-General.

Lord Lansdowne arrived and was sworn in Governor-General of the Dominion, in the presence of a distinguished assemblage, at Quebec on Tuesday. He was afterwards presented with an address by the Corporation, to which he made a felicitous reply. The new Governor-General reached Ottawa Tuesday night, but the presentation of the address by the Corporation was postponed until yesterday afternoon.

Detroit Commercial Advertiser.

Address W. H. Bark, Publisher, Detroit, Michigan, for a sample copy of his very excellent family paper, the Detroit Commercial Advertiser and Michigan Home Journal, and you will not be disappointed. The copy now before us fully sustains the growing reputation of his old established weekly and has more attractions as a general family journal than any paper that visits our sanctum. The 1st page is brim full of merry anecdotes and bits of information; the 2nd page has a generous instalment of a short and very interesting serial story; while page 3 is devoted to the interests of the ladies and their gentlemen friends, who visit the Sitting Room to get information on and discuss subjects connected with home life. Pages 4 and 5 give editorials and news of the week. The former are specially independent, the latter very full and complete. On page 6 the young people and the older members of the family circle find much to interest them, while the general market reports on page 7 must be invaluable to producer and buyer. Page 8 is especially the farmers' page, and besides interesting letters from subscribers on farm topics, contains many useful hints on agricultural affairs. To many, the liberal quantity of poetry, both original and selected, that appears in the pages of the Detroit Commercial Advertiser, is quite an attraction. Indeed we believe all will find much to commend in this worthy journal, a sample copy of which will be cheerfully forwarded by the publisher.

BUSINESS BREVITIES

Some Facts about our Business Men and Homes, of benefits to our general readers.

- Hats from 75 cents to \$2.50 at J. Fyfe's.
-If you want a nobby, durable and cheap suit, J. Fyfe's is the place to go.
-The largest and cheapest stock of Boots & Shoes to select from is at Nelson & McRae's.
-The largest stock of Gent's Furnishings, Hats and Caps, Shirts and Drawers at Nelson & McRae's.
-The best value in Factory Cottons, Winneys, Flannels and Domestic Goods at Nelson & McRae's.
-The largest and cheapest stock of Ready Made Clothing in the town is at Nelson & McRae's.
-Scottish, English and Canadian Suitings in great variety, at the East End Clothing store, J. Fyfe, Acton.
-The most perfect fitting Suits and Overcoats, and the best selection of Goods at the lowest prices at Nelson & McRae's.
-Suits and Overcoats at extremely low rates and made in latest styles. Be sure to call and see them. J. Fyfe, Acton.
-The best assortment of Black and Colored Velvets, Ladies' Mantles, Woolen and Knitted Goods in the town at Nelson & McRae's.
-McQuillan & Hamilton of the Wellington Marble Works, Guelph, Ont., are doing the largest retail Marble trade in Ont., owing to the fact that they do the best work and sell the cheapest. The public are warned against dealing with second hand trade peddlers, but should go direct to the firm or buy from their agents. See that the name, McQuillan & Hamilton, is on the printed form before you sign or order.

"Why should a man whose blood is warm within, Sit like his grandpa's cat in slumber?" Or let his hair grow rusty, scant and thin. When "Cingalese Renewer" will make it grow the faster. For sale by J. E. McGavin.

We have a speedy and positive Cure, for Catarrh of the Bladder, Canker and Head Ache, in Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. A nasal injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by J. E. McGavin.

No household should be considered complete without a bottle of Dr. Van Buren's Kidney Cure in its glass case. It is the only remedy that will positively, permanently and promptly cure all forms of kidney disease. Sold by J. E. McGavin.

In the history of medicine no preparation has received such universal commendation for the alleviation it affords, and the permanent cure it effects in kidney disease, as Dr. Van Buren's Kidney Cure. Its action in these distressing complaints is simply wonderful. Sold by J. E. McGavin.

FREE Dr. W. W. Sargent's Specific Medical Tablets. A guaranteed cure for Nervous Debility and Hemorrhoidal Piles. Sent by mail on receipt of 25 cents. Sold by J. E. McGavin.

A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS. FROM THE SON: "My father, who is now 70 years of age, has been a great sufferer from Scrophulous Eruptions, and the medicine you have sent me has done more for me than any other medicine I have ever used."

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a few pimples here and there, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are five men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I can testify to the facts in his case, who would testify to the facts in his case. Yours truly, W. M. Phillips."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Six months ago I was completely covered with a scrophulous humor and scrophulous sores. The humor caused an itching and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to cause the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. It cost me many dollars for medicine, to which I made a foolish use of the Sarsaparilla in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores have all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 72 years of age. Many inquiries what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them, as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Giver, Vt., Oct. 21, 1882. Yours gratefully, HIRSH PHILLIPS."

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA Cures Scrophulous and all Scrophulous Complaints, Erythema, Eczema, Ringworm, Itchings, Sores, Boils, Tumors, and Eruptions of the Skin. It cures the blood of all impurities, aids digestion, stimulates the action of the bowels, and thus restores vitality and strengthens the whole system.

PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists; \$1, six bottles for \$5.

Beckler's Eucalypti Salve The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancer, Piles, Chills, Croup, Tetters, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance, or money refunded. 25 cents per box. For sale by J. E. McGavin.

J. S. Wetherell, writing from Winnipeg, says: "I can say more about PHOSPHATINE now than when I saw you last in Toronto. My health is much improved, and I am free from headaches or any other aches, having only used two and a half bottles of your Phosphatine. For sale by all druggists."

The use of Pills, Salts, Castor Oil, &c. and other nauseous, griping Cathartics is unnecessary, as a pleasant substitute is found in Dr. Carrou's Stomach Bitters, which act as a Cathartic without griping or causing nausea. All Druggists sell it. 50 cents a Bottle.

Now that there is a reliable remedy for kidney troubles, half the terrors attached to these complaints have been removed. For this let all be thankful, and to Dr. VAN BUREN'S KIDNEY CURE award all praise for having thus removed a hitherto considered fatal disease from our path. It is never known to fail. Sold by J. E. McGavin.

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, seems as if pin-worms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. It allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, sure cure. Also for Tetters, Itch, Salt Rheum, all scaly, crusty Skin Diseases. Sent by mail for 50 cents; 8 boxes, \$1.25, (10 stamps). Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by Druggists.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure. This is beyond question the most successful Cough medicine we have ever sold. It cures invariably cures the worst cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis. While it's wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a Cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10 cents. 50 cents and \$1.00. If your Lungs are sore, Chest or Back, Lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster Sold by J. E. McGavin.

Oh, What A Cough! Will you need the warning. The signal perhaps of the approach of that most terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents, to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your Cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves Croup, and Whooping Cough, at once. Mothers do not be without it. For Lane Back, Side or Chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by J. E. McGavin.

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What You are Looking For!

NICE NEW FALL AND WINTER HATS & BONNETS, in all the latest French, English and American Patterns, trimmed by experienced hands only.

NEW VELVETS. Plain and broadened, in all the fashionable colors and shades of the lowest prices, ranging from 85c. per yard and upward. Our velvets are acknowledged by all who have examined them to be the finest assortment and best values ever shown in Acton. Why so? Because we sell only the silk-finish Lyons and pile Velvets, at the same price as common velvets.

NEW DRESS GOODS. To match our Velvets, in all-wool goods that keep their colors, and will not spoil with wet or ordinary matter so destructive to common and cheap dress stuffs.

NEW BUTTONS AND LININGS. To suit our Dress Goods. Everything always to match. Mantles, Overcoats, Ready-made Clothing, Shawls, Clouds, Knitted Goods for Ladies & Children, Shirts & Drawers for every one, cheaper than any other house, from 80c. upward.

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We are working into an entire Dry Goods House as fast as possible. Our Dry Goods stock this fall is better assorted than ever—everything marked in plain figures at the lowest prices.

A visit to our House will convince you that we will not be undersold. We have a large stock of Winneys, we are offering at 5c, 9c, 12c, and All-wool Flannels at 80c

We are selling Cottons & Blankets at Mill prices, and Men's and Boys' Felt Hats from 40c, 50c, and 65c, equal to any goods you pay \$1.00 for elsewhere. Why so? Because we always look out for Bargains, and buy direct from the Manufacturers.

COME. We will consider it no trouble to show goods and quote prices. At the Halton Dry Goods House, Acton.

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MILLINERY! MILLINERY! MRS. E. H. PASS'S, GUELPH.

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Are selling very freely. Every lady who sees them speaks highly of the almost perfect fit and choice style of these garments.

We advise every lady who intends purchasing an

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"LE FOLLET" is writing about Velveteen, says—

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At 40c, 50c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 80c, 90c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.35.

Bargains offering in Carpets, Lace Curtains, Blankets, Flannels, Shawls, Mantle Cloths, Ulster

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Several Large Lots clearing out at desperate

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Sign of the Golden Man.