The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1891.

The Young Folks.

THE BIRTH OF A LILY.

Only a sparkle of sunshine,
A tiny sparkle of dew,
And then the beautiful flower
Gently unfolded to view.

Its snowy leaves slowly opened
With a quiver of delight;
Then turned in sweet and glad surprise
To welcome the morning bright.

Its heart like a golden chalice
Was fragrant with odors rare,
Which rose as incense pure upon
The breath of the waiting air.

And thus with a gleam of sunshine,
And pure as a sparkling dew,
God sends our little child-angels,
Dear heart to me and to you.

How shall we keep their fair white leaves
Unspotted by stain of sin?
Only by keeping the sweet heart pure
Its golden chalice within.

—Ruth Argyle.

A MAN MAKES A FOOL OF HIMSELF

When he thinks he is a better man than anyone else.

When he puts his name to an unknown man's note.

When he laughs and jeers at another man's failings.

When he talks politics to the detriment of his business.

When he tries to be a dude on a salary of $11 a month.

When he thinks he is the only Christian pillar in town.

When he tries to tell what mean people his neighbors are.

When he uses profane language to emphasize an ordinary remark.

When he thinks he can run a newspaper better than the publisher.

When he takes another man to be a bigger fool than himself

When he thinks a newspaper can be sent to him for nothing.

When he thinks he can spend as much as a man who makes ten times the salary.

When he keeps his children from school because their clothes are a little ragged.

When he thinks others will do more for him than they can do for themselves.

When he does not take his home paper because he has some dislike for the editor.

When he thinks he can keep a family of nine children and three saloons on a dollar a day.

When he thinks the world is a hard mean, bad place, just because he has the toothache.

When he says another man is a fool and scoundrel before analyzing his own doubtful record.

When he attempts to pass himself off as a single man and has a wife and six children at home.

BARNUM'S TEETOTALISM.

Mr. Barnum told a reporter how he came to be a teetotaler; "One evening in 1847 I went to Saratoga with a party of friends, and, without noticing what I was coming to, suddenly found myself talking thick. I knew that I was boozy. The next morning I said I never should drink another drop of liquor, and I never have. I did not at the time stop drinking champagne. I did not then consider that drinking. I became from that day very much interested in the cause of temperance, and was instrumental in getting the Rev. Dr. E. H. Chapin to lecture on the subject at Bridgeport. To my suprise the chief target of his eloquence was moderate drinkers and champagne suppers. It changed my views considerably, and the next morning I took Dr. Chapin into my wine cellar and told him to look at the effects of his arguments. I had knocked the heads off all my champagne bottles. He was astonished, and he said he thought I was a teetotaller. 'I am,' I replied."

She—Do you think ladies should be allowed to hold offices in church?

He—certainly, but I shouldn't think the dear creatures would care to be elders.

Sudden Changes.

A cold, or exposure, may cause the poisonous acids in the blood to clog its circulation. This is Rheumatism. Clark's Lightning Liniment will stop the pain at once. It should be taken both internally and externally if the attack is severe, and it affords instant relief. If the pain appears again, it should be met with the same treatment, until a cure is effected. This wonderful preparation has worked some remarkable cures among Rheumatic sufferers. Where once tried, it is always used after. Sold by all druggists; price fifty cents. Clark Chemical Co., Toronto, New York.

Caught in a Shaft.

A frequent source of accident is found in shafting. Great care should be used and a supply of Hagyard's Yellow Oil kept on hand in case of wounds, bruises, sprains, burns, or scalds. It is the promptest pain reliever obtainable.

$500 FOR A NEEDLE.

Our Homes, a thirty-two page monthly magazine, devoted to house building, home furnishing, house decoration, fashions general literature, etc., is the best publication of its class in America. The publishers, in order to increase the circulation of their magazine, offer large rewards to those of their subscribers, or intending subscribers who correctly answer the following question: Where in the New Testament are the words, "a needle," first found? Cash daily and weekly rewards given while the competition lasts. The publishers will give away thousands of dollars among those correctly answering the question—the leading reward being $500 in gold. Send ten cents in stamps or silver for a sample copy of *Our Homes* and complete rules governing the competition. Address *Our Homes Publishing Co.*, Brockville, Canada.

"I should have been named Reflection," groaned a battered tramp, as he tightened the belt round his hollow waist. "I find there is more food for Reflection in this life than for anything else."

Pole Scills.

$900.00 in cash given away to advertise Dr. Cole's Pills. We will give daily prizes for ninety days to the persons who correctly form the name of a popular remedy from the letters in the two words Pole Scills. For the first correct answer received each day $5.00 in cash, for the 2nd, $3.00 for the 3rd, $2.00—$10.00 in all. With your answer send 25c. in silver or 27c. in stamps for a box of Dr. Cole's Perfect Blood and Liver Pills, sure cure for sick headache, very small and do not gripe Remember these prizes are absolutely free. Prize money now on deposit at the Traders Bank here. Contest opens May 1st, 1891. Try it. Address *Home Specific Co.* Orillia, Ont., Canada.

Minard's Liniment Sold Everywhere

NOTES HERE AND THERE.

Items of General Interest to Free Press Readers.

Almost everybody in this unselfish world takes a keen interest in having his neighbors keep their back yards clean.

"Tired All the Time."

Say many poor men and women, who seem overworked, or are debilitated by change of season, climate or life. If you could read the hundred letters praising Hood's Sarsaparilla which come from people whom it has restored to health, you would be convinced of its merits. As this is impossible, why not try Hood's Sarsaparilla yourself and thus realize its benefit? It will tone and build up your system, give you a good appetite, overcome that tired feeling and make you feel, as one woman expressed it, "like a new creature."

"Many men, many minds," but all men and all minds agree as to the merits of Burdock Pills, small and sugar-coated.

Corns! Corns!

Tender corns, painful corns, soft corns, bleeding corns, hard corns, corns of all kinds and of all sizes, are alike removed in a few days by the use of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Never fails to cure, never causes pain, never leaves deep spots that are more annoying than the original discomfort. Give Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor a trial. Beware of substitutes. Sold by druggists everywhere.—Polson & Co., Kingston, proprietors.

Grace: "What air was that you were playing last night?"

Laura: "A millionaire, and I landed him!"

Mr. Thomas Bell, of Messrs. Scott, Bell & Co., proprietors of the Wingham Furniture Factory, writes: "For over one year I was not free one day from headache. I tried every medicine I thought would give me relief, but did not derive any benefit. I then procured a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and began taking according to directions, when I soon found the headache leaving me, and I am now completely cured.

A poet says that a baby is a new wave on the ocean of life. It strikes us that "a fresh squall" would express the idea better.

Marks of Patriotism.

The old war-wounds of veterans are surely marks of patriotism, and the speedy and permanent relief of such is as surely a benefaction. Mr. Harvey R. States, of Andalusia, Pa., U. S. A. January 31, 1889, writes: "I was wounded in the hip in the late war, and till within a short time have suffered with my wounds. I have been in hands of doctors often, but St. Jacobs Oil has been of more benefit, as after its use I have not had pain for months." It is a benefactor.

Don't lose sight of an honourable enemy; he'll make a good friend.

Peter Kieffer, Buffalo, says:— "I was badly bitten by a horse a few days ago, and was induced by a friend who witnessed the occurrence to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric It relieved the pain almost immediately and in four days the wound was completely healed. Nothing can be better for fresh wounds."

The soaring hawk has no ear for music, and rates the cry of the partridge above the song of the nightingale.

Man or Beast

Gain equal relief from pain by the use of Clark's Lightning Liniment. The swelled joints from a sprain or founder are relieved and cured at once by its use. Every owner of a horse should keep a bottle of this great remedy in his stable. Every consideration of economy and humanity suggest this ready relief. Price fifty cents; sold by druggists. Clark Chemical Co., Toronto, New York.

The man who believes in ghosts may be a better citizen than the one who does not believe in his fellow-creatures.

MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & Co.,

GENTLEMEN—In playing Tennis I wrenched my ankle, causing me much suffering and inconvience, but by using MINARD'S LINIMENT I was not confined to the house a single day. After a few days I was able to continue training for the sports at the Halifax Carnival for which I had entered.

F. COUSSON,
Yarmouth. Instructor Y.A.A.C

Fashion and decency should be always on good terms.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Mr. W. Thayer, Wright, P.Q., had Dyspepsia for 20 years. Tried many remedies and doctors, but got no relief. His appetite was very poor, had a distressing pain in his side and stomach, and gradual wasting away of flesh, when he heard of, and immediately commenced taking Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. The pains have left and he rejoices in the enjoyment of excellent health, in fact he is quite a new man."

No man is accountable for the mistakes of his friends.

A Canadian Case

The case of Mrs. E. A. Storey, of Shetland, Ont., is remarkable proof, of the efficacy of Burdock Blood Bitters in headache. She writes: "For over 40 years I was a martyr to headache, having severe attacks about once a week. Have now used 3 bottles of B.B.B. and have not had an attack for 4 or 5 months."

A lifetime of torture is often endured by the rheumatic. Their pangs may, however be promptly relieved and the disease eradicated with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which is, moreover a swift and thorough remedy for neuralgia, lame back, sores, bruises, frost bite, corns, excoriated nipples, inflamed breasts, liver complaint, and all affections of the breathing organs.

Don't call a spade a spade when it is a shovel.

Stand Your Ground.

When you make up your mind to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy some other preparation instead. Clerks may claim that "ours is as good as Hood's and all that, but the peculiar merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla cannot be equalled. Therefore have nothing to do with substitutes and insist upon having Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and building-up medicine.

You Owe It

To your friends, if you have an offensive breath from Catarrh, to get rid of it as soon as possible, to say nothing of your own personal interest. As there are laws against allowing decayed matter in the public streets, so should there be against tainting and polluting the atmosphere with some people's breath. Perhaps as the nation advances with every sanitary appliance, it will be found necessary to purchase large quantities of Clark's Catarrh Cure to give to the people. It would be a wise strike of public policy, for then the nation might rise up and call its rulers blessed. Sold by druggists at 50 cents, or sent to any address by Clark Chemical Co., Toronto, New York.

No man ever yet minded his own business who didn't get into trouble.

Fathers and Sons

Fathers and sons as well as wives and daughters need a purifying tonic medicine in Spring to prepare the system for the hot season and drive out the seeds of disease accumulated in Winter. B.B.B. has no equal as a spring purifier and costs less than a cent a dose. There is healing virtue in every drop.

However great some men's abilities are, their liabilities are always greater.

Bad, Worse, Worst.

Cold, cough, consumption, to cure the first and second and prevent the third use Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, the never-failing family medicine for all diseases of the throat, lungs, and chest. A marvel of healing in pulmonary complaints.

The Third page of the Toronto *Daily Mail* is noted for "Want" advertisements If you want to buy or sell anything. If you want a situation, a mechanic, a business, machinery, lodgings, if you have lost or found anything, or if you want to find out where anyone is, advertise in the Toronto *Daily Mail* and read the advertisements on the Third page of that paper. The charge is Two Cents a word each insertion. Address *The Mail*, Toronto, Canada.

A man is frequently known by the company he keeps.

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TRADE MARK
THE GREAT REMEDY FOR PAIN.

DIAMOND VERA CURA

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION

If you cannot get Diamond Vera Cura from your Druggist, send 25c. for sample box to

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44 and 46 Lombard St.
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Honesty is the best policy, because it is the only policy which insures against loss of character.

The Single Tax.

The single tax may relieve poverty but as a remedy for painful ailments it cannot compare with Hagyard's Yellow Oil the old reliable cure for rheumatism, neuralgia croup, sore throat, lumbago, colds and inflammatory diseases.

Lady of the house (to tramp): "Poor man, you must have had many trials." Tramp (proudly): "Yes, mum, but no convictions."

Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup is a combination of several medicinal herbs which exert a most wonderful influence in curing pulmonary consumption and all other diseases of the lungs, chest and throat It promotes a free and easy expectoration, and gives ease even to the greatest sufferer. Coughs, colds, shortness of breath and affections of the chest, attended with weakness of the digestive organs, or with general debility, seem to vanish under its use. No other remedy acts so readily in allaying inflammation or breaking up a severe cold, even the most obstinate cough is overcome by its penetrating and healing properties. When children are affected with coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs, croup quinsey, and sore throat this Syrup is of vast importance. The number of deaths among children from these diseases is truly alarming. It is so palatable that a child will not refuse it, and is put at such a price that will not exclude the poor from its benefits.

Day—The spirit medium I saw last night had a wonderful affinity for the other medium. Weeks—What other medium? Day—The circulating medium.

Piles.

A positive Cure. Thousands of testimonials. No purge. No suppository. Sent post paid for 27 cts. in stamps.

Address, Home Specific Co. Orillia Ont

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Children always Enjoy It.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

of pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda is almost as palatable as milk.

A MARVELLOUS FLESH PRODUCER

It is indeed, and the little lads and lassies who take cold easily, may be fortified against a cough that might prove serious, by taking Scott's Emulsion after their meals during the winter season.

Beware of substitutions and imitations.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Belleville.

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"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

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Equally Factious Customer: No I want to tricycle."

Ingrowing Nails.

A positive and permanent cure for Ingrowing Nails. No pain. Sent post paid for 15c. stamps or silver. Address, HOME SPECIFIC CO., ORILLIA, ONT.

Owing to the unprecedented demand for plate glass it has advanced considerably in price. Messrs. McCausland & Son, Toronto, fortunately made a contract before the advance for a very considerable quantity, and are thus enabled to offer their patrons this season a very decided advantage in price, the quality being superior to any ever previously imported.

The fashion editor of a frontier paper, about the time of an Indian scare, said he was sorry to observe that whoops were coming in again.

$745.00 in Gold for a Wife.

We will give to the first person telling us before June 1st, 1891, where in the Bible the word "wife" is first found $100.00 in gold. To the next $50 00. To the third, $25.00. To the fourth $20.00. To the fifth, $15.00. To the sixth, $10; to the next 25, $5 each. To the next 25, $2. each. To the person sending in the last correct answer, we will give $100 in gold. To the next to the last $50, and so on same as from the first. With your answer send 25 cts. in silver, or 27 cts. in stamps, for a box of Dr. Cole's Blood and Liver Pills, the best Blood, Liver, and Stomach Pill ever made. Sure cure for sick headache. Don't Gripe. Remember the presents are absolutely free being given away to advertise Dr. Cole Perfect Pills and Family Remedies. At the close of the contest the names and addresses of all the prize winners will be published. We refer you to the the Traders' Bank, of Orilla. Send at once and be first Address, Home Specific Co., Orillia, Ont.

The red color of the blood is caused by the Iron it contains. Supply the iron when lacking by using Milburn's Beef, Iron and Wine.

If you want to buy or sell a Farm, advertise in the Toronto *Weekly Mail*. That paper reaches 100,000 Farmers' homes every week, and your advertisement should meet the eye of someone who wants to purchase. Advertisements of this class are inserted in the Toronto *Weekly Mail* for Five Cents a word each insertion, or Twenty Cents a word for five insertions. Address The Mail, Toronto, Canada.

Five Hundred Dollars

will be given for a case of Catarrh which cannot be cured permanently by Clark's Catarrh Cure Step right up to the office and prove your case and get the reward; Thousands have tried this remedy, but no one has claimed the reward, because it cures an every case. If you have a cold or are troubled with Catarrh, ask your druggist for Clark's Catarrh Cure, price 50 cents, and see what a pleasant relief it will be instantly. If you are asked to take something else send to us direct, and we will send you a bottle by mail on receipt of price. Clark Chemical Co., Toronto, New York.

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We are showing this week a large range of NEW PRINTS.

Also NEW BLK DRESS GOODS. We have the best value in BLACK HENRIETTA, at 55c., in town.

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All Sizes from 34 to 44 Breast Measure.

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When the public expresses a want, we are bound to supply it in a little better shape than any other house. This is in part because of our long experience in watching its wants and providing for them, and partly because of our knowledge of and access to the manufacturing centres of the Old World. Our position is unique in these respects.

If you want to know how our prices run, take a look through our stock of Gloves and Hosiery which we profess to sell at 25 per cent. less than anywhere else in the city.

Or note the good value in three special lines of Dress Goods at 10, 15 and 20 cents respectively. Fine Serges at 40 cents, and Black and Colored Henrietta Finish Cashmeres at 50 cents.

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"I think the Hats and Bonnets are just lovely this season!" Of course it was a woman who said it, and of course it was G. B. Ryan and Co's she was talking of. The hats and bonnets *are* charming. More graceful in design, and more dainty in outline and trimming than for many a season past. The reasons of our superiority in this department you are well acquainted with. We do not need to give them here.

Women's Blouse Waists in Silk, Wool, Challie, Muslin, Priutpetc., in great variety of shades, ranging from 67 cents to $3.25 in price.

The completest Carpet Stock in Guelph.

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We tender our hearty thanks to our many patrons for the patient consideration they have shown during the last few weeks when it has been impossible to do justice either to them or ourselves, owing to the confusion inseparable from the alterations we have been making. Under these circumstances, it is highly gratifying to see that the increase in our business which goes on from month to month, and year to year, has been in no way retarded by the changes we have been making.

With the improvements we have been making, we will be able to show our Goods to much better advantage. We will also now have the best lighted, as well as the largest store in the city

We beg to extend a cordial invitation to all to come and give our store a thorough survey. We think we may safely say without any appearance of boasting that we have the Largest, Choicest and Cheapest Stock of Dry Goods and Clothing in the city. Our Spring Importations have been unprecedently large. The usual comment on our Goods is that they were never so beautiful any former season. Especially do we excel in our

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J. D. Williamson & Co.

5 and 7 Wyndham St., Guelph.
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Arrived at the Right House This Week.

CONSISTING of 5 cases Ladies, and Misses' Hats, 2 cases Corsets, 1 case Beautiful Chenile Curtains in the very latest French styles, 1 case Ladies' Cotton Undervests, 1 case Linen Collars, 1 package Dress Shields, 1 package Silk Cords and Braids, 1 case French Satins, 1 case Cashmere Hose, 1 case White Shirting, 3 bales Grey Cotton, 1 bale Carpet Warp, Kid Gloves, Hair and Clothes Brushes, Tennis Flannels, Silk Nets, Beaded Trimmings, Flowers, Dress Buttons, Hair Pins, Striped Skirtings, Silk Girdles, Dress Goods, Navy Cheviot Dress Clothes, Ladies' Belts, Corset Laces, Undressed Mosquetaire and Spring Button Kid Gloves, Ladies' Print and Chali Blouses; a lot of Damaged Linen Handkerchiefs for ladies and gentlemen at about half prices, Children's nice Handkerchiefs at only 2 cents each, Gents' Black Cashmere Socks 35c., or three pairs for $1, Black Balbriggan and Lisle Hose in children's sizes reduced to about half prices, Ladies' Jerseys marked down from $3 to 1.25, from $2.75 to $1.50 from $2.50 to 75c., a magnificent stock of Parasols and Umbrellas very cheap, Union Flannels, Denims, Tickings, Canton Flannels, Ginghams, Shirtings and Towels, extra good value, LADIES' HEAVY STREET JERSEYS JUST SUITABLE FOR TRAVELLING OR FOR THE SEASIDE, ARE MARKED DOWN FROM $3.50 TO $1, FROM $3.25 TO $1. LADIES ABOUT TO TRAVEL SHOULD CALL EARLY. HONEYCOMB AND OTHER STYLES OF KNITTED WRAPS, STORM COLLARS AND BABIES' KNITTED WOOLEN CAPS VERY CHEAP. THE CARPETS OF ALL KINDS, LINOLEUMS, FLOOR OILCLOTHS, WINDOW SHADES, POLES, CORNICES, BRASS WINDOW FIXINGS, ETC., ARE ALL WELL ASSORTED, AND ARE OFFERING AT EXTEMELY LOW PRICES FOR SUCH GOOD QUALITIES. RAILWAY RUGS, WARM FLANNELS AND COMFORTABLE UNDERWEAR FOR LADIES, MISSES, CHILDREN, GENTS AND BOYS. TRAVELERS SHOULD SEE THESE GOODS. AN ABUNDANCE OF THE LATEST STYLES OF SILKS FROM 25c. UP TO $2.50. LADIES' DRESSES, HATS AND BONNETS, BLANKETS at a big reduction. Mantles, Blouses, Collarettes, etc., are great bargains. Just see the Shirtings, Tickings, Cottonades, Flannelettes and Crickstine Flannels, they are much below market value. An excellent five year mare for sale cheap. Please enter the Right House at the board fence on the corner of KING STREET EAST and Hughson streets.

Hamilton May 7th, 1891. THOMAS C. WATKINS.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES

Grand Trunk Railway.

GOING EAST.		GOING WEST.	
Express	7.18 a.m.	Express	7.50 a.m.
Passenger	2.14 a.m.	Express	10.18 a.m.
Mail	11.04 a.m.	Thro' Express	2.32 p.m.
Through Exp	3.05 p.m.	Mail	5.05 p.m.
Accom	10.0 (p.m.)	Accom	7.40 p.m.

THE CYCLONE MAILS.

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Positively closes May 29th, 1891 (15 days thereafter being allowed for letters to reach us from distant points.)

The following magnificent prizes will be given free to persons sending in the greatest number of words made up out of the letters contained in the two words, "The Agriculturist."

1st Prize ..... Cash $1,000 in Gold
2nd " ..... $500 in Gold
3rd " ..... $1,000 in Gold
4th " ..... $500 in Gold
5th " ..... $250 in Gold
6th " ..... Ticket to England and return
7th " ..... Lady's Gold Watch
8th " ..... Gent's Gold Watch
9th " ..... Gun
10th " ..... Hunting Case Silver Watch
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