

**LITTLE ALL-ALONEY.**  
Little All-Aloney's feet  
Were never in the hall,  
And his mother never  
And to him her toiling sweat  
For perseverance he fell.  
He is old, no work and small!  
Yet a champion shall be  
When his mother's love  
And he hangs her cheering call.

**HER MAJESTY'S**  
Loyal Canadian People.  
**They Should All Be Strong and Healthy.**  
**PAINE'S CELYERY COMPOUND**  
WILL ENABLE OUR WOMEN TO LIVE AS LONG AS OUR QUEEN.

**It Will Give Our Men Strength And Vigorous Manhood.**  
**SICKLY CANADIANS CAN BE MADE**  
HALE, HEARTY AND HAPPY, AND WORTHY OF THEIR COUNTRY.

**HER PHOTOGRAPH FLATTERED HER.**  
You very often hear of a couple of persons carrying on a courtship by mail with out ever having seen each other, and of the subsequent engagement and marriage of such persons, but there has just occurred a case in Shelbyville, Ind., which differs somewhat from the usual run of such stories. Miss Scott, of that city, corresponded with Henry Barr, of St. Louis, Mo., for some time, and they exchanged photographs. He finally proposed and she accepted. The date set for the marriage was fixed, and all arranged for the event, and a few hours before the time set Henry arrived for his first look at his intended bride. He was somewhat disappointed, however, because the girl did not at all resemble her photograph, and showed his disappointment.

**FRIENDSHIP.**  
A lady tells this true story of two four-footed vagabonds: "One day at a railway station I met a wretched little white cur, and I told him I would give him something to eat. We went together into the dining room, and after he had eaten a good meal, off he went in a hurry. 'He is not very grateful,' I said to my husband. But much to my surprise, in a few minutes there was a little scratch at the door, and when it opened I walked my small friend, accompanied by a more lean and miserable specimen than himself. He seemed to say, 'Please feed my poor friend, he is in as much need as I am.' Needless to say they both had a meal, which doubtless they remember to this day; after which they trotted away together, wagging their tails, as happy and grateful as dogs could be."

**TAKING UP INDIFFERENT HUSBANDS.**  
A little man asking how it happened that many beautiful ladies took up with indifferent husbands, after many fine offers, was thus aptly answered by a mountain maiden:  
A young friend of hers, during a walk, requested her to go into a delightful canoe, and there got her the handsome reward she sought for in one going through, without turning. She went, and coming out, brought him quite a mean reward. When he asked if that was the handsome one she saw, "Oh, no," replied she, "I saw many finer as I went along, but I kept on in hope of a much better, until I had gotten nearly through, and then was obliged to select the best that was left."

**IT WAS A DESERT.**  
A mother was assisting her little boy with his geography when they came to the word "desert," which he could not understand. His mother explained that it was a place where nothing would grow. The boy's face brightened up at her words, and feeling sure that he had solved the difficulty, he asked him to explain the meaning, and the prompt answer came: "Ma fether's bald head."

**JUSTIFIABLE.**  
"Have you anything to say?" inquired the sheriff.  
"Only one thing," said the condemned man, as he loosened the ropes so that he could speak with more ease, "I want you to catch that man with the snap shot camera and throw him out. I do not want to be degraded by any amateur photographers."  
**TOO MUCH TURNING OVER.**  
There is too much turning over in this school business," cried Tommy. "Just because I laughed a little, the monitor turned me over to the teacher, the teacher turned me over to the principal, and the principal turned me over to Paw."  
"Was that all?"  
"No. Paw turned me over his knee."  
A sinful heart makes a feeble hand.  
Nothing is gained by starving the soul to feed the body.

**The D. & L. Emulsion**  
Is invaluable. If you are run down, as it is a food as well as a medicine.

**The D. & L. Emulsion**  
is the best and most palatable preparation of pure cod liver oil, with the most delicate flavor.

**Business' needs advertising as the flower needs rain.**  
**STRATFORD SAYINGS.**  
Five Years Fearful Suffering

**Everybody helps the devil who talks one way and lives another.**  
**20 CENTS**  
**SECURES A GOOD LIVER AND GOOD HEALTH.**  
**AS A SYSTEM RENOVATOR AND BLOOD BUILDER, DR. AGNEW'S LIVER PILLS ARE SUPPLANTING ALL OTHERS.**

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Lapses half the sickness in the world. It retards the digestive food long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

**WOOD'S PILLS**  
Freshleigh, 1900, met an old colored man the other day crossing the campus and the following conversation ensued:  
Freshleigh—Hello, Sam! The trees are getting nearly as black as you are, hey.  
Big Sam—Yes sah, an, next spring, sah, dey'll be nearly as green as you, sah.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
Do not ponder your own weakness. There never was, and never will be, a universal panacea, in one remedy, for all ills to which flesh is heir—the very nature of many curatives being such that they were the germ of other and differently seated diseases rooted in the system of the patient—what would relieve one ill, in turn would aggravate the other. We have, however, in Quinine Wine, when obtained in a sound undiluted state, a remedy for many acute and chronic ills. By its gradual introduction, the patient's system is put into concordance and strength, by the influence which Quinine exerts on Nature's own restorative. It relieves the drooping spirits of those with a chronic state of morbid despondence and lack of interest in life's pleasures, and, by tranquillizing the nerves, disposes to sound and refreshing sleep, imparts vigor to the action of the blood, which, being stimulated, courses throughout the veins, strengthening the healthy animal functions of the system, thereby making activity a necessary result, strengthening the system, and giving life to the digestive organs, which naturally demand increased sustenance—result, improved appetite. Northrup & Lyman, of Toronto, have given to the public their Quinine Wine at the usual rate, and, suggested by the opinion of scientists, this fine apphaceous nutrient preparation of any in the market. All druggists sell it.

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For Cakes and Dairy, Purest and Best

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Kidney Disease Provokes Hundreds of Apparently Healthy Men From Passing a Medical Examination for Life Insurance.

**The D. & L. Emulsion**  
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**PYNY-PECTORAL**  
The Quick Cure for COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, HOARSENESS, etc.

**CATARRH AND COLD RELIEVED**  
One short puff of the breath through the Blower supplied with each bottle of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder diffuses this powder over the surface of the nasal passages. Painless and delightful to use, it relieves instantly and permanently cures Catarrh, Hay Fever, Colds, Headache, Sore Throat, Tonsillitis and Ear-ache. All druggists. Sold by A. T. Brown.

**The "D. & L." Menthol Plaster**  
Has been used for a long time, and is a valuable remedy for many ailments, such as rheumatism, neuralgia, etc.

**Granby Rubbers**  
Honestly made of pure Rubber. Thin, Light, Elastic, Stylish, Durable.

**A PEERLESS BLEND**  
**Ceylon Tea**  
Direct from the Tea Gardens—Selected from Twenty Blends by the greatest Tea Taster in the world—Purest, Blended from the finest of all GROCEERS SELL IT—25c, 50c, 75c, and 1.00 a pound.

**Prospective Housekeepers.**  
A serious question for prospective housekeepers is the great original outline necessary for the purchase of appropriate Furniture and Furnishings. We can be of service to all such. They'll be surprised to learn how small an investment they can begin with, if their selection is made from our stock. Older housekeepers can find many articles they need this spring at very low prices in our warehouses.

**THE GREAT PAIN-KILLER**  
Family Medicine of the Age.  
Taken Internally, it Cures Diarrhoea, Camp, and Pain in the Stomach, Sore Throat, Stomach Colic, Cough, etc., etc.

**Used Externally, it Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Sprains, Toothache, Pain in the Face, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Frosted Feet.**

**What is More Precious**  
Than good health? Do not suffer with sick bilious headache, sore stomach, indigestion, dependent feeling, with lack of ambition, pain in back, legs, and side, poor appetite, when you can remove the cause by using our box (complete treatment) of Wright's Liver and Stomach Pills at a cost of 50 cents, from A. T. Brown, Chemist and Druggist, Acton.

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You may talk about your posters and your ads upon the faces of the people. But they are not the kind of medicine that appeal to common sense.

**Bristol's Sarsaparilla**  
IT IS PROMPT RELIEF AND NEVER FAILS. IT WILL MAKE YOU WELL.

**Linen and White Goods Sale**  
The more than thirty-five years of fair dealing has created confidence in this store that has made its statements reliable. We would have it emphatically stated and clearly understood that no dishonest or sensational methods are tolerated here to deceive the public.

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Pure Linen 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00. Compare our \$1.25 Napkins with \$1.50 Damaged Napkins sold by others.

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Pure Linen Towels from 50c. per pair up.  
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**Everybody Welcome!**

Is there one who comes to Guelph without knowing that this is a resting and waiting and meeting place, as well as a store? There should be. We welcome the lookers as well as the buyers. Buy or not as you please. We try to make the store seem nearer like home to you than anywhere you can go outside your own door. Hundreds find it so every day.

**The Boy and His Shoes.**  
There's something wrong with them or he wouldn't want a new pair every two weeks. Either your shoe ideas are wrong or the shoes are wrong, perhaps both.

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**J. H. Hamilton,**  
Marble and Granite.

**Granite**  
And in order to dispose of it to make room for spring stock now purchased I will sell at a reduction of 20 PER CENT.

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