

THE PAST, THE FUTURE

The old year fades. The new year dawns. The records made. The future holds uncertainty. The past goes into unalterable history.

Had Severe Cold ON HER LUNGS.

RAISED PHLEGM AND BLOOD.

Never neglect what at first seems to be but a slight cold. You think perhaps you are strong enough to fight it off, but colds are not so easily fought off in this northern climate, and if they are not attended to at once will sooner or later develop into serious lung trouble.

My friends advised me to use Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, which I did, and it gave me great relief. I was very glad I used Dr. Wood's, and would recommend it to every one.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup has been used for years by a number of nations of the world, which some dealers try to palm off as you see the genuine.

See that it is put up in the yellow wrapper; three pine trees is the trade mark; price 25c. and 50c.

Manufactured only by T. W. Mitchell Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

There are many imitations in the market, but you can get Dr. Wood's, which would recommend it to every one.

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NO ALUM



WANNING A TOWN.

The Professor's Story of How "Holla" Got His Title. "You have been quiet and beautiful name to some of the cities of our state," remarked a visitor to Missouri.

CURIOUS DEATH CUSTOM.

Drying and Cremating a Corpse in Central America. In Central America and West Indian Archipelago, T. A. Joyce describes the curious custom of drying, which was followed a year later by cremation.

AN ESKIMO'S DREAMING.

We do not look for any great amount of inventive genius among the Eskimos, but for years they have employed a rather complete system, used in the preparation of their food.

MISSOURI BILL TO OPEN.

KINGSTON, Dec. 27.—(Special Ontario, which for years has suffered because of lack of sufficient water for producing the powdered stone and improving its quality.

Sick Headache and Biliousness

CURED BY MILBURN'S LAXA-LIVER PILLS. Mrs. Willard Young, Ellipton, N.J., writes: "I have suffered sometimes with sick headache. At times I feel bilious, and my stomach is very sore."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Many a child's life is saved by the use of this medicine. It is a safe and reliable remedy for all ailments of children.

THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, Dec. 27.—The Board of Trade official market quotations for Monday, Dec. 27, 1916.

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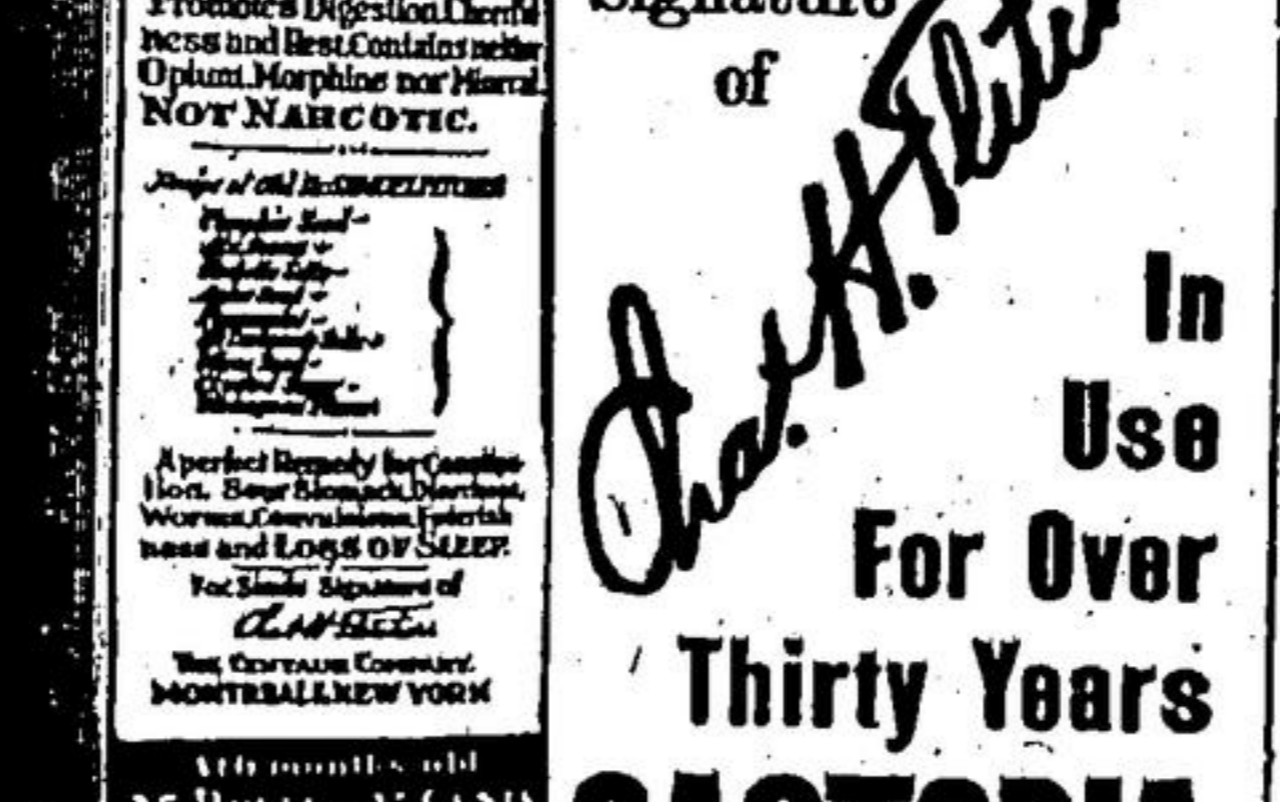
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GASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria Always Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fletch...



HOW TO KEEP WELL

Dr. J. C. Fletch, M.D., D.P.L., Chief Officer of the Provincial Board of Health. THE TEETH AND FURN FOOD.

WE DEMAND PURE FOOD.

We demand pure food. We insist that our factories for the preparation of food shall work under clean conditions.

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Christmas and New Year's Bargains

M. SAXE

BIG LINE OF GROCERIES. To sell at Reduced Prices from now until New Year's.

MEN'S RUBBERS AND SHOES

At 10 per cent. off Regular Prices until New Year's.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR IN ALL SIZES

At 10 per cent. off Regular Prices until New Year's.

48c. We are paying 48c. this week for Cream

at Acton Creamery.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

Capital Reserve Funds and Undivided Profits - \$7,000,000. \$7,200,000.

SAFETY

This Bank is one of the oldest established institutions in Canada. It is the Pioneer Bank of Acton, and offers every courtesy to depositors.

ACTON BRANCH

R. L. Whitman - Manager

Grain Chopping

Well Done and Quickly at only 5 cents per bag.

THE GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY

WABENBERT TRAINS

The following is the time at which passage (rates call at Acton)

PHOENIX

If you have any guests at your home, are going out of town for a visit, or know of a friend, let us hear from you. We always appreciate such favors. Phone 11.

Good Second-Hand Cooking STOVES

Ver Coal and Wood. All kinds second-hand furniture. For Sale in the red block house.

ACTON LIVERY AND BUS LING

Having purchased the livery and goods of the business from Mr. A. McCall, I will with confidence the patronage of the public.

L. E. ATKINSON

Acton Ont.

When You Need BOOTS SHOES

At Any Time. BUY FROM W. WILLIAMS

FAMOUS FOR Satisfactory Footwear

REASONABLE PRICES.

CEMENT

K. COOPER, ACTON, CEMENT CONTRACTOR for Bridges, Silos, Walks, Floors, Walls etc.

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64 University Ave., MONTREAL.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. In Use For Over 30 Years.



An Advertisement

In the Free Press is the Direct Line to the Result You Seek.

If your destination is a new job, a vast mass adv. is often "quick and hot." And while it may require a little patience to reach it, the goal is worth greatly more than the cost of reaching it.

To find the new talent, the new worker, the buyer of property of character—these are questions which are readily answered by a vast mass adv.

There are many occasions in your life when the quickest road to a certain result would be worth taking even if the cost were very great. Yet, while it is always the most direct road to your result, the cost of using vast mass adv. is relatively small.

If you are a man or woman of "average interests" and activities, of average needs and aspirations, you may profitably use the vast mass advertising columns.

Many Women Suffer From Pains in the Back.

When the back begins to ache it is a sure sign that there is something radically wrong with the kidneys.

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A National Call for Information!

NATIONAL SERVICE. NATIONAL SERVICE. NATIONAL SERVICE.

Form for National Service information, including questions about military service and citizenship.

Write your Answers on the Card which you will shortly receive and Return Promptly. It is Obligatory!