"Short changing or flim-flamming, is practiced by an unscrupulous class of ticket sellers," said an old-time circus ticket seller, "the opportunities that the tusiness offers being greater than that of any other I know of. Everything is bustle and confusion, a man loses his nead, doesn't think to count his change, and becomes an easy victim, when under ordinary circumstances he'd detect the I'll attempt to describe to you eash, as if in doubt. Then suddenly

turns to his victim and says: 'Is this the smallest you've got?'

he ordinary way of handing a mai

the Queen taking the head, order that her wardrobe might be with the whalebone needed

He Didn't Know.

from Isque to \$2,000 apiece, and the and slippery logs, climbing trees, or passaccustomed to present to every ing with ease and security along dizzy aristocracy in whose trails on the mountain side where a if he conforms to i when the mercury is far below zero and usage, should pre- no civilized boot will protect the feet ever needle each year. from freezing, the savage suffers no inlass of royal purveyors is convenience. His moccasins, stuffed y to her a with dry grass, let the blood course freesources ly. The perspiration may freeze on the contri- hav in a solid lump of ice, but the feet as white remain warm and dry. The buckskin

moccasin, Indian-tanned with deer' scarlet hosiery, nightcaps, lances brains and wood smoke, always dries soft after a wetting. In autumn, when , at the coronation, the lord all the leaves and twigs are dry as or of Addington-must present tinder, a man wearing shoes makes a noise in the forest like a troop of cavalr but in moccasins he can move swiftly ices, chickens parboiled through the woods with the stealth of At the same ceremony panther. The feet are not bruised, Haydon is after enjoying for a time the freedom natural covering, these hitherto blundering members become like hands and Worksop feel there way through the dark lik right-handed like those of a cat, avoiding obstacles as La also has the privilege Best of all, the moccasin is light. affect high-topped laced boots heavy soles and bobnails, imagining made knight the provender rough wear. But these boots weigh afternoon next. between four and five pounds, while a pairs of thick moose.hide moccasins weigh only eleven ounces. In marching ten miles, a man wearing the clumsy boots lifts twenty tons more shoeleathe

The anniversary of the installation of amanding officer for selling Bishop Dowling was celebrated at St. it when the following dia- Mary's Cathedral, Hamilton, several

than if he wore moccasins.

At Montreal Mrs. Deguire rescued two of her children from a burning house making a desperate rush through smoke and flame with one under each arm.

A SERIOUS TIME.

Another Bank Robbed.

Bowmanville, Ont., May 13.—Early

this morning burglars broke into the

Standard Bank here. There were six

men in the gang, who thoroughly under-

1894, and is equipped with latest and

most approved burglar-proof appliances.

Office and seized the night watchman,

and gagging him, they handcuffed him

with his own handcuffs, and told him to

They then escorted him to the bank,

keep quiet or they would shoot him.

lows on the west side of the bank.

The front door was then pried open

clock this morning by Frank Garratt,

door and demolished the safe

Nitro glycerine was the explosive

Cost of Militarism.

000,000 francs (\$901,600,000) a year. At

First, there are 3,300,000 men under

The burglars first went to the Police

After blindfolding

building is a brick structure, built

stood the business of safe cracking. The

QUEBEC FARMER SUFFERE FOR NEARLY TEN YEARS.

HAD THE BEST OF MEDICAL TREATMENT AND TRIED HOT SPRINGS WITHOUT RECEIVING BENEFIT-DR. WILLIAMS'S PINK PILLS CURED HIM.

Mr. John Story, of Maryland, Pontiac Oue., is well known to all the residents of that section, and his cure from an unusually severe attack of rheumatket for change, and finally pulls out a ism, by the use of Dr. Williams's Pink Sto bill. The ticket seller takes the pre- Pills, after all other remedies had failed, liminary performance in at a glance and has, if possible, added to the popularity guarded by two men with revolvers, knows to a dead moral certainty that the of this favorite medicine. Mr. Story while the others entered the bank by man hasn't anything smaller. He looks gives the following statement of sufferat the bill a moment, then sizes up his ling and cure. He says:—"Some ten He says:-"Some ten years ago I was engaged in railroading on the Lake Superior section of the C was exposed to all kinds

evidence that the cure is permanent. rheumatism, paralysis, sciatica, the after while in Europe there is one for 108. devastated as much as ever by rats. effects of la grippe, loss of appetite, The American proportion would give headache, dizziness, chronic erysipelas, 514,286 men for all the European armies. scrofula, etc. They are are also a speci- As there are no savage elements in fic for the troubles peculiar to the female Europe to be restrained by arms, half system, correcting irregularities, sup- of the North American contingent ough pressions and all forms of female weak- to be enough to maintain internal order ness, building anew the blood and there. Europe needs only 300,000 sol restoring the glow of health to pale and diers at most; all the others are support sallow cheeks. In the case of men they ed ia deference to the idolatry for square effect a radical cure in all cases arising miles. This additional military force from mental worry, overwork or exces- exceeds 3,300,000 men and costs 4,508,

Protect yourself against imitations by this is the direct loss entailed by the insisting that every box you purchase spirit of conquest, and yet it is trifling bears the full name, Dr. Williams's Pink as compared with the indirect losses. for Pale People. If your dealer not have them they will be sent, the flags. If they were not soldiers and back to the days post paid, at 50 cents a box, or six boxes were following lucrative occupations indears that for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Wil- and earning only 1,000 francs (\$209) hale the monsters liams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

head they might produce \$760.000,000. The \$900,000,000 absorbed now by mili- freely. tary expenditures would bring 5 per The Advantages of the Moccasin. cent, if invested in agricultural and industrial enterprises. This would make another \$45,000,000. The 28 days of the reserves are worth at least \$40,000,000. full play; they can bend and grasp; Here, then, is an absolutely palpable continually inspecting their troop-rooms Discussed in Club Women and Club there is nothing to chafe them or to im. sum of \$845,000,000. But what a num- to see if everything was clean, and also Life, by Helen N. Winslow. A perfect pede circulation. In moccasins one can ber of colossal losses escape valuation! Vary in value, as a rule, move like an acrobat, crossing slender Capital produces capital. If \$1,800,000,- thing. One day he inspected the room particularly seasonable topic. The de-"Pur- do not stick in the mud. In the North, Science Monthly.

> Comical Errors in Advertising. Wanted.-Special drawing-room for lies 35 feet wide. Wanted.-Girl to mind baby about

At Koster & Bial's. - Carmencita, the amous Spanish dancer. Change of eatures every week.

dow reads as follows: advertises "My drums cannot be beat." lord lieutenant of Ireland, he inspected Delineator Publishing Co. of Toronto

A new married couple in Syracuse, ver hanner," was the reply. who had just arrived from their honey- Spenser futher asked, "What part of paper to the effect that they would be perary was the answer. - Housel "at home" on the following Thursday. Words. their surprise no one called. The fatal change of a single letter made the uotice read, "Mr. and Mrs. H., of--the right to extort from that these are the nost serviceable for street will be at Rome on Thursday

Canada First.

ondon correspondent says :- The Times | man is mercifu' to his beast !" returns this morning to the subject of Anglo-American negotiations in a good- rode past just as furiously, and the tempered, almost optimistic, article, but worthy old wife cried: confesses that the functions of the British Government are advisory, and him, puir man! His heart's in his wark visit the Dublin Horse Show next Augthat Canadian interests must be dealt an, he's eager to be at it."-People's ust. memorial tablets and windows being with primarily and Imperial interests Friend. secondarily. The obvious meaning is that Washington must settle old scores with Ottawa rather than with London. In other portions of the empire the British Foreign Office exercises supreme influence and retains complete direction | color of Frances Day's painting, of diplomatic questions, but Canada is Golf Girl." Ian McLearn contributes the spoiled child of the family, and must | a characteristic article, entitled "An exhave first place, on the plea that she pert in Heresy." A new and Powerful knows her own interests and that the serial, by Henry Cleveland Wood, Government cannot fully commenced in this number. Sir Walter understand them; yet Mr. Chamberlain Besant's delightful historical novel, is generally wide awake, and thinks he "The Orange Girl," is continued. knows what is going on in every corner "Warm Weather Costumes" and of the empire, and is always ready to Seasonable Shirt Waist with many illustratations, fill the interesting fashion

> ner's Sons, Publishers, Ledger Building It is said that Queen Victoria has been New York. so appalled by the terrible fires, attended by so much loss of life, that have recently taken place in this country, that she has just had a most elaborate exwell was wiped out by fire on Friday amination made by experts of her various palaces, with regard to the destroyed, and the loss is about \$50,000. danger to which they are exposed. The It is asserted in Paris that Great reports which have been furnished have Britain is securing the assent of France greatly disturbed her peace of mind. and Germany preparatory to taking a For they have gone to show that while strong attitude with President Kruger. at Windsor the castle would be dependent on the town fire brigade, at Balmoral and at Osborne there is absolutely no Use the "Quickmeal" protection whatsoever, and no fire appliances of any kind in the interior or neighborhood of the buildings. At Balmeral there are only three small and obsolete chemical canisters, utterly use-

Victoria's Fire Protection.

destruction.-New Orleans Picayune.

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Mrs. Sheriff Clements and Mrs. Lavery are the only parties using this stove in town. foundering horses by allowing them to drink unrestrainedly after being warmed Flame Oil Stove—round and flat burners, only by working or fast driving. The danger | 60c. and upwards. is greatest when the water is coolest. is the sudden chill of cold water on a Big Bargains in BIOYOLE and Ladders heated stomach that does the mischief. Water in the spring is chilled from melted ice long after the air has been warmed above the freezing point. All through the summer and quite late in the fall water is colder than air. If the water is warmed up to near the temperature of the animal it may be drank without in-. Horses at work have little time at noon to cool off, and will eat better after a drink of water warmed enough to take the chill off. This can be given without danger of injury if made warm enough. JOHN T. MOORE, one door west of to

County of Halton Local Courts Calendar for 1899.

Place of Sitting General Sessions of the Peace and County Court Sittings, with or without Jury, 13th June and 12th Decem-

ber—on opening day at 1 p.m.

County Court Sittings, without Jury, 4th April and 3rd October.

County Court Sittings, formerly Terms, 9th January, 3rd April, 3rd July and 2nd October.

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Audit of Criminal Justice Accounts, 3rd January, 3rd April, 3rd July and 3rd October.

The Judge will hold Chambers on Mondays and Thursdays of each week at 11 a.m., on one of which days

By Order, T. G. MATHESON, Clerk of the Peace.

Humor in a Scotch Jail.

cently appointed in a certain town. He was a man who greatly magnified his first round of his inspection, he "Well, sir, do you know who I am?"

"No, nor I dinna care," was the curt Metcalfe was found there about five reply Well, I am your new prison chapwho was passing and was attracted by lain

red all the assistance in his power to better of his dignity.

The Ways of Nature. A story is told of an attempt to intro-

rats which ate the plantations. having performed this duty it multiplied very rapidly and proceeded to kill all the snakes and lizards as well. attacked the birds (learning to climb whole continent of our globe, twice trees in the process), until the poultry as large as the European continent, hav- and wild birds disappeared. Then arose not had the slightest symptom of the ing 8,000,000 square miles and 80,000,000 the "ticks" chigoes, which the birds used trouble, which I regard as the very best inhabitants-North America-is divided to keep down, and the island groaned into three political dominions, Canada, under a fresh plague. The ticks, how-Dr. Williams's Pink Pills are a specific the United States and Mexico. As none ever, finally attacked the mongoose, for all diseases arising from an impover- of these countries covets the territory of which began to decline; the birds began ished condition of the blood or a shatter- the other, there are on this vast contin- to reappear, and attacked the ticks ed condition of the nervous forces, such ent only 114.453 soldiers and marines, snakes and lizards were seen once more, as St. Vitus' dance, locomotor ataxia, one military man for 700 inhabitants, and in the end the cane plantations were

> Pastry as Wholesome as Toast. Boston Transcript: People will eat

ot buttered toast and will give it to children and invalids, who will tell that they are quite careful about diet, | called the early summer number and and never think of touching pastry. The | combines an immense amount of authordifference between the two articles is as litative applicable advice as to what follows: Pastry is flour and water baked | newest and most beautiful in the world after butter has been is rubbed into it. of Fashion-including special illustrat-Buttered toast is flour and water baked lions in Bridal Costumes-with a profirst, and then rubbed thoroughly with fusion of sparkling Literary features, butter. The difference between pastry Socil Household and Departmental hints and well buttered toast is apparently and suggestions and Fancy Work detail the difference between the proverbial The following are some of its contents, A "tweedledum and tweedledee." I only Box of Oranges, by Anna Robeson comparatively simple and indulge in Great Scourges of Humanity. The De-

Equal to the Occasion.

to see if he could find fault with any- Travelling Outfit by Clare Bunce, is a ooo were saved every year from military of an officer who was noted for his wit. scriptions of Commencement Days in expenses and poured inte industrial He had nearly finished his inspection, Colege News, by Carolyn Halsted are enterprises they would produce benefits when he noticed a cobweb in one of the filled with a delightful college atmo beyond our power to estimate. - Popular | corners, and thought to himself, "Now I | sphere Girls Interests and Occupations. "Wat does this mean?" asked the Of a more distinct Domestic character

are the articles, A Talk to Mothers, by The young officer coolly replied: "We always keep one in case a ma Novelties, by Amelia Sulzbacher. cuts his finger." broideries, by Emma Haywood; Social

A True Highlander.

The local or national titles attributed ing. Knitting, The Latest Book, etc. to British regiments are not much guide yield a rich grist of indispensable in A Philadelphia Shoemaker's ad. in to their actual composition. This was formation. The Delineator may "Ladies | illustrated the other day by a speaker in | ordered through the newsdealer or the the house of commons in the following local Butterick Pattern Agency or may current rates. A Dublin musical instrument maker anecdote: When Lord Spencer was be obtained direct by addressing The A Brooklyn real estate dealer hung the Scots Grays in the Phœuix park. (Limited) 33 Richmon Street Toronto out a card bearing the unattractive in- He stopped before the tallest man in the Ont. The Subscription Price of the formation: "House to let in an un- regiment and said, "My good man what, Delineator is 100 a year, Single copies, nationality do you belong to?". "Scotch, 15 cts. each. ordered a notice in the local Scotland do you come form?" "Tip-

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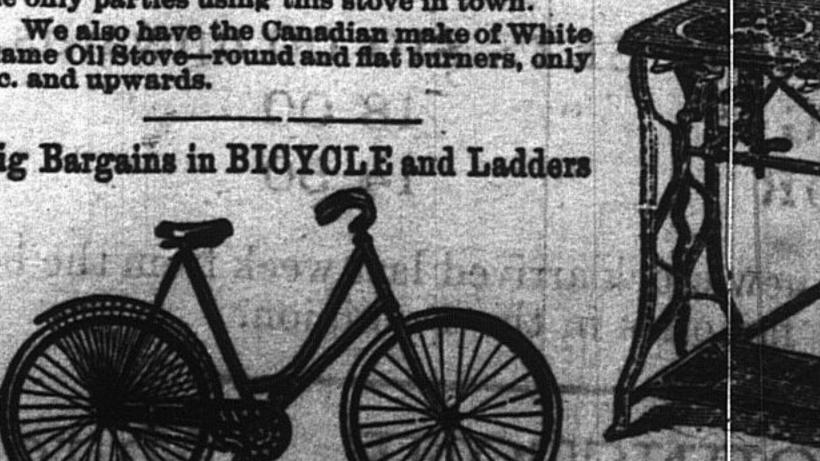
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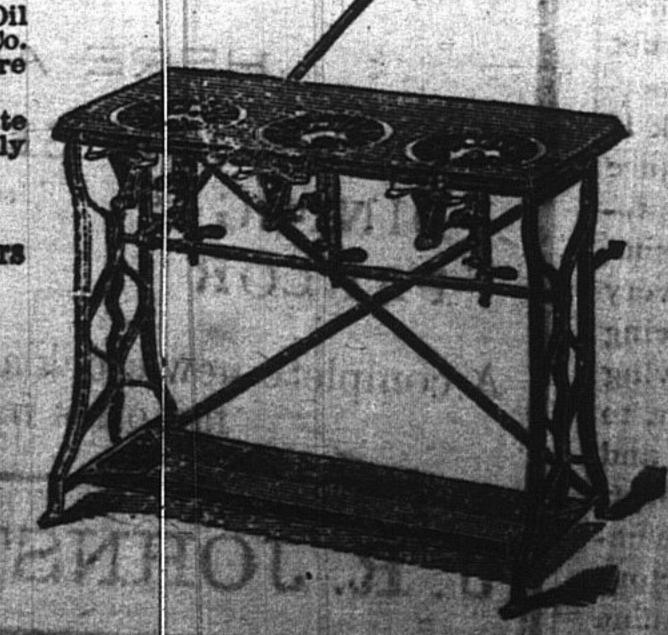
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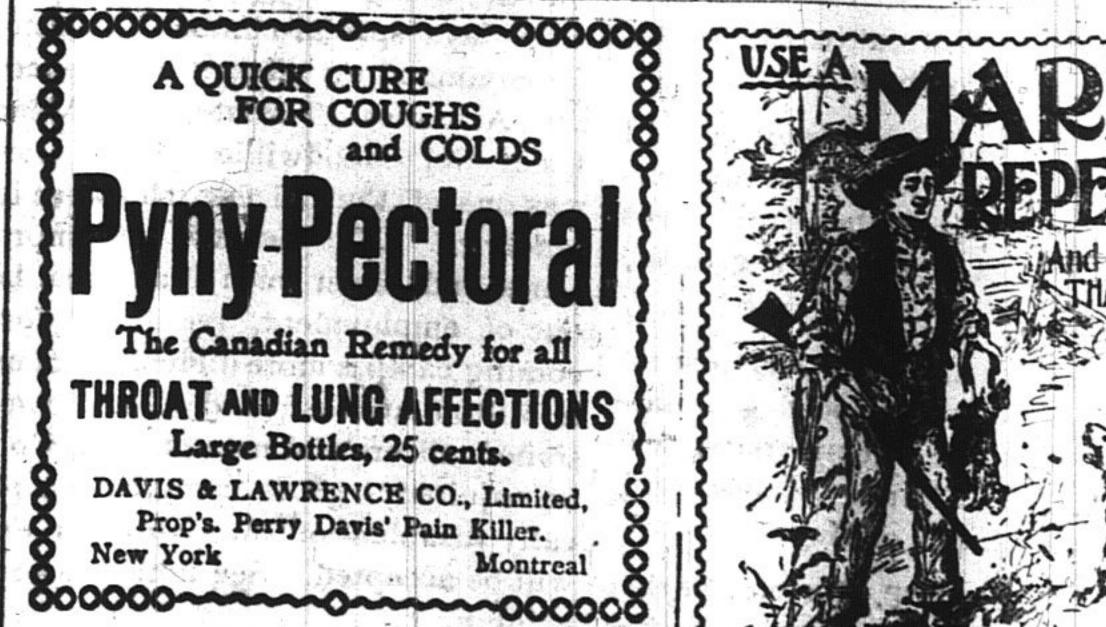
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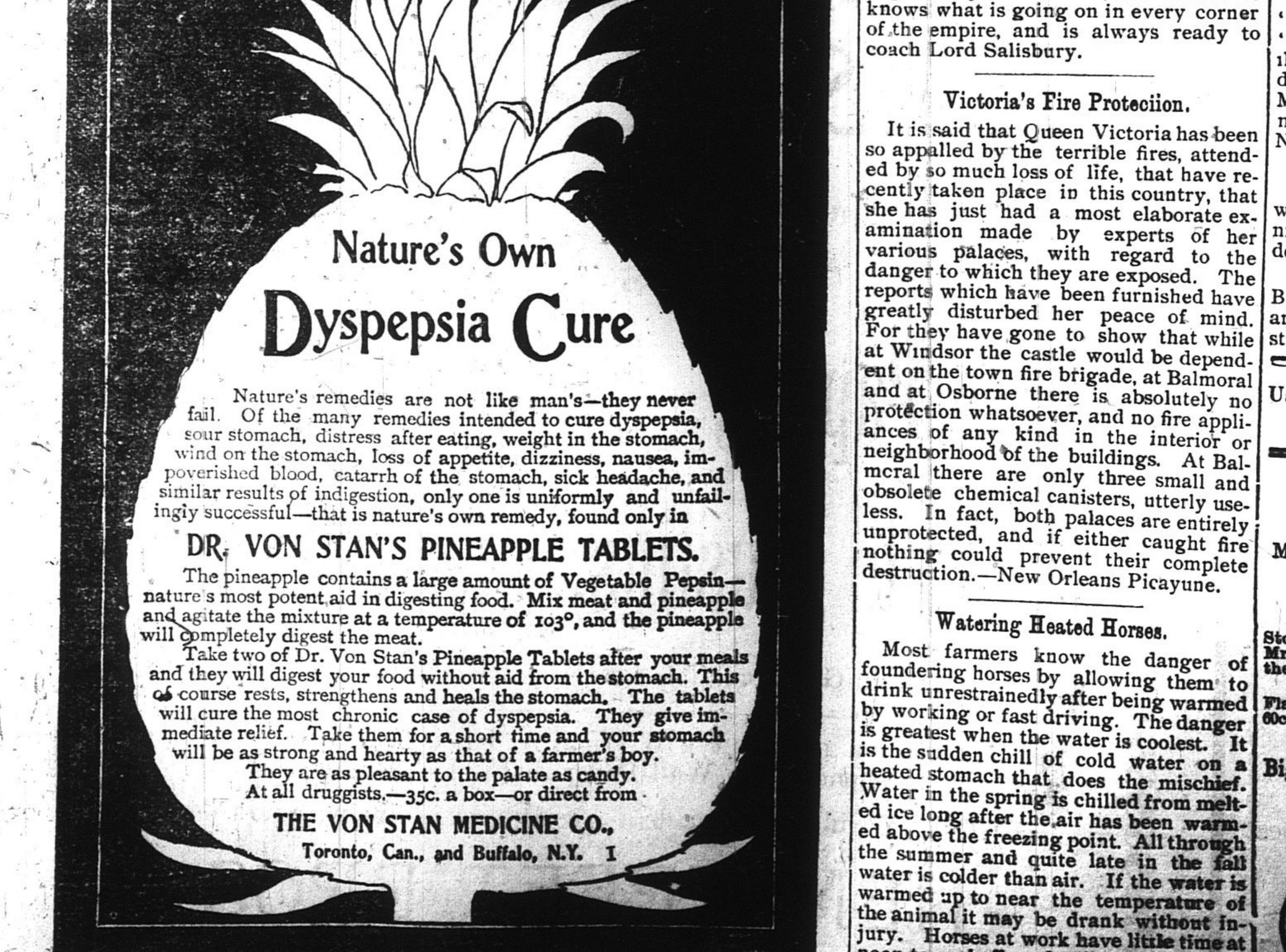
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