



Fifty Years Ago.

Who could imagine that this should be the place where, in the year 1843, three white world-wonder of arch and dome should shadow the nations, polychrome... Here at the Fair was the prize conferred on Ayer's Pills, by the world preferred. Chicago-like, they a record show, since they started—50 years ago.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills

have, from the time of their preparation, been a continuous success with the public. And that means that Ayer's Pills accomplish what is promised for them; they cure where others fail. It was fitting, therefore, that the world-wide popularity of these pills should be recognized by the World's Fair medal of 1893—a fact which emphasizes the record: 50 Years of Cures.

THRILLING RESCUE

A YOUNG LIFE SAVED IN A REMARKABLE MANNER.

Florence Sturdivant, of Grindstone Island, Saved from an Untimely Death—Her Parents saw Her Dangerous Precipitation, but were Helpless to Aid Her—How She was Rescued.

Among the Thousand Islands is one called Grindstone. It is seven miles long and three wide. The inhabitants of this island are a well-informed class of people who devote their energies to farming and quarrying for a livelihood. In the home of one of these islanders resides Florence J. Sturdivant, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sturdivant. In February, 1896, she was taken with scarlet fever, and after the usual run of fever she was left with a weak back and gradually began to lose strength, until finally despite the best efforts of physicians her life hung in the balance. It was at this crisis, when all seemed darkest, that an angel of health appeared on the scene and released little Florence from pain and suffering and restored her to strength and health. This remarkable occurrence is best told in the words of the father.



FLORENCE J. STURDIVANT.

Mr Sturdivant said: "Florence was taken sick with scarlet fever and we immediately called a physician. He prescribed for her and we followed his directions closely, giving our little patient the best of care. After two weeks the fever subsided, but Florence was left with a very weak back. Seven months were constantly in the back and stomach. We did all that possibly could be done to relieve our little sufferer, but to no avail. The difficulty seemed to baffle the efforts of the physician.

Finally at the end of four months of treatment, we found our patient completely prostrated. At this time we called another physician, who agreed with the diagnosis of our own doctor, and said that the trouble resulted from the scarlet fever. He prescribed a course of treatment and we followed it faithfully for three months, but instead of improving, Florence failed.

Mrs Sturdivant and myself were completely discouraged. A brother of my wife, who was visiting us, advised us to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and I purchased a box of the pills and began to give them to Florence. This was in October, 1896. After using the pills a short time we could see an improvement. Her strength began to return and she would sit up in bed. Her appetite was restored and she ate heartily. We also noticed a gradual brightness in her eyes.

"We eagerly purchased a further supply of pills and watched with delight the change for the better that was being wrought daily. From sitting up in bed at times during the day and at times standing on her feet, Florence finally became strong enough to walk a little. She gained in flesh and strength rapidly and the pains gradually left her. In a month's time she had recovered her health and strength.

"We cannot praise too highly the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am positive that without their use our child would have been today in the same sad condition of her early sickness—a confirmed invalid—if indeed she had had the strength to withstand so long the ill effects of her affliction. (Signed) WILLIAM H. STURDIVANT, Subj. 13 and 14 sworn to before me this 1st of April, 1897. H. V. Jones, Notary Public.

KINSALE. Divine service was conducted here at 7 o'clock in the evening by Rev. Mr. O'Clare. His discourses from Sabbath to Sabbath are of the most interesting character, being exceedingly practical and applicable to all. The church was comfortably filled. Could we so order things as to have a regular preaching service here we could command a full house unless at times of bad weather. Next Saturday night is set apart for the organization of a brand new choir, the pastor urging from the sacred desk all those who had been invited to assist in this enterprise to put in their appearance tomorrow (Saturday) evening in the evening at 7.30. As Mr O'Clare has had a good deal of trouble and anxiety over the production of a choir, we hope his desire may be accomplished. Let any little differences between one and another that seemingly is allowed to exist, our advice would be to cast these imaginations away and join hand and heart in doing what little can be done in rendering service of song for the church and the advancement of its best interests.

Owing to the continued dry weather many are drawing creek water to do the usual washing duties with. We would graciously render our sincere thanks to the weather clerk should he so arrange matters as to forward us as soon as possible a few gentle showers. Everything seems to be in dire need of a little moisture but it is more prudent to wait and murmur not against the power that be and a bountiful supply will arrive in its own good time.

We learned with much regret that a few boys went down to a neighbors melon patch with the intent to not "ask and receive," but to receive without the asking. This privilege the owner was quite unwilling to grant and the boys departed homeward with mouths watering for the luscious fruit. We since heard a little conversation that took place between these same parties on the great sin of enjoying a feed of your neighbors melons without his wishes being consulted, and we regret very much that the older man of the party said very harsh things to the boys, threatening shooting etc. Now had this gentleman known the boys had as well as we do he would not have forgotten to be more gentlemanly toward them and the result would have been far more desirable. Our boys are like many other boys, apt to err a little perhaps once and awhile, but on the whole they are a thoughtful lot of young men and would not stoop to low mean acts but of course if men will chase them publicly and accuse them of theft, and threaten, etc., it sometimes has the opposite effect to the one desired. We regret this little episode took place, but if we had a melon patch we would willingly give the boys a share and we would not be afraid to leave the remaining share where it grew. When people are doubtful of young men's honesty and make expressions toward them of the most displeasing nature they need scarcely be disappointed if some evening these same boys make a raid on the famed spots in the neighbors plantation. We do not uphold wrong acts committed by any one, either do we say this action of the boys was one to be appreciated. But we have yet to learn that our boys are worse or nearly so addicted to habits of this kind, as many boys in other localities. We trust that all concerned in this matter will shoulder their share of the blame and be better friends in the future. If you want to do anyone good, first gain their confidence and then distribute your advice.

Mr Youmans and wife from the Northwest Territories is visiting his brother in law, Mr R R Mowbray. It is 17 years since he taught our public school here. Since, he has been teaching the Indians in the far west. He has spent a busy life among the uncivilized westerners, but looks hearty and expresses no regrets for his past experience.

Mr A Bowman, of Port Perry, visited at Mr Chas Mackeys on Sabbath. Miss Florence Mackey, accompanied by her aunt, is visiting friends in Orillia. Mr Jno Lawtons driving mare has entirely recovered of her recent illness. Mrs Jno. Lewis is getting considerably better, we are pleased to say.

Anderson Bros. completed their work at C J Stevens and fixed the stone wall under the church, which has been considered somewhat dangerous for some time.

The new officers of the Sons of Temperance: W.P., Harry Hyland; W.A., Lottie McDonald; R.S., Bert Bruce; A.R.S., Minnie Beacock; N.S., Nelson Marlow; Treas., Fred. Hyland; Chap., Frank Joblin; Con., Harry Kelley; A. Con., Mrs McNally; I.S., Norman Taylor; O.S., Jas. Stewart; Organist, Virgie Hooley; P.W.P., Joe Ferguson; S.Y.W., Lizzie Parkes.

DR. CHASE'S Catarrh Cure



CURES CATARRH, HAY FEVER, ROSE FEVER, AND ALL HEAD COLDS... GIVE ONE SLOW WITH THE BLOWER AND THE POWDER IS DIFFUSED, MAKING A SURE AND PERMANENT CURE... PRICE WITH BLOWER 25 CENTS

What makes Bumpy so down on the distance telephone? He called up a man in Toledo that owes him \$2.50 and they wrangled till it cost Bumpy \$13. I don't know what's going to become of that boy of mine. He was never known to get anything right. Make a weather prophet of him. Why do you think him such a fool? He wanted to marry him, and of course I used the first time, and he didn't have sense enough to ask me.

How to Feed Poultry Rations.

Of almost as much importance as the foods is a knowledge of the proper way to feed them. To over feed is actually worse than the opposite treatment. But with proper knowledge and thorough appreciation of that which is being aimed at, the two extremes will be avoided. It is in the medium course that success lies. The beginner is tempted to give more food to his hens which are beginning to lay well, under the impression that he will get better results in so doing. The experienced poultryman will tell you that to avoid over feeding is one of the hardest rules to observe. It is the cause of much of the ills that poultry suffer. More, it is fatal when practised for any length of time. To further stimulate the hens that are doing their best is to thrash him go quicker. The twin factor in judicious feeding is exercise. The three great factors in the winter production of eggs are cut bone (or meat), green stuff and exercise. Cut bone should be fed in quantity of one pound to every 16 hens, or one ounce to each hen. Feed three times per week or once daily if hens are laying well.

Green stuff.—Cabbages can be hung from the ceiling to within 2 1/2 feet of the floor. Feed mangels, carrots, turnips, etc raw or boil the latter and mix with ground grains into a stiff mash. Clover hay should be cut into quarter inch lengths and steamed by placing in a pail and pouring boiling water over it the night before it is wanted for use. Cover the pail after pouring in the boiling water. So steamed it may be fed alone or mixed in with mash. Lawn clippings may be similarly treated.

Exercise.—Use all ingenuity to keep the layers in exercise from morning till they go to roost. Throw all grain feed into litter, composed of chaff, straw out hay, cut hulls, dry leaves, etc., which should be on the floor to the depth of 4, 5 or 6 inches.

DIZZINESS

is only one of the danger signals that nature uses to tell us that our kidneys are not acting right, and that we are in danger of Bright's Disease and other kidney troubles. When the kidneys are not doing their duty the poison which should be filtered out of the blood through the urine remains in the system, and disease results. This condition can be

CURED

I tried your Sparagus Kidney Pills and found them to be just what you stated, and I feel very much relieved by them. Before taking them the dizziness in my head was something terrible. I could not sleep day or night. Now I sleep, and I thank you that I found something to relieve me. MRS CARRIE M. SHONE, 88 Elm St., Bangor, Me.

HOBBS Sparagus Kidney Pills.

HOBBS REMEDY CO., PROPRIETORS, CHICAGO. Dr. Hobbs Pills For Sale in WHITBY, ONT., by A. H. ALLIN, Chemist and Druggist.

Blackstock

Geo Fish has returned to Toronto medical college.

Grain is not turning out quite so well as was expected; potatoes are not nearly so good as last season, and in some localities are rotting considerably.

We were much effected Saturday to see by the daily papers that the Rev. R. L. Edwards was instantly killed at Huntingdon while driving with his wife. He was three years here and left only two years ago.

Our respected citizen, Mr Arthur B Cryderman, was married recently to Miss Spinks, a daughter of Mr Henry Spinks, an old resident of Cartwright, but who many years ago moved near Harrison, where he still resides.

Recent visitors: Miss A Cryderman, Bowmanville, and Miss Johnston, of Lindsay, at Mr A B Crydermans; Mrs Holmes and daughter, of Manvers, at Mr W J Holmes; Mr A Holmes, wife and daughter, at Mr Jas Holmes.

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Funny Things.

Laura.—From the way these two are always together I guess its an engagement.

Nonic.—No, I think merely an attachment, for you know she has a tandem wheel and needs a patent attachment for the rear seat.

There's no doubt about it," said Gobang; I may have doubted it once, but these biscuits prove it.

Prove what? demanded his wife.

That men cannot live by bread alone.

Talking of rich strikes, said Prof. Bob Fitzsimmons, after a casual glance at his bank account, I still think that one right over the solar plexus is about as good as any.

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DERBY Cigarettes 5 Cts. Per Package.

THE SLATER SHOE "Beau-ideal" Shape "The Slater Shoe."

M. W. COLLINS, SOLE AGENT FOR WHITBY.

TREASURER'S SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

BY virtue of a warrant under the hand of the Warden and the seal of the corporation of the County of Ontario, dated the 15th day of Sept., 1897, commanding me to levy upon the lands mentioned in the following list for arrears of taxes and costs, as herein set forth, I hereby give notice that unless such arrears and costs are sooner paid, I shall, in compliance with the Assessment Act, proceed to sell by Public Auction, the said lands, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the taxes, at the Court House, in the Town of Whitby, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th day of DEC., A. D., 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon

Table with columns: Lot, Con., Acres, Taxes, Costs, Amt. Pld. or Upd. Includes Townships of Rama, Mara, Reach, Brock, Thorah, Uxbridge, and Beaverton.

County Treasurer's Office, Court House, Whitby, Sept. 15, 1897. D. McKAY, Treasurer Co. Ont.

Young Lamont's Case. DUNDAS, Ont. 4.—High Lamont, of Mr. Lamont, has a young son who is an object of interest throughout this whole section of country. From infancy the boy had dropsy, and was bloated and swollen all over. It was the parents that death could be the result, unless one attached to young by the name of Dodds, heard of Dodds Kidney Pills and began giving them to the child. With the first box the bloating and swelling began to disappear. Six boxes effected a perfect cure and the boy is now just as healthy a youngster as there is on the high roads of Western Ontario. Mrs Bickers.—Is my hat on straight? Mr Bickers.—It is on as straight as could be expected. What do you mean by that? Well, you can't expect your hat to be on perfectly straight because you have a level head.

WM. CALVERLEY, HARNESS MAKER, WHITBY. Having moved into our new premises, we are prepared to extend the range of business. All work pertaining to the harness-making and saddlery business will be done to satisfaction. Callers a specialty. Call and see my shop and stock. W. CALVERLEY, Second door west of old shop, Dundas Street, Whitby.

Railway Time Table GRAND TRUNK AND MIDLAND TRAINS GOING WESTWARD. No. 9, Express Daily Mail 5:50 a.m. No. 7, Local except Sunday 8:50 a.m. No. 18, Passenger 2:38 p.m. No. 1, Express, Mail daily 6:50 p.m.

DOMINION BANK. Capital Paid up, \$1,500,000 Surplus, \$1,500,000

Whitby Agency. General Banking Business Transacted. SAVINGS DEPARTMENT. Interest allowed at highest current rates. Notice of withdrawal required. E. J. THORNTON, Manager

FAIRBANK'S Real Estate Column.

Small Frame House and Lot, corner of John and Byron streets, Whitby. Will be sold very cheap.

ROUGH CAST HOUSE—On Ash street, north ward, will be sold cheap.

Cheap. A fine two story brick house, with brick stables. Situated on Byron st., Whitby, the finest residential street in the town, within three minutes walk of the post office. There are three lots of land with an entrance on two streets. House in perfect repair. For particulars apply to L. FAIRBANKS, Real Estate Agent, Whitby, Ont.

JNO. NOBLE, DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF Lumber, Shingles, Sash, Doors and Blinds. Turning and Fret-Sawing.

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C. H. RIGGS, DENTIST. Cor. King & Yonge St. Toronto.

For the next three months I am giving special attention to patients from a distance. Am still making plates in rubber, \$8, celluloid \$10. Gold and silver filling work crowning by first-class operators at the most reasonable rates in the city. When in the city call in and let me examine your teeth. I make no extra charge. C. H. RIGGS, Dentist, south east corner King and Yonge Sts., Toronto. Nov. 8th, 1893.

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Sold by A H Allin, Druggist, Whitby.

DON'T DESPAIR DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS WILL CURE YOU