



Fifty Years Ago.
President Folk in the White House chair, while in Lowell was Doctor Ayer; both were busy for human weal. One to govern and one to heal. And, as a president's power of will sometimes depends on a liver-pill, Mr. Folk took Ayer's Pills to try for his liver. 50 years ago.

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50 Years of Cures.

CORRESPONDENCE

LINDSAY

A brakeman injured.
While the crew of the Lindsay and Midland way freight were doing some shunting in the yard at Midland, Tuesday morning Henry Zeland, of this town unfortunately had his right hand caught in making a coupling, receiving injuries which made it necessary for a doctor to amputate two fingers. His accident will likely keep him from duty for six or eight weeks.

Back from Nipissing district.

Mr. James Dickson, P.L.S. of Fenlon Falls, returned Tuesday from a month's arduous trip in the Nipissing district. He entered by way of Georgian bay, where he picked up a crew and three helpers and emerged into civilization by way of Markstay. C.P.R. He says the trip was more than usually fatiguing owing to the weather being exceptionally severe. In coming out they found it necessary to make a deep bay on Lake Nipissing, and found it a most difficult task to break a passage for their boat through the ice which was not sufficient strong enough to bear their weight; they were obliged to persevere, however, owing to the shortage of provisions, and finally succeeded in forcing their way. Mr. Dickson states that at various points on their route moose were met with, and to be increasing rapidly in numbers as a result of the law prohibiting their destruction except in the case of settlers and Indians short of food. One morning while standing knee deep in the snow adjusting one of his instruments a herd of seven, led by a magnificent bull, passed within less than 50 yards on their way to a "yard" in the woods close by, the trail to which resembled that made by a large number of cattle.

A mighty hunter.

Mr. John W. Middleton, of South Verulam, was in town last week with 4 Canadian lynx pelts, which he disposed of to one of our fur buyers. He was somewhat disappointed when told that he was not entitled to a county bounty, as he had been led to believe. The animals were shot by Frank Freeman on his farm on the Galway road, about five miles from Boboyeague, and his story of the killing is somewhat interesting. While on his way home from a visit to a neighbor his dog started the parents and three young ones in a thicket about one hundred yards ahead, and soon after they left the cover and made for a large tree standing in the open, up which they quickly scrambled, Freeman had his gun—a rifle bored to serve as a shotgun—but had only one charge of ammunition, and taking careful aim at a distance of about 50 yards he had the satisfaction of seeing one of the five "varmints" fall to the ground, where it was worried by the dog. The fight excited the remaining animals to a high pitch, and two of them descended the tree, but the dog left the fallen one and they raced up the trunk again. Freeman was now out of ammunition; he wanted the skins, but was afraid that if he returned to the house his dog would be torn to pieces in his absence, as he could not be coaxed away from the tree. At last a lucky thought struck the despairing hunter—he recollected that he had in his pocket the lead handle of a butcher-knife, and this he speedily converted into irregular shaped but deadly slugs for his gun. In the course of the next ten minutes three more of the five furs were wiped out, only the mother being left. Raged by the death of her young, she leaped upon the dog from an overhanging branch, and after cutting him up badly, escaped into the forest.—Post.

BRUCEHAM

Robert Place and wife, of Michigan, are here visiting with John Toole and family, as well as other friends.

Mr. Coulthart is in Newmarket and vicinity spending a short time with his mother and other friends.

Mr. Conner has resumed his duties as teacher again, having almost entirely recovered from his recent severe cold.

Mr. McGregor, of Toronto, is with his daughter, Mrs. B. S. Phillips. Mrs. McGregor has much improved in health of late.

Stanley Gerow is in the city this week having his impression taken with the other members of the Intermediate Riverides football team.

ORILLIA

As predicted by the News Letter last week, also Gaudaur has declined to accept James Whays challenge to row in England for £200. Jake says his expenses alone would be £100, and he will accept if this amount is guaranteed him for that purpose. The champion says that he will be frequently challenged by ambitious oarsmen who hope to find him off color some time and thus defeat him. "I will fool them for five or six years yet," he said, "as I am always in good condition and will not take long to get into racing shape. Anyone who thinks he can catch me napping had better take a nap first himself."—News Letter.

Mr. William Lloyd has received a letter from his son, Mr. W. R. Lloyd, at Dawson City in the Klondike. It is dated September 16th, and reached here last week. Mr. Lloyd has kindly permitted us to make an extract from it:—"This is a great camp. There is great excitement here. There are coming in from all parts of the world, and it is feared that hundreds will starve and perish on their way. There are from four to five thousand over the summit and lots that will not get there this year, as they will have to build houses wherever the winter overtakes them. Many of them have very little to eat with them. It is also feared that the boats will not get up the river this fall, as it is now late and freezing. There is three inches of ice in the small pools already. If the boats don't get here there will be hundreds without provisions. It is feared that there will be starvation all over the Yukon. This country is getting into a bad state. There have been two cases of shooting already. Both men died. It was for stealing. Several have been drowned coming down the river. It is reported that a large glacier got loose on the way to the summit, and killed a number of people. We have not got particulars; some say forty, some less. The present state of affairs is nothing to what it will be next year, as boats cannot be built to supply the people that are coming. Tell anyone that thinks of coming here to start early in the spring, and not take less than one year's provisions. It now costs \$40 and \$50 a hundred to get them 'packed' over the summit, where it only cost \$10 before. I have nothing more to say, unless it is that I do not advise anyone to come in here."—Packet.

PICKERING

R. J. Dillingham went to Toronto on Wednesday, where he will have his eyes further examined and treated by an eye specialist. We all deeply regret that Robert has such trouble of late with his sight.

Norman Ham, who has been in Manitoba for the past few years, has written his friends that he has taken up a section of land and has already built a house and other buildings thereon. Another piece of information that will be highly congenial to the pleasure of his friends, is that he was married on Wednesday of last week. We extend to Mr. and Mrs. Ham, whose present address is Sydney, Man., the congratulations of all friends in Pickering and vicinity.

J. A. Hiltz was suddenly called to New-castle on Wednesday to conduct the funeral of his niece, Mary, the three year old daughter of John Gibson.

A few days ago the little one got some matches and succeeded in igniting them. Before assistance arrived her clothes caught fire and she was severely burned. All that could be done to relieve her, but to no avail and on Wednesday she succumbed to her injuries. Much sympathy is felt here for her parents, both of whom are well known.

Although it is scarcely more than two weeks until the 27th of December, the date appointed by statute for holding municipal nominations, we hear of very little rumor in this township as to a contest.

That the present members of the council will all seek re-election, we feel assured, unless it be First-Deputy James Richards, and it would be a source of much gratification to his host of friends if he be robust enough to go before the electors for another term. While there does not yet appear the faintest sign upon the horizon, of a hot contest, that may be ominous of much, and even if each of the present members signify their intention of standing, a contest with perhaps a fall ticket is a probability.—News.

CANNINGTON

Notes.
Sleighing is good.
Our brass band has collapsed.
The tax collector is on his round.
Our Sunday schools are making arrangements for their Christmas concerts.

The Parisian laundry, Toronto, has renewed their prices one half to try and run our Celestial laundry out. A number of our citizens are standing by Gaw Sam, and believe in patronising home industry.

Orphan.
No less than three of Cannington's fairest daughters are to be married about Christmas and New Years. Mum is the word at present.

Anniversary.
The anniversary service of the new Methodist church will (D. Y.) be held on Sunday and Monday, Dec 19th and 20th. On Sunday services will be preached by Rev. E. Roberts, chairman of the Lindsay district; there will be a special collection in aid of the church fund. On Monday the ladies of the congregation will give a bowl supper in the basement of the church, after which the Rev. E. Roberts will give his celebrated lecture, "A trip to England." Music by choir and others. Tea and lecture only 25c.

KINSALE

(Too late for last issue.)
A couple of young ladies called on the adherents of the church soliciting contributions in aid of the bible society. As the work of this society is a noble and godly cause, no doubt they met with hearty co-operation.

Miss May Tripp is visiting friends at Seagrave.

Sidney Crawford, after spending this season with C. J. Stevenson, returned to his home and is now preparing to emigrate to Wabigoon. Miss Jennie Richarson who also resided at the same place for over three years has severed her connection and will keep house for brother John of Essex we are informed.

Mr. Edward Ledgett to the east has lately purchased a new d-iver and exercised the same on Sabbath evening by driving over to divine service.

Mr. Walter Rogers visited the Queen city in company with Mr. John Todd. Markets are reported pretty good here better than a few weeks ago.

Messrs Walter Dennis, Lewis Rogers, William, Dan and John Disney of Mount Zion are engaged with Arthur Johnston to cut and pile about 150 cords of stove wood they are housekeeping in one of Mr. Johnston's houses near by.

Mr. J. H. Salton has of late been grinding grain for some of the farmers. He makes an excellent job of it we understand.

Piles Cured by Dr. Chase.
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At the annual meeting of the W.F.M.S. of the presby. church held on Thursday following officers were elected for 1895: President, Mrs. R. Somerville; 1st vice pres, Mrs. J. Leask; 2nd vice pres, Mrs. J. Allan; secretary, Miss Maggie McMillan; treasurer, Mrs. John Stone; Organist, Mrs. W. H. Leask.

The controversy on the question of baptism goes on as brisk as ever, in season and out of season the well worn and time honored arguments are used by both parties and if the people in this locality do not know all there is about baptism, it is their own fault. The last two Sundays Mr. Cameron has preached to large congregations on the subject and it will take two or three discourses yet to wind up the question, but he has decided to defer the remaining until the new year. At the Baptist service on Sunday afternoon last Mr. Joseph Watson occupied the greater part of the time in giving a reason for the faith that is now in him and the why and wherefore of the change. At the church of England the pastor, Mr. Reid, lectured on the subject the last two Tuesday evenings dealing almost entirely with infant baptism. The attend-ance, especially toward the last meeting, was large, the building being packed to its utmost. From a pedo-baptist standpoint Mr. Reid made several splendid points. He will deal with the mode of baptism next Tuesday evening. The The Uxbridge Journal has for several weeks been publishing a number of columns each issue by correspondents who take the anti-baptist view. And so the fight goes on.

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The Commission Merchant.

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