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Mrs. F. Miner, of 311 Suffolk Street, Guelph, Ont., says: "A year since, while living in Oshawa, Ont., my little daughter Lorinda, six years of age contracted a skin disease on the upper part of her body. This first broke out like tiny water blisters, afterwards taking the form of dry scabs. These would disappear for a short time and then reappear worse than ever. The clothes coming in contact with the skin set up such a severe irritation that it was impossible to keep her from scratching. We tried various preparations yet obtained no good results until we began using Zam-Buk. With each application the irritation ceased and soreness was greatly relieved, and the child rested easier. Tho' continued using, the eruptions and scabs fast disappeared and in a short space of time the skin was completely cleared from the disease. It is now some months since we used Zam-Buk, and as there are no signs of any more eruptions breaking out on her body, we believe Zam-Buk has worked a complete cure."

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LITTLE LORINDA MINER, GUELPH

BRIG-GEN. OTTER MAY TAKE COMMAND AT ALDERSHOT.

Great interest has been created in local military circles by the announcement that the militia department at Ottawa has received a despatch from the secretary of state for the colonies offering to Brigadier General Otter the command of the Fifth Infantry Brigade at Aldershot, England, beginning May 1.

Brigadier General Otter is at present in Ottawa, and it is not known for a certainty that he will accept, but military men in Toronto regard it as highly probable that he will go to England.

"It is most unusual for a colonial officer to be given the offer of such an appointment, and cannot be regarded as other than a very high compliment," said Lieut. Col. W. C. Macdonald last night, adding that he had no recollection of any such honor having been conferred in any previous instance.

It is the general belief among local military men that the proffered appointment, which is highly important as being one of the chief commands of the instructional army of Great Britain, is an evidence of a desire to foster in imperialist sentiment, and that Brigadier General Otter's valuable service in South Africa in command of the first Canadian contingent are borne in mind by the British Government.

It was an odd coincidence that the announcement should be made while former comrades should be celebrating the 8th anniversary of the battle of Paardeburg, when the Canadians so distinguished themselves in South Africa. Last night, at the veterans' smoking concert in celebration of that event, loud cheers greeted Surgeon-Col. Ryerson when he announced that General Otter was to be asked to take command at Aldershot. He personally hoped that he had taken it. The South African contingents had won the respect of the empire for the Canadian militia, and in going to Aldershot General Otter would be carrying on the good work.

Col. Greville Harston also expressed the wish that General Otter would accept the offer of a command at Aldershot. It would bring great credit on the Canadian militia.

The question of who will succeed him as commanding officer in the district of Western Ontario is a difficult one to answer, say those who are best informed. The theory is advanced that an officer in command of one of the other districts may be transferred.

Brigadier-General William Dillon Otter, C. B., was born in Toronto in 1848, and received his early education at the Model School, afterwards attending Upper Canada College. He served 22 years in the volunteer militia and saw active service during the Fenian raids of 1866 and 1870. He was married in 1865. In 1883 he entered the permanent militia, becoming commander of the Royal School of Infantry. He served in the Northwest Rebellion of 1885 in command of the Battleford column. In 1889 he was placed in command of the Royal Canadian Regiment, and served during that year and the year following, rendering very efficient service, his command particularly distinguishing itself in the brisk action at Paardeburg. He won the reputation of being a strict disciplinarian while in South Africa. In 1900 he had the title of Companion of the Bath conferred upon him, and on his return to Canada was placed in command of the military district of Western Ontario, and was made aide-de-camp to the governor-general.—Toronto Star.

"COLTON PIONEER" DEAD.

When J. D. Roberts entered his stable last Sunday morning he found that his fine imported stallion, "Colton Pioneer" had broken one of his fore legs. Dr. Seim was called in, but nothing could be done and the animal had to be shot. It seems he had got into the manger with the above result. We understand Mr. Roberts had \$1000 insurance on him.—Holstein Leader.

Cause of Stomach Troubles.

When a man has trouble with his stomach you may know that he is eating more than he should or of some article of food or drink not suited to his age or occupation, or that his bowels are habitually constipated. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to regulate the bowels and improve the digestion and see if the trouble does not disappear. Ask for a free sample. Sold at Parker's Drug Store.

OWEN SOUND'S 51ST. BIRTHDAY.

It is just 51 years this month since the town, which was just newly incorporated, procured the corporation seal which has been used on all its public documents since that time, and is now by report of the Finance Committee at last meeting, to be replaced by a new one. For years past it has been worn so that it made merely an indistinguishable mark, and few of our public men could tell what it was intended to represent. By the courtesy of Town Clerk Gordon, who looked up some of the old documents in his office for a good impression of the seal, we were shown by the by-law on which it was first used, which is dated 17th of February 1857, and entitled a by-law to adopt a seal for the municipality of Owen Sound. The description of the seal is as follows: Around the outer circle the words and figures: Town of Owen Sound, incorporated 1857 and within the said circle the figure of an Indian and a white man, the former standing with his back to a tree, the latter seated,—with a representation of a steamboat in water, and houses and shrubs in the background, and having on a scroll underneath the said representation the words, "Arboz virga fuit." This inscription in itself would seem to mean, Has been virgin forest, and coupled with the pictures would indicate the arrival of the white man in a harbor of safety, bringing with him the symbols of civilization, to dwell in peace with the red man who had hitherto been the only denizens of the place. The new seal is intended to be exactly similar to the old one and the Clerk will also procure a die for printing the seal on all corporation stationery.—Advertiser.

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HE NEEDED THE BOOZE.

A Belfountain man told a story the other day of an incident on the road. He was in the smoking car of an express train, when a man rushed in from a car behind the smoker, evidently in great agitation, and said: "Has anybody in this car got any whisky? A woman in the car behind has fainted." Instantly a dozen of flasks were produced. The man who had asked for it picked out the largest one, drew the cork, and put the bottle to his lips. With a long, satisfied sigh, he handed the flask back and remarked, "That did me a lot of good. I needed it, for it always did make me feel queer to see a woman faint away!"

Do Not Crowd the Season.

The first warm days of spring bring with them a desire to get out and enjoy the exhilarating air and sunshine. Children that have been housed up all winter are brought out and you wonder where they all came from. The heavy winter clothing is thrown aside and many shed their flannels. Then a cold wave comes and people say that grip is epidemic. Colds at this season are even more dangerous than in mid-winter, as there is much more danger of pneumonia. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, however, and you will have nothing to fear. It always cures, and we have never known a cold to result in pneumonia when it was used. It is pleasant and safe to take. Children like it. For sale at Parker's Drug Store.

Thinks Company did well

At the shareholders' meeting of Durham Cement Company, held in Toronto last week, a warm time was experienced, but the old directorate appear to have come out on top all along the line. It is said that the manager of this concern gets a salary of \$6000 and that another \$4000 was paid him last year for travelling and other expenses. If salaries like this are going the concern did well to pay a 5 per cent dividend last year.—Flesherton Advance.

AN EXCELLENT SHOWING.

A company that Hanover has every reason to feel proud of is the Grey and Bruce Mutual Fire Insurance Co., whose head office is here. For the past thirty years this company has been gradually working its way forward until now at the end of three decades it presents a showing very creditable to the gentlemen who have managed it and very gratifying to the policy holders in general. The annual meeting was held in Miller's hall on the 25th ult., at which all the officers and directors and a large number of the policy holders were present. A lively interest was manifested in the discussions. The number of policies issued during the past year was 748. Amount insured thereunder \$900,523. Total number of policies now in force 2513. Total amount of insurance now in force \$2,786,126. The balance on hand from last year was \$3662. Cash received during the year \$1,104. Paid for losses \$1535. Paid out for other expenses \$1732. There is now a balance on the right side of the ledger of \$5499. After a long discussion on the part of the directors and policy holders a resolution was passed that this company pay in full for the losses on all ordinary contents destroyed by fire or lightning. Messrs James Hunter, Walkerton; Robert Richardson, Brant; Adam Seigmiller, Carrick; Arch. McCuaig, Guelph; and John Picken, of Bentinck, were elected directors for three years to fill vacancies. At the meeting of the directors held immediately afterwards, Mr. Dan McDougall was re-elected president, Mr. Robt. Richardson vice president, and Mr. Duncan Campbell manager. The president, vice president and Messrs McCuaig, O'Neill and Seigmiller were elected an executive committee for the current year.—Post.

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ELECTRICITY LOOSE IN PYNES SANCTUM.

Running Around Promiscuously and Shocking the Minister's Visitors and Friends.

There is a haunted room at the Parliament Buildings, and it isn't haunted by any medieval ghost, either. In fact the spirit which moves within it is that modern thing known as electricity, and it makes its ghostly presence known night as well as day.

The manifestation takes place in Dr. Pynes's office. If it were in Adam Beck's, there would be less surprise. People who touch the fixtures hear a snappy sound and a little spark darts from finger to metal. But the strangest part of the performance occurs when people shake hands and get a shock in doing it. There is a new carpet on the floor of both inner and outer office, but there is no reason why this should be an exceptionally good conductor. It is supposed that there is a defective insulation somewhere. However, that may be, visitors to the Minister of Education should go prepared for a mild shock.—Star.

FATHER KELLY FOR MOUNT FOREST.

The late Rev. Dean O'Connell's successor as pastor of St. Mary's church, Mount Forest, is to be Rev. Father Kelly, of Walkerton, who performed the office of deacon at the late Rev. Dean's funeral service, according to the following which appeared in the Hamilton Spectator of Friday last:—

"The following changes and appointments in the diocese, to take effect on the 6th of March next, have been made by his Lordship Bishop Dowling: Rev. J. Kelly, transferred from Walkerton to Mount Forest; Rev. Dr. Walter, from Markdale to Walkerton; Rev. A. J. Savage, from Hamilton to Markdale; and Rev. A. J. Leyes, of Hamilton, to succeed Rev. A. J. Savage as diocesan secretary. Each of these appointments is a promotion, and it is expected that another priest will soon be added to the cathedral staff."—Representative.

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