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south's "Canada, Past, Present and as set forth in the following amusing Future," written in 1850:

Kingston and Niagara, and the grandpa go to bed?" French settlements on the banks of the Detroit, the Upper Province was one dense forest, in which a white man was never seen unless some adventurous trader who penetrated wooden leg." remembering all this, start from it is your other grandfather." him visit Cornwall, Prescott and grandpa, or he would have a weoden Brockville; Bytown, with its busy log," protested the small boy. population and magnificent scenery, No amount of persuasion could

as yet but on the threshold of Upper then why didn't he have a wooden Canada. And now, flying through leg? Johnny had no use for him. the numerous villages on the way. The next day when the discarded glancing as we go at the plank and grandfather was all alone with his in every direction between the per teeth, which were false. fences, we reach Hamilton-a second Johnny gave a cry of astonishment capital, surrounded on every side by and admiration. "How do you do a magnificent country. If he looks it?" he demanded and pulled upon to the east and southeast he sees his own teeth. the numerous and flourishing settle-ments of the Niagara district; he wonder of wonders, removed the sees the Welland Canal crowded lower row also. with vessels bearing the produce of a still distant region; if he turns away his gaze and glances to the south he perceives Simcoe, Port grandfather, ain't you, grandpa? If Dover, Caledonia, and their satellite your leg can't come off, all your villages, fine farms, beautiful or- teeth can come out, can't they?" chards and a flourishing population. From that moment grandfather's If he turns to the north, it is but to embarrassment began; for Johnny see the same picture repeated; the insisted that all the other members manufacturing towns of Dundas, of the family be convinced of grand-Galt, Paris, Preston and the more father's genuineness. agricultural communities of Berlin, Waterlee, Guelph, Fergus and Elora, beeming with life and activity, with new but flourishing settlements stretching away 60 miles farther into the interior. And all this, he s told, was a wilderness 50 years

"But stop; we are not done yet; the coach is at the door, and we must be The cry is still onward, on-But what is that in sight? A railroad! A real substantial rail-Have we not taken the wrong stage? asks our astonished guest, we are not still in Canada!" hurry yourself, my good friend, you have far to go and much to see before you step off British ground. We pass through Ancaster. we reach Brantford, another town, beautifully situated, where a few years since the red man rambled, with the Grand River winding gracefully past, and fading in the distance; on, on, still the same; farms, houses, villages, plank and gravelled roads; now through Woodstock; still on, no change, except the variations in the scenery, caused by alterations on hill and valley; at length we approach London. What causes our traveller to start? What brings the flush of pleasure upon his cheek? Why he listens so intently as the soft evening breeze comes slealing down the road? He hears what he has looked for, and hitherto looked for in vain in Canada--a peal of bells! Yes, London has, indeed, a peal of bells-the first brought into the Upper Province. As he listens to them, hanging halfway out of the coach window, in order that more effectually to drink in the much-loved melody, he begins to think himself once more at home.

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Let any man who doubts the reality of progress of Upper Canada remember that little more than 50 years ago, with the exception of the small military establishments at Niagara, and Niagara, and the grandra go to had?

"Why do you want to see him go to bed, dearie" his mother replied. "I want to see him take off his &

the wilderness for the purpose of The mother was astonished. "But rading with the Indians. Let him, this grandfather has no wooden leg;

Montreal on a summer's trip; let "Then this one is not my real

and Toronto, where he sees a city convince him that a grandfather where he is told that 50 years ago could be real without at least one artificial member. If this old man But we must wake him up; he is from the West was a real grandpa.

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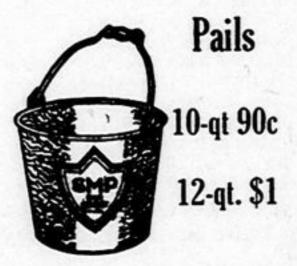


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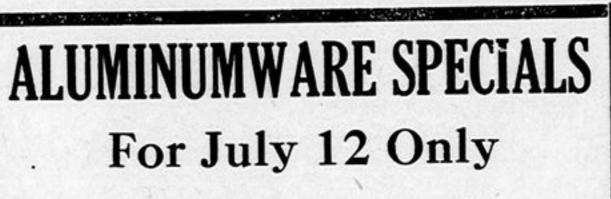


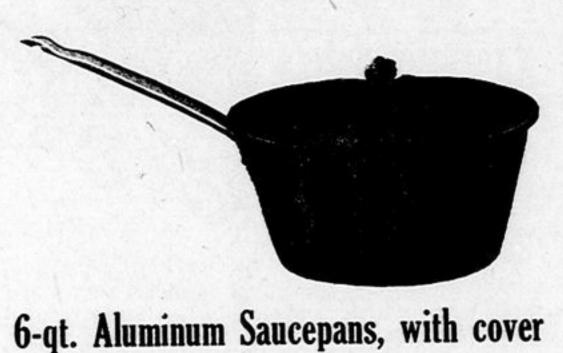


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