



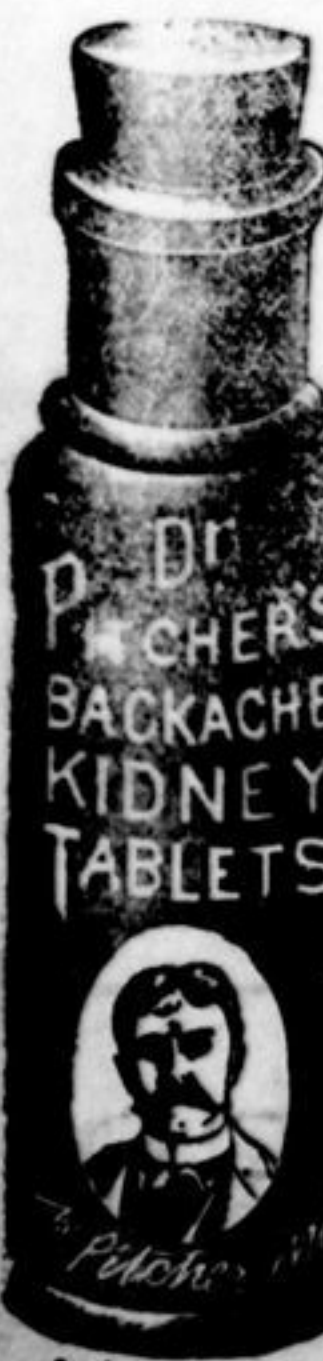
**TO THE MEMORY OF
MORRIS ROBINSON
A CANADIAN**

BORN IN NOVA SCOTIA, SEPTEMBER, 1784
CASHIER OF THE BANK OF THE UNITED STATES
WHO AS THE FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE
MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK
ESTABLISHED ON THIS SPOT THE
BUSINESS OF MODERN LIFE INSURANCE ON THE
AMERICAN CONTINENT, FEBRUARY 1st, 1843
THIS TABLET ERECTED BY
THE CANADIAN SOCIETY OF NEW YORK
FEBRUARY 1st, 1903

The American Circus.

W. K. Andrews, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, at a recent function got off the following appeal to the Filipinos: "You Filipinos don't know what you are missing by not wanting to become citizens of this grand country of ours. There isn't anything like it under the sun. You ought to send a delegation over to see us—the land of the free—land of fine churches and 400,000 licensed saloons; Bibles, forts and guns, houses of prostitution, millionaires and paupers; theologians and thieves; liberals and liars; politicians and poverty; Christians and chain gangs; schools and scallawags; trusts and tramps; money and misery; homes and hunger; virtue and vice; a land where you can get a good bible for 15 cents, or a bad drink of whiskey for 5 cents; where we have a man in Congress with three wives and a lot in penitentiary for having two wives; where some men make sausage out of their wives and some want to eat them raw; where we make bologna out of dogs, canned beef out of horses and sick cows, and corpses out of the people it who eat; where we put a man in jail for not having the means of support, and on the rook pile for asking for a job of work; where we license bawdy houses and fine men for preaching Christ, on the street corners; where we have a congress of 400 men to make laws and a supreme court of nine men to set them aside; where good whiskey makes bad men and bad men make good whiskey; where the newspapers are paid for suppressing the truth, and made rich for teaching a lie; where professors draw their convictions from the same place they draw their salaries; where preachers are paid twenty-five thousand dollars to dodge the devil and tickle the ears of the wealthy; where business consists in getting hold of property in any way that won't land you in penitentiary; where trusts "hold up" and poverty "holds down;" where men vote for what they do not want, for fear they won't get what they do want by voting for it; where "niggers" can vote and women can't; where a girl who goes wrong is made an outcast, and her male partner flourishes as a gentleman; where women wear false hair and dock their horses tails; where the political wire-puller has displaced the patriotic statesman; where men vote for a thing one day, and "cuss" it 364 days; where we have prayers on the floor of our national capital, and whiskey in the cellar; where we spend five hundred dollars to bury a statesman who is rich, and ten dollars to put away a working-man who is poor; where to be virtuous is to be lonesome, and to be honest is to be a crank; where we sit on the safety valve of energy and pull wide open the rattle of conscience; where gold is substance—the one thing sought for; where we pay fifteen thousand dollars for a dog,

A WORD OF CAUTION.



Dr. Fitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets are prepared from the prescription of Dr. Zina Fitcher (formerly Professor of Materia Medica and Genito-Urinary Diseases, Michigan College of Medicine, Detroit, Mich., U.S.A.), which he used with wonderful success for over twelve years in private practice in the Western Hospital, Detroit. They contain specific ingredients not found in any other kidney remedy, and it is not surprising, therefore, that they make cures in very many cases where other remedies had proved altogether ineffectual. We would caution you in purchasing the Tablets to see that the accompanying cut, printed in green ink, and Dr. Fitcher's portrait and signature, are printed on the package. Refuse substitutes and imitations, as these are sure to disappoint.

The price of the Tablets is 50c. a box, or three boxes for \$1.25, at all druggists, or sent by mail by addressing the Dr. Zina Fitcher Co., Toronto, Ont.

GLENMONT.

Mr. Stewart Bothwell is in Toronto this week. The Ebenezer choir attended the anniversary of Salem church in Proton on Monday evening last. They report a pleasant time. Miss Minnie Hooper went to the tea meeting at Esphie on Wednesday evening to officiate as organist for the Dromore choir in the absence of Miss Renwick. Miss H. I. Dixon is the guest of Miss Alice Parslow, of Hopeville, this week.

We are pleased to have Miss Maggie Hooper in our midst again after an absence of three months, which was spent pleasantly with her sister, Mrs. Burnett, of Michigan. Not far from Glenmont two or three young fellows have been trying to rival the doctors in surgery by cutting fingers and thumbs in the cutting box. However, the amputations were not complete, and we suppose they will not try it again if they can help it. It would be a good chance for some of them to get married now and take their honeymoon while the limbs are growing on, and thus lose no time.

We congratulate Chas. H. Dixon on receiving ten dollars as fifth prize in the Province of Ontario for the best hundred heads of oats sent to the McDonald seed grain competition at Ottawa and awarded by Prof. J. W. Robertson, Commissioner of Agriculture. No matter whether of long standing or not deafness can be permanently cured by CATARRHOZONE, which never fails even in the worst cases. The pleasant-scented vapor of Catarrhzone allays inflammation, prevents and cures the catarrhal condition that causes deafness and relieves right away. Thousands have proved the efficiency of Catarrhzone, and with such a valuable remedy within easy reach there is no longer any reason for people to remain deaf. Catarrhzone is recommended also for Coughs, Colds, Catarrh and Bronchitis. Complete outfit, \$1.00; trial size, 25c. Druggists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S., or Kingston, Ont.

Lost Hearing Quickly Restored.

Mr. Thos. Brown, through illness, Mr. Thos. Davis was appointed secretary pro tem. After the minutes were read and confirmed, the president gave a brief tent lucid sketch of the year's operations, which proved interesting and satisfactory. The Society has nearly one hundred members, and each member receives the Horticulturist, a paper worth more than the membership fee to any person, besides a large number of premiums in the shape of trees, shrubs, bulbs, etc., at greatly reduced special prices. The premiums during 1902 were decidedly superior to those of former years on account of the watchful oversight of the president.

Horticultural Society.

The adjourned meeting of the South Grey Horticultural Society was held in the Public Library Room on Wednesday evening, the 11th inst.

The question of memorializing the Town Council with a view to the establishment of a Public Park in some convenient situation, and of otherwise beautifying the town was discussed, and a committee was appointed to bring the matter formally before the council. We hope this may be the means of stirring council and citizens to the need of giving more attention to this important branch of civic improvement.

The following officers were elected for 1903:— Pres., Gilbert McKechnie; First Vice Pres., Wm. J. Young; Second Vice Pres., N. W. Campbell; Sec., Treas., C. Firth. Directors, T. Davis, W. P. Patterson, C. Firth, N. McKechnie, Jas. Andrews, T. McFadden, and three others whose names we did not get.

Samples of Choice Grain for the Improvement of Seed.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE CHRONICLE.

DEAR SIR,—By instruction of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture another distribution will be made this season of samples of the most productive sorts of grain to Canadian farmers for the improvement of seed. The stock for distribution is of the very best and has been secured by the Director of the Experimental Farms from the excellent crops recently had in the Canadian North-west. The distribution this Spring will consist of samples of oats, Spring wheat, barley, Indian corn and potatoes. The quantities of oats, wheat and barley to be sent this year will be sufficient to sow one twentieth of an acre. The samples of Indian corn and potatoes will weigh 3 lbs. as heretofore. Every farmer may apply, but only one sample can be sent to each applicant, hence if an individual receives a sample of oats he cannot also receive one of wheat, barley or potatoes, and applications for more than one sample for one household cannot be entertained. These samples will be sent free of charge through the mail.

Applications should be addressed to the Director of Experimental Farms, Ottawa, and may be sent in any time before the 1st of March, after which the lists will be closed, so that all the samples asked for may be sent out in good time for sowing. Parties writing should mention the sort or variety they would prefer, and should the available stock of the kind asked for be exhausted, some other good sort will be sent in its place.

WM. SAUNDERS,

Director Experimental Farms, Ottawa, December 22, 1902.

S. G. Women's Institute.

A very successful meeting was held in the Foresters' Hall, Holstein, on Friday, 6th inst., at which there was an attendance of about forty ladies.

Mrs. Colin Campbell addressed the meeting and gave an excellent paper on the "Cooking of Meats," which was very instructive, and those who did not attend this meeting missed some good information.

Great interest was shown by the way the ladies took part in the discussions which followed.

Miss Kate Dixon also gave a good paper on "Home Dairying."

In the evening there was a union meeting in the Town Hall. Mrs. Campbell addressed the meeting on the "Four Cardinal Points of Health," and was listened to with great interest.

Quite a number of members were secured at both the evening and afternoon meetings.

The membership fee is only twenty-five cents, and it is quite safe to say that the good literature received is worth at least twice that amount.

Stomach and Bowel Troubles.

A promptly satisfactory cure for Cramps, Colic, Indigestion, Heartburn, Billiousness, Sick Stomach and Summer Complaint, is a few drops of Nerviline in sweetened water. Nerviline at once relieves pain and suffering, eradicates the cause of the trouble and cures permanently. Polson's Nerviline is the best general purpose remedy for internal pains known; it acts so quickly that no household should be without it. Buy a 25c. bottle of Nerviline to-day, it's all right.

EDGE HILL.

Mr. P. G. Morrison arrived home last week.

Mr. Thos. Firth, of Williamsford, spent Saturday at his home here.

Miss Allie Davis spent a few days with friends here last week.

Mrs. Robt. Ector is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Moffat, Greenoch, at present.

Mrs. Wm. Davis and Mrs. J. P. Jopp were visiting friends near Zion for a couple of days last week.

Several from this part attended the social held at Mrs. Geo. Aljoe's last Tuesday evening, and all report a very good time.

Mr. John Firth, of Melancthon, has been visiting his old friends and school-mates here for the past couple of weeks. Jack is a very genial fellow, and if well liked wherever he goes.

Mr. Archie Ector drove down to his uncle, Mr. Jas. McCallum, in Huron county, last week, and while there purchased a fine black colt, rising four years old.

Mr. R. J. Hawthorne, Walkerton, general agent for the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co., and Mr. W. L. Dixon, Dromore, the local agent for this district, were callers around here on Saturday.

Mr. Will McCracken had a wood-bee last Thursday and got a good supply of wood cut. In return for

their labors the boys were given a dance at night.

The trustees have placed a screen around the school stove to prevent the pupils sitting near it from getting too warm. They have also added a map of the county of Gray to the supply of maps. Both of these were much-needed improvements. What's the matter with the school bell?

THE FATHER ARRESTED.

Peculiar Death of a Collingwood Infant

A small child of Mr. A. H. Clarke, which was insured for a small amount died under peculiar circumstances, at Collingwood last week. The doctor who was called to the house by the father found the child cold in death and came to the conclusion that the death had been caused by a convulsion of some kind. The father of the child stated to the doctor that he had placed strychnine on cheese to kill rats and that the child had eaten the cheese and also that he had insured the child's life. The circumstances aroused the suspicions of the doctor, who thereupon performed a post-mortem examination and found cheese in the stomach of the child as stated by the father. The mother of the child stated that she had given the child some beer from a glass from which she had drunk and which had made her deathly sick. The circumstances led to a Coroner's inquest, when the above facts were brought out. Clarke was arrested during the proceedings and is held awaiting further developments. Mr. Anbrey A. Bond has been retained to defend the prisoner. The inquest was adjourned until this week, when Crown Attorney Cotter will take charge of the proceedings.

Independent Journalism.

At the annual meeting of the Canadian Press Association the independent newspapers received considerable attention. This is what the Globe has to say on the tendency of Canadian journalism in Canada:

It was inevitable that the prevalent tendency towards independence in Canadian journalism should occupy a considerable share of attention of the Canadian Press Association at its late annual meeting. The theme was introduced by the President in his annual address, and over and over again it came up incidentally in the course of deliberations. While the great majority of those present were identified with party newspapers, there was clearly apparent among them the conviction that it is quite possible to be independent in the expression of political opinions while remaining within the fold of a political party. That this is becoming the view of the general public is evident from many indications, and it is better so. The most effective check to wrongdoing on the part of politicians is the expression of an adverse opinion by a journal of their own political complexion. What the wrongdoing politician fears most is not the ordinary utterances of an "independent" paper, but the independent utterance of a journal which ordinarily supports him.

As to this kind of independence in journalism being best for the whole country there can be no two opinions but it is also best for each political party. Nothing could have a more demoralizing effect on statesmanship than the feeling in the mind of a statesman that, no matter what he does or leaves undone, he is sure of the support of his party press; nothing could be more effective in promoting the habit of forethought than the knowledge that the party press cannot be depended on to defend the indefensible.

MEMORANDUM FROM THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

As announced in the public press in June, 1902, the change in the length of the session of the Provincial Normal Schools will take effect in September, 1903. Hereafter the session will extend from the second Tuesday in September in each year to the third Friday in June of the year following, and will consist of two terms. The first term will begin on the second Tuesday in September and end on the eighteenth day of December of the same year. The second term of the session will begin on the seventh day of January of the following year and end on the third Friday in June next following.

Any teacher who has at last Junior Leaving standing and who has taught a public school successfully for one year, or who after passing the County Model School examination has taught for six months under the supervision of the Inspector of a city having a City Model School, or any person qualified for admission to the Ontario Normal College, may be admitted as a Normal School student, but every applicant for admission shall be required to produce a medical certificate of freedom from pulmonary affections and from seriously defective eyesight and hearing, and also a certificate of good moral character.

Application for admission, accompanied with the above mentioned certificates is to be made to the Deputy Minister on or before the first day of September preceding the session to which admission is desired. The fee for the session is ten dollars (\$10.00), and is to be paid when application for admission is made.

A calendar outlining the course of study and the requirements for graduation will be issued at an early date. Education Department, February 3, 1903.



Does it not seem more effective to breathe in a remedy, to cure disease of the breathing organs, than to take the remedy into the stomach?

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Cures While You Sleep
It cures because the air rendered strongly antiseptic is carried over the diseased surface with every breath, giving prolonged and constant treatment. It is invaluable to mothers with small children.
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The Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a lifetime, together with a bottle of Cresolene, \$1.50. Extra supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Write for descriptive booklet containing highest testimony as to its value.
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LOT 38, CON. 3, E. G. R., GLEN Edge Hill, containing 100 acres, about 75 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation. Good house and fairly good out-building, well watered, good orchard. Terms right. For further particulars apply on the premises to
MRS. C. WILLIAMS,
Edge Hill.
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SAUGEEN VALLEY.

Since breath of life had breathed in this vicinity No happier time's we've known Then at the present time Weeding bell's loudly ringing And time's on the wing Time from know is short you know And we'd like with presents In preparation be.

Young and fair the Centre courtly lad We hear his name will mention not From north to east to south and west His name's known well When westward's going And crossing the southern plain And her coming to We his uttering words suspect Would be My Dear I love you Dear For time's drawing nigh When I and you in wedlock be. We'll with shout and rice in preparation

Be we'll now with patients be and for Part slurs wait Some one eastward's going driving horses Gay and buss of imigrant's full and crossing The Scottish lines From fright to flight they took And leaving imigrants behind Like flying birds went they around the gravel line And on bunessan hill with eyes kin'ly Watching and heads Centre ward's went they.

To their left they turned And to Saugeen valley went and headed Of where they by Mr. arnett Royley And with hearts of kindness full To the Centre went while Mr. So and So With lantern light strongly burning Came to greet them with a thousand thanks Sweating like sixty two where they and Steam ascending high You would think and think again Cement smoke stacks to the Centre From your town had came.

His outing first it was And some one else's to We thought commotions follow Would disturbance bring No no no.

Mr. Joe Firth, of the gravel, paid a courtes visit to the firm on the 12th inst. Come again J.

Mr. D. McNabe, with a number of men under him, are working in Sandy Binio's cedar swamp making ties at present.

Farms for Sale.

THREE HUNDRED ACRES, BEING Lot 11 and 12, Con. 1, and Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. First class state of cultivation, well watered. Four miles from Durham, good buildings on all. Will be sold separately or in block, on reasonable terms of payment. For further particulars apply to

A. C. BEATON, Bunessan P. O., October 20th, 1902. tf.

Thoroughbred Stock for Sale.

AT ROCKY SAUGEEN THE UNDERSIGNED have for sale three Durham Bulls from nine to twelve months old, a number of young Durham heifers, and also a number of young Yorkshire pigs, of both sexes from one to six months old. Prices right.

THOS. SCARF & SONS, Jan. 31st.—6 pd.

Building Lots for Sale.

ANY PERSON WISHING TO PURCHASE desirable building lots would do well to take a look at John A. Warren's plan of sub-division of Park Lot number Four, north of Chester street, in the Government Survey, of the Town of Durham. Plan can be seen at the office of J. P. Telford, Durham, or at the office of the undersigned. For further particulars apply to

ARCHIBALD DAVIDSON, Clerk Division Court, Jan. 20th. 4f—pd. DURHAM, ONT.

Water Power For Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS for sale the water power known as "Hayward's Falls," Glenelg.

NEIL MCKECHNIE, Durham, Ont. August 19th, 1902. tf.

House & Lot for Sale.

A HOUSE AND LOT ON QUEEN Street, the property of Mrs. J. L. Browne. The house contains 12 rooms, conveniently situated, and quite new. Will make an excellent boarding house. For particulars apply to

J. L. BROWNE, Photographer, July 10th, 1901. tf.

Yorkshire Boar for Service

"SUMMER HILL OAK BRED."

BARROWED Nov. 26th, 1899, bred by D. C. Platt & Son, Mill Grove, Ont. 2nd owner W. L. Falkingham, Edge Hill, Ont. Sire Look Me Over—3012—, (bred by R. G. Marting, Marysville, Ont.), dam Summer Hill Holywell Lily 2nd (imp.)—3555—, (bred by S. Spencer, St. Ives, Eng.) by Holywell Dublin 2nd (1357),—Holywell Kathleen, by Holywell Squire 2nd (1357),—Holywell Kitty 2nd, by Holywell Jackie (366),—Holywell Katie, by Holywell Tyke (709),—Smithfield Beauty 8th (834), by Young Snub (378),—Smithfield Beauty 2nd (178), by Samson (137),—Spot (186), by Samson 2nd (119),—Mrs. Nicholas by Jack.

The above will be kept for service at Lot 56, Con. 2, N. D. R., Glenelg.

JAS. ATKINSON, Prop. Oct. 27th, 1902. tf.

Short Horn Bulls for Sale.

FOUR YOUNG BULLS FROM 12 to 20 months old. Two reds and two roans choicely bred.

H. PARKER, Durham. April 14th. tf

Stock For Sale.

ONE Pure-bred Durham Cow, eight years old, with pedigree; one One Durham Bull, pedigree, ten months' old.

T. J. MORRISON, Rocky Saugeen.

For Sale.

A BULL CALF, SHORTHORN, Pedigreed eleven months old. Enquire of H. Wilkinson, lot 7, con. 1, W. G. R., Normandy, a mile and a half south of Varney.—July 24th.—4f

Farm for Sale.

200 ACRES BEING LOT 55, 58 and 59 on the first con., N. D. R., and lot 54 on the 2nd con., N. D. R., Ben-tuck, well watered in good state of cultivation, good barn, and other out-buildings, comfortable house, well fenced, young bearing orchard, three miles from Durham, within half a mile from church, school and post office.

Terms reasonable: Cash payment down, balance (secured by mortgage) to suit purchaser. Will be sold in separate lots or en bloc. The proprietor is going West and is anxious to sell. For further particulars apply to

WM. LEGGETTE, Vickers P. O., Jan. 23.—4f.

Farm for Sale or Rent.

BEING LOT No. 9, CON. 6, GLEN-Edge Hill, containing 100 acres, about 70 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, 30 acres of fair hardwood bush, the remainder mixed timber, comfortable frame house, new frame barn with stone stalls underneath, good bearing orchard, Hall mile from School, one mile from Church, about 8 miles from Durham, same distance from Markdale. Terms reasonable. For further particulars apply to

WM. McNALLY, Traverston, Jan. 27th.—6 pd.

Farm to Rent.

100 ACRES, LOT NO. 40, CON. 3 E. G. R., Glenelg, about 75 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation. Comfortable house, good barn, good underground stable. Terms reasonable. Cause of renting, sickness of proprietor. Apply to

JAS. MCCracken, Edge Hill, Or to Mrs. Wm. McCracken, On the Premises, January 18th.—4f.