

THRILLING EXPERIENCE

Of Motorman Walden, in the employ of
TORONTO STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

DID NOT WANT TO GIVE UP WORK BUT WAS FORCED TO DO SO—TELLS HOW FOR EIGHTEEN MONTHS HE HOVERED BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH, TREATED BY THE BEST PHYSICIANS IN TORONTO AND HIS CASE PRONOUNCED SO SERIOUS THAT HE WAS ADVISED, AS A LAST RESORT, TO USE THE DR. SLOCUM TREATMENT—IS NOW IN GOOD HEALTH AND BLESSED THE DAY HE HEARD OF THIS MARVELLOUS REMEDY.



Mr. Alfred Walden, 7 Cornwall St., Toronto, who has been in the employ of the Street Railway Company for a number of years as motorman, informs us that he had an attack of la grippe, followed by typhoid fever, and after many weeks of suffering it resulted in a complication of throat and lung troubles. During this illness he was under the care of one of the best physicians in this city, who pronounced it a very serious case and advised him to stop work, which he was finally compelled to do.

Mr. Walden heard about the Dr. Slocum Remedies and commenced their use and after using them but for a few weeks he noticed a great improvement.

After using this valuable treatment for some little time, the cough stopped, pain in left lung lessened, appetite improved and night sweats were checked; and in about three months he was able to go back to work, feeling as well as ever.

When interviewed, Mr. Walden seemed to be in the best of spirits and expressed himself completely cured and in the enjoyment of good health.

Mr. Walden has also been accomplished in thousands of other hopeless cases, which testimonials we have on file.

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The Dr. Slocum System will be forwarded you at once, with complete directions for use. The Slocum System is a positive cure for Consumption, that most insidious disease, and for all Lung Troubles and Disorders, complicated by Loss of Flesh, Coughs, Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis and Heart Troubles.

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MAN ON THE STREET.

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is to be feared that the interests of the people are not the first consideration with all these fine gentlemen. There is too much stage play to impress sensible people with the seriousness of their intentions. There are many important problems pressing for solution, and among these is the government ownership and control of all railroads and express companies. The latter in particular impose prices which are out of all proportion to the service rendered. The companies are making fortunes out of the people who are helpless to right the wrong. There are two companies doing business in Ontario, The Canadian and The Dominion, and like two opposing lines of railway they try to make the transportation as expensive as possible. If a parcel has to be carried by two companies the cost is doubled. Each company charges its own rate regardless of the distance. From the standpoint of the public this is a huge iniquity and surely demands regulating by law. A parcel of specified weight should be carried a specified distance for a stated rate regardless of the number of companies engaged in the transportation. It is only fair to the public that when important franchises are granted to private companies, these franchises should be managed with some regard to the public interests—not by the amassing of princely fortune by these companies at the expense of the public.

TRAVERSTON

The Hastie family got a surprise last Thursday evening, when Rob, youngest son of the family, arrived home after an absence of eight years, mostly spent in Wisconsin.

Miller Ross is getting his own meals these days, as Mrs. Ross left on Friday to visit her mother at Teeswater.

Mrs. Peart received a letter from the Old Land last week, containing the sad news that her brother, Emerson Robinson, had died on March 1st after a short illness. He spent two or three years here in the early eighties and was popular with young and old. He had made his "pile" in the Australian gold fields before visiting Canada and he had the miner's rugged frame and generous heart. On returning to England he wedded, and leaves a widow and three children. Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Peart as they had planned to visit one another in the near future.

Miss Lucy McNally is expected home from Toronto on Saturday and the following Monday Miss Nellie purposes leaving for her old situation in Grand Rapids.

Neighbor John McNally sold two fine Glycer colts on Saturday at good prices: a two-year-old to Mack Stewart for \$100 and a yearling to Mr. Geo. Peart for \$52.

The trustees of S. S. No. 5 are progressive fellows. They let the contract on Saturday evening for erecting a neat and strong wire fence around the school grounds to W. L. Falkingham, agent for the Frost Wire Fence Co. W. L. is a good workman.

Jimmy Ryan is engaged with Mr. John Meagher for the season's barn-building. Jimmy is not only a clever framer, but is also a hustler to work.

Jim Banks is being heartily congratulated these days on his purchase of Mr. Chas. McArthur's farm. Jim has 200 acres to handle now.

Mr. Alex. Smith, marble man of Thornbury, spent a day or so among old acquaintances on the 6th.

Miss Grace Everitt accompanied her schoolmate, Miss Mabel Hunt, out from town to the latter's home on Friday evening and spent a jolly day or two.

Traverston changed its straggling appearance last week and became more compact. Jim Hastie had his implement shop removed from across the street and placed it beside the smithy. It adds to the value of his property.

John Jardine sold his entire horse, Stone River, to Meaford men last week. He goes back to the same spot where he formerly travelled. That speaks well for him.

There is a rumor going the rounds that the township Fathers are contemplating "compulsory vaccination." We have no doubt that the medical fraternity would be well pleased; but we presume our aldermen have too much common sense to be juggled by red-taped humbuggery. Public feeling is somewhat wrathful over this way.

We're beginning to think, Mr. Editor, that the members of the menagerie have been too well wintered and are feeling somewhat aggressive, or else, like spring-awakened bears, they need a special feed. How would it work for the Boss animal to get a mate and give us all a fraternal "jamboree"? What a gathering that would be! Then the Sauguen Valley poet would have a fitting theme to rouse his rhythmic lines and the wood-piled wind-holes could be compared with the \$10 shares in the Durham gas fields or with the snap bargains offered by merchants to green ruralists. All paws up?—Carried.

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They come unexpected and when least welcome. Be armed with a one-minute cure in a bottle of Nerviline, which relieves cramp and stomach pains in five minutes. In Colic, Summer Complaint, Diarrhoea, Indigestion and Nausea, Nerviline is a remedy of remarkable potency, and acts promptly and satisfactorily at all times. The composition of Polson's Nerviline expresses the highest medical progress of the age, which accounts for its superior merit. Price 25 cents.

A story comes from Glenelg township to the effect that a well known farmer wanted his son to get up early and go to work. The boy had a habit of answering "yes sir" and going to sleep again. On this occasion last week the father, to make no mistake, called the boy, got the "yes sir" and then slid up the stairs, turned down the covers and gave the person a good spanking. It happened that on that night the hired girl had been given the boy's room. When the tumult was over the man sat down behind the barn and drafted a written apology to the hired girl.

THE LATE JOHN LAIRD.

The Funeral Took Place on Wednesday Last—Sermon by Rev. J. J. Redditt.

On Saturday evening the 15th inst. John Laird, Esq., one of the very few remaining among the early settlers in Barrie, passed peacefully away to his eternal reward. Mr. Laird was born near the historic town of Enniskillen, County of Fermanagh, Ireland. When a youth of eighteen he was sent out to Quebec to his uncle to take a position under him in a banking establishment. Arriving there he found his uncle dead, consequently he was thrown on his own resources. The vicissitudes of life develop the inherent principles of refinement and culture; honorable, studious and sensitive, he grew to fuller manhood sharing in the struggles and career of his adopted country. He saw actual service in the Rebellion of 1837, and in 1839 came to Barrie, where he became a very successful contractor. He early saw the value of the water power at Sault Ste. Marie, and in company with Mr. Jonathan Henderson, made the first development of property now occupied by the Clergue syndicate. For several years he acted for the Mayor, as Magistrate of the town, to the entire satisfaction of the public. He was thoroughly informed on leading public questions. Mr. Laird was an active and honored member of the Methodist church, having held the position of recording steward and class leader for fifty-two years continuously. His motto in church life was "Peace and Progress," and through all those years he manifested the phases of Christian character, which not only enabled but endeared him to every one in church life. Slow to condemn, ever ready to forgive, his life was a benediction and his noble character leaves its impress on those who mourn his loss, but live in hope of the meeting that knows no end.

The funeral, which was held on Wednesday afternoon, proceeded to the Collier street Methodist church, where a large number of friends of the deceased had assembled to pay a tribute of respect to his memory. The choir was in attendance, and during the service, Mrs. Laird sang the solo, "Face to Face," with much feeling. Rev. J. J. Redditt, the pastor, based his remarks upon Job 5: 26, "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like a shock of corn cometh in his season," and said in effect: "This is a beautiful climax of a sanctified life, a ripe and venerable old age safely through the drill and discipline of the present day housed for glory in the garner of the sky. The Bible contains many similes suggestive of the saintly life, viz., palms, cedars, jewels, stars, etc. in contrast with chaff, stubble and grass, when referring to the ungodly. That of the text, a shock of corn suggests preciousness, maturity and manifoldness in the diversity of processes through which a Christian man is developed. Like the corn, ripe in season, he has endured the cold and dreary seed time; the silent night and bright day; the shadow, shower and sunshine; frost and snow; hail and tempest; lightning flash and thunder roar, in being brought to this perfection of fruitfulness.

The manifoldness is evident, a shock indicates a bundle of sheaves, teaching the great lesson of the far reaching influences of a life. Notice also, the glorious destiny indicated: "He comes to his grave," though like all men he must die, he is not driven as the wicked, but faces it calmly, willingly, gracefully, to be garnered in glory as a shock; his body falls; he rises; the earthly house is dissolved; the tenant goes to "the house not made with hands."

Mr. Redditt closed with a brief and inspiring review of the life of the deceased, who for 52 years had been the chief officer of the church, asking the pertinent question, "was his life a success?" and in answer referred his hearers to his fellow Christians, church officers, among whom he was an apostle of peace; his fellow citizens and his family. Can you suggest a better plan of life? We are all obligated to a holy life by knowing this faithful servant of God, some one must bear the mantle in the church and community.

After the impressive service the public viewed the remains and the burial took place.

The flowers which were received were very beautiful. The members of the class of the deceased in the Collier street church sent a crown; the officials of the church, a wreath; the family, a pillow and sprays of flowers were brought by sorrowing friends.—The Northern Advance.

[The deceased was an uncle of Mrs. Wm. Black, of this town.—Ed.]

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hunter on Tuesday, the 24th of March, when their neighbors and friends met together to bid them "farewell" before moving to their new home near Holstein and presented them with a half dozen beautiful new dining room chairs and the following address.

TO MR. AND MRS. ANDREW HUNTER:

DEAR FRIENDS,—We have learned with deep regret that you are about to sever the ties which have bound us together as friends and neighbors for the past years.

We assure you that your vacant places will not be easily filled, either as neighbors or friends, and that you

will be much missed by your circle of acquaintances in this vicinity, for through our years of friendship and intercourse, you have become endeared to us by your many genial social qualities as well as by your exemplary moral and religious conduct.

Every cloud, however, has its silver lining and our regret at parting is much lightened by the knowledge that you will not be so far removed from us that we cannot hear of your welfare and occasionally have the pleasure of meeting you. It is always pleasant to remember happy scenes of days gone by and you have our heartiest assurance that though absent from us you will always hold an honored place among our esteemed and valued friends.

On your departure from amongst us you carry with you our best wishes for your future prosperity and happiness and may you not only be abundantly enriched with temporal blessings, but as new spheres of usefulness open up to you may you become a power for good in the locality in which you reside.

In bidding you farewell we would ask you to receive as a parting gift these chairs, not for their value, but as a token of our esteem and a trifling memento of "Auld lang syne."

Signed in behalf of the neighbors and friends.

ROBERT J. MATTHEWS,
MRS. T. BROWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter were taken entirely by surprise but kindly thanked their friends for the kindness they had shown to them on the eve of their departure.

Don't Spit on the Sidewalks.

The following from the Uxbridge Times is applicable to Durham:

The gutter is close alongside the sidewalk, and it is large enough to carry off all the tobacco juice that can be squirted into it. Those who have a contract to supply oceans of tobacco spit should be able to raise power enough to squirt it over the edge of the walk, and thus avoid spoiling ladies' dresses and the spread of disease. No lady would be so careless or so filthy in her habits as to entail the danger of polluting every man's clothes as he passes along our walks, nor should any properly constituted man spend his time indulging in a habit which causes him to spew the walks all over with dangerous liquid. The time is rapidly coming when such an act will be severely punished by law, for nine out of every ten people openly condemn spitting in either public or private places. At this time of year it is especially important. It is scarcely necessary for us to point out the dangers from this practice, nor do we feel competent to do so. That it is a filthy habit should be enough, but far wiser men than any of us in this community are constantly warning people of this point. In some cities hundred of signs may be seen: "Don't spit on the walks." It has a good effect, and a law to back it would go far to rid people of the tobacco habit.

ROCKY SAUGEEN.

This week's budget.

Mr. and Mrs. George McKechnie spent Sunday with friends around the Rocky.

Miss Agnes Vessie who has been on the sick list recently is, we are pleased to say, is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hewitt, who have been under the weather with La Grippe are steadily improving.

Mrs. McKinnon, we are sorry to report, is not improving as fast as we would wish.

We wonder who the young men was who went into the dentist's office one day recently to get a tooth pulled. He declares he saw stars, and came very near seeing the moon too, although it was only about five p. m. It was rather funny, wasn't it Bob?

Almost everybody is now between the plough handles which shows that spring is again with us.

Notice to Creditors

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF GREY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Brown, late of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario" 1897, chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said Thomas Brown, who died on or about the 16th day of February A. D. 1903, are required on or before the 30th day of April A. D. 1903, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Adam Brown and Joseph A. Brown, of the Town of Durham, the Executors of the Last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of distribution.

All persons owing the said deceased must settle at once.

Dated at Durham the 23rd day of March A. D. 1903.

ADAM BROWN,
JOSEPH A. BROWN, } Executors.

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Lambton Street, — Durham, Ont.

Market Report

DURHAM, APRIL 1, 1903.

Fall Wheat	65 to 66	\$ 66
Spring Wheat	65 to 66	66
Oats	28 to 28	28
Peas	66 to 66	66
Barley	40 to 45	45
Hay	6 00 to 7 00	7 00
Butter	14 to 16	16
Eggs	10 to 11	11
Apples	75 to 1 00	1 00
Potatoes per bag	90 to 1 00	1 00
Flour per cwt	1 90 to 2 20	2 20
Oatmeal per sack	2 40 to 2 40	2 40
Chop per cwt	1 10 to 1 10	1 10
Live Hogs	6 10 to 6 20	6 20
Dressed Hogs per cwt	7 75 to 7 75	7 75
Hides per lb	5 to 5	5
Sheepskins	40 to 50	50
Wool	14 to 14	14
Lamb	7 to 8	8
Tallow	5 to 5	5
Lard	10 to 12	12
Clover Seed	8 00 to 8 65	8 65
Timothy Seed	2 00 to 2 65	2 65

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