Indigestion

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Established in the year 1854, our business has experienced a steady advancement until the present day.

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We prepay charges and refund money if desired.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Works," will be received at this Department until noon of

FRIDAY, MAY 23rd,

for the erection of the Chemistry, Mining and Geology Building, on College street, in connection with the School of Practical Science, excepting Heating, Plumbing, Ventilation and Electric Work.

Tenders may be sent in separately or in bulk.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender procured at this department. An accepted bank cheque, payable to the undersigned, for five per cent. on the amount of each tender for each of the above works will be required. The cheques of the unsuccessful parties tendering will be returned when the contracts have been entered into for the several works.

The bona fide signatures and business addresses of two parties as securities must accompany each tender.

The department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

F. R. LATCHFORD,
Commissioner.

Department of Public Works, Ontario, May 3rd, 1902.

Newspapers inserting (the above) this advertisement without authority from the department will not be paid for it.

N.B.—Time for receiving tenders for above work has been extended to noon on SATURDAY, May 31st.

Carling's Half-and-Half is a delightful drink, combining the strengthening properties of porter with the milder exhilarant of good ale.

It's for sale by most dealers, put up in pint and quart bottles.

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Standard remedy for Gleet, Gonorrhœa and Runnings IN 48 HOURS. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles.
MIDY

FORTUNE FOR A ROOSTER.

WIDOW THOUGHT IT CONTAINED HUSBAND'S SOUL.

Relatives Solve Problem—Instead of Contesting the Will They Wring the Heir's Neck and Thus Inherit.

London, May 27.—A wealthy woman of the name of Silva, who died recently in Lisbon, Portugal, left her entire property to a rooster. The woman was a firm believer in the transmigration of souls. She imagined that the soul of her dead husband had entered the body of the rooster; therefore she caused a special fowl-house to be built, and ordered the servants to pay particular attention to their master's wants.

She was extremely jealous of the hens, and whenever one of them was found coqueting with Pedro, as the rooster was called, its neck was wrung.

The disgust of the relatives when the woman's will was disclosed was great, and a lawsuit would have followed if one of the heirs had not adopted the simple expedient of having the wealthy fowl killed and thus becoming the next in succession.

Was Kindly Remembered.

On Saturday evening, the employees of the T. F. Harrison company met in the warerooms to make a presentation to their fellow-worker, B. E. Sills, who will in future travel for the Bailey broom factory, Queen street. They tendered him a flattering address and a handsome silver shaving cabinet. The address was read by H. Ross, and referred to pleasant associations. T. F. Harrison then presented Mr. Sills with a handsome gentleman's desk, expressing the regret he felt at parting with a tried and trusty employee, referring to the many good qualities which had made him a valuable assistant in the business, and incidentally urging upon the others the necessity of always keeping abreast or ahead even of their respective positions, thus fitting themselves for the better positions when they presented themselves. Mr. Sills made feeling and suitable responses, referring to the kindliness of both the management and his fellow-employees. He had been in the present position for seven years, and they had been years of experience such as he now appreciated as very valuable to him, and he would always cherish the remembrance of the time spent with the firm with the greatest pleasure. Mr. Sills has been in the employment of the Harrison company since they started here.

Merchants Did A Big Trade.

The merchants all did a splendid business yesterday—the best in years, and it was with a cheerful countenance that to-day they paid their promised subscriptions to the Victoria day celebration committee. The stores, especially in the forenoon, were crowded. There were over 5,000 visitors in the city, and while some of them spent scarcely anything, the great majority blew themselves. The average expenditure would probably be $5 each. By this reckoning, $25,000 was expended in the city as a result of the celebration. It must be remembered that, in making this calculation, many of the visitors spent two or three days in the city.

Treat It With Contempt.

The liberal government of Ontario has been able, true, economical and wise during the past quarter of a century. It would be just as sensible for the Grand Trunk railway shareholders to dismiss Mr. Hays, who has made a paying concern of what was formerly a ghastly financial failure, and replace him with an untried man whose record as a railway manager was against him. No sane business man, no shareholders in a company would pursue such a course, and yet that is just what Mr. Whitney and his friends have the hardihood to propose to the people of Ontario. They will treat the overtures with the contempt they deserve.

The Skiff Upset.

An employee of the Calvin company started out from Swift's wharf yesterday morning for Garden Island in a sailing skiff. When a quarter of a mile out, the boat upset. The occupant was rescued by several of the crew of the steamyacht Idler, who went out in a yawl. Thomas Clancy arrived a few minutes later, and brought in the upturned skiff.

Walked Through The Window.

Workmen this morning placed the new plate glass window, by the side of the door, in Richardson's new store, Brock street. This afternoon while they were engaged in putting the main window in position, one man was asked to go outside and assist. Forgetting that the side glass had been put in, he ran into the window, smashing the plate glass all to pieces.

Two Toronto Possibles.

The names of two Toronto men are freely connected with the appointment of principal of Queen's university, Rev. George M. Milligan, D. D., pastor of Old St. Andrew's church, and Rev. John A. Macdonald, editor of the Westminster, and formerly pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, St. Thomas.

Let Them All Come.

If the tories have any more lies to tell about Hon. G. W. Ross, his colleagues or his candidates, trot them out. The truth will never defeat so good a government as that of which Mr. Ross is the honored leader.

How Men Are Betting.

A bet of $20 to $12 that Pense would be elected was made to-day. This clearly shows how the Kingston election is going. Another bet of $5 to $4 was made that Pense would have at least 100 majority.

Boys' First Communion Suits.

Botany serges, good black, well lined and made, perfect fitting, $2.75, $3.25, $4. Jekins.

The torpedo destroyer Recruit is ashore near Land's End, Eng., and water is reported to be in her stoke hold. It is expected that the vessel can be saved. Her crew has been landed.

475 MURDERERS IN JAIL.

The Mediaeval Fortress of Volterra.

From the St. James Gazette.

The mediaeval fortress of Volterra is now a formidable prison house. When last I visited it there were 475 prisoners within its walls, all of them murderers. It is an uncanny sensation to look upon nearly 500 human beings, each one of whom has taken the life of at least one other human being. One hundred and forty-nine of them were condemned for life, and that would mean murder with and cold bloded description; the remainder were imprisoned for periods ranging from fifteen to thirty years and that would mean murder with extenuating circumstances—murder the result of inconstancy in a sweetheart, or frailty in a wife, or faithlessness in a friend. The confinement is rigorously solitary and cellular; the exercise courts are cellular; there are cellular smithies and cellular workshops; nay, the very chapel is cellular. Two tiers of cells run one above the other, and the prisoner in each, while unable to see his fellow convicts, can through a long narrow loophole see the altar and the priest who is saying mass.

As I walked round the ramparts of the great fortress I could look down into the rows of high-walled exercise courts—not more than ten feet by ten, I should say—in each of which the convict was taking the hour of exercise which he is allowed daily. Every prisoner saluted respectfully, and showed his white teeth in a pleasant smile, glad at the sight of any fresh face. Italian prisons are models of good order and cleanliness, and the cheerfulness and natural patience of the Italian temperament does much to lighten the labor of Italian prison officials. The convicts get two full meals of beans, lentils, or paste, cooked in lard, and meat on Sundays and holidays. Every prisoner may spend 25 centesimi a day, if he has it or can earn it; therefore wine is by no means an unknown luxury in the prison.

The system of rigorous solitary confinement leads to frequent cases of madness. Indeed, there is often talk of the Italian government abolishing the system on account of the great expense of maintaining numerous criminal lunatic asylums.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

What is Happening Along the Water Front.

Craig's wharf: Steamer Alexandria from Montreal.

Swift's wharf: Steamer Rideau King from Ottawa; schooner Falconer from Charlotte.

The steamer India and consorts, timber laden from upper lake ports, arrived at Garden Island.

On account of the heavy wind and sea yesterday, the Cape Vincent steamers had to go around the foot of Wolfe Island.

The steamer Kingston comes forth next month in even grander style than when the royal party were aboard her last October.

M. T. company elevator: Tug Bronson cleared down with three grain-laden barges; tug Bronson arrived up with three light barges.

Richardsons' elevator: Tug Dauntless and two grain-laden barges cleared for Montreal; sloop Granger cleared for Gananoque with wheat.

So thick was the fog in the harbor on Sunday morning that vessels had difficulty in landing. They succeeded in getting in by whistle calls and responses.

The big steamer Montreal was commanded entirely by Kingston men. On the bridge were Capts. Batten, Booth and Esford, while Alexander Milne was chief engineer for the trip.

The new R. & O. navigation company's steamer Montreal, arrived at Swift's wharf early on Sunday morning, and during the day was viewed by throngs of people. On Sunday afternoon she cleared down the river.

On Saturday the tug Edmund and consort Columbia arrived at Carrington's tannery with a load of tan-bark from Bedford Mills. It has been many years since such a cargo has come down the Rideau, and it was a reminder of the old days when the shipping of tanbark was a prominent industry.

A Young Girl's Sudden Death.

A particularly sad death was that which took place on Sunday night when death robbed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Clark, 36 Rideau street, of a fair young daughter, who was just budding into womanhood. Caroline, their third daughter, was taken ill on Thursday, and expired very suddenly on Sunday night. She was aged eighteen years. For some time she had been employed in the millinery department of Crumley Bros.' store, and was very much esteemed by all her young friends, and acquaintances. The blow is a sad one for the parents, who have much sympathy in their bereavement. The deceased young lady was a first cousin of the late Beatrice Holland, shot a few weeks ago in Frontenac school. The funeral takes place to-morrow.

A Liberal Rally.

The final meeting of the liberal workers—and every liberal is a worker—is called for Wednesday night in the Golden Lion block. Let there be a bumper audience. Young and old liberals are expected to turn out and work and shout for Ross, Pense and good government.

President Suspenders.

See the electric man in our window showing the way the President suspender works on the body. No catch, no pulling off buttons, perfect comfort, 50c. a pair, Jenkins.

The tory sheet will please accept our thanks for its help in convincing the people that they should vote for the candidate who, being in close touch with the government, will be able to do something for Kingston.

From now on, let us redouble effort. The most promising outlook may be spoiled by laxity towards the last. The opposition is fighting a desperate conflict, in the mad effort to get into power, and is prepared to resort to any device to win.

Tolstoi is again ill. He is suffering from typhoid fever.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS.

The Spice of Every Day Life — What the People Are Talking About—Nothing Escapes Attention.

Sir John Bourinot, secretary of the Royal society, is ill.

William Coxall, Colborne, Ont., died on Sunday, aged fifty-nine years.

In yesterday's running race, Nominator and Labona divided the purse.

Carters of Meldrum, Montreal, are at work again at $8 per week all the year round.

A. E. Ames has subscribed $1,000 to the Toronto university convocation hall fund.

Dr. E. Leprohon, Montreal, has been appointed commercial agent for Brazil for Canada.

The small boys danced and howled around many a bonfire on a street corner last night.

Another lot of those choice pineapples just in this afternoon. Secure early. W. J. Crothers.

The annual meeting of the Royal society of Canada is occurring at Toronto university.

Dr. J. A. Lane, Syracuse, N.Y., was visiting his brother, C. W. Lane, jeweler, yesterday.

The Misses Stanton, of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jenkins, University avenue.

George T. Bruns, New York, in a jealous fit, shot his young wife and then committed suicide.

Miss Alice Chown has gone to Detroit to attend the international conference of charities.

P. J. Nash, at one time city auditor of Ottawa, has been appointed as city clerk in Dawson.

Miss Carrie Bajus, Kingston, is the guest of Miss Jennie Stevenson, West Bridge street, Belleville.

The carters of the Dominion transport company, Montreal, are still on strike, causing much trouble.

The C.P.R. and Canadian Northern railways announce reductions on coke and coal tariffs in the west.

The 14th and 47th regimental bands discoursed splendid music yesterday afternoon at the fair grounds.

Union, S.C., was visited by a terrific tornado. Four deaths and considerable loss of property resulted.

Rev. Father Traher, late pastor of St. Mary's church, London, Ont., was buried in St. Peter's cemetery.

D. J. McFeggan, route agent for the Dominion express company, is in the city on an official visit to the local office.

There are seven cases of smallpox in Toronto hospital, and the health department is rather anxious about the situation.

Mrs. T. H. Fitzgibbons and friend, Miss Gleesettle, Watertown, N.Y., are visiting Mrs. P. Lyons, Ordnance street.

Mrs. W. Little has been confined to her bed, under medical treatment, since the death of her husband, William Little.

William Harmon Lane, a negro, murderer of Ella Jorden, and her two children, was hanged at Philadelphia this morning.

Peter Gallagher, aged thirty-five, well known among the butchers of Toronto, was found dead on Monday night. An inquest will be held.

On Sunday afternoon the officers of the R.C.F.A. entertained the visiting United States officers to dinner at the mess at Tete de Pont barracks.

The six-year-old daughter of Mrs. Harper, the postmistress at White Sand, Assa., was drowned by falling into an unused well while playing.

Michael Morrison, a rancher who settled in the Knee Hill district, fifty miles from Calgary, N.W.T., about a year ago, was found dead from exposure on the prairie.

Archdeacon Worrell is in Belleville, and will meet the congregation of St. Thomas' church to-night, in regard to the bishop's offer to him of the rectorship of the parish.

At Springfield, Mass., Rt. Rev. Dr. Philip Garrigan, vice rector of the Catholic university of Washington, was raised to the episcopate and consecrated bishop of Sioux City, Iowa.

Premier Ross concluded his western Ontario tour on Monday night by addressing a crowded meeting in the Glencoe opera house. This was Mr. Ross' twenty-first speech in the campaign.

A. Hoffstatter, a truckman, was killed on the G.T.R., near Bronte, on Monday. He was working on the track and did not get out of the way in time. Hoffstatter lived at Petersburg, near Stratford.

Additional discoveries of rich bodies of hematite, close to the Canada Northern line, around Split Rock lake, is raising a good deal of excitement and numerous prospecting parties have started out.

During the whole of last night ashes from the volcano on the island of Martinique fell at Roseau, Island of Dominic, B.W.I., in greater quantity than ever experienced since the outbreak of Mont Pelee.

At Sudbury, Mr. Whitney, by his carpings and complaints, turned a strong conservative over to the liberal side. This conservative has been the means of gaining one hundred votes for the Ross government.

The British empire league announces that it will do everything in its power to provide facilities for Col. Denison to express his views before chambers of commerce and other important bodies in England.

The marquis of Lansdowne, secretary of state for foreign affairs, and and his wife, entertain the king and queen at dinner on June 27th, the day after the coronation, to meet the principal foreign guests.

Messrs. Brackman & Kerr, Victoria, B.C., have received a third order for a cargo of oats for the imperial army in South Africa. This third cargo will load at Seattle, the oats being procured in the western states.

Mrs. H. C. Black, Toronto, was probably fatally burned on Sunday night, at Erin, where she was visiting. While heating tongs over a lamp, the lamp exploded. Mrs. Black fainted and fell on the burning oil.

William Wood and John Martin were brought to Estevan, N.W.T., on Monday, charged with horse stealing. The northwest mounted police caught them red-handed. It is believed that they are members of a gang which have been carrying on systematic theft from ranches for some time.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going on in the Business World—The Market News.

The price of sugar in Germany is to be largely increased.

England bought from Russia last year $15,000,000 worth of eggs.

The dominion government will appoint a trade commissioner to Great Britain.

The gold output from Rhodesia for 1901 amounted to 180,888 ounces, nearly double that of the preceeding year.

Cheese sales: Ottawa, 10c.; Perth, 10c.; Belleville, 9½c. to 9¾c.; Cornwall, 9¾c. to 9½c.; Watertown, N.Y., 9½c. to 9¾c.

Potatoes are selling at 50c. a bag at Norwood, Ont. Large shipments are being made from Norwood at that price.

Rich gold mines have been discovered at Tongshan and Tingsi, China. The coal mines at these places have been worked for nearly a century.

The Southern Pacific railway is building a bridge forty miles long over a portion of Great Salt lake. It will be one of the finest bridges in the world.

Confirmation At St. George's.

Confirmation service was held in St. George's cathedral on the afternoon of Sunday, at half past three o'clock. The bishop was accompanied by the dean, Revs. G. L. Starr, canon Grout and Stearne Tighe. Before the putting of the question, the bishop addressed the candidates at some length, explaining the rite and giving practical advice regarding the christian life. The prayers of the congregation were asked for the candidates, and after a short pause for silent prayer, during which the hymn No. 207 was sung, the bishop proceeded with the "laying on of hands." Forty-four received the rite, twenty-one males and twenty-three females. During the offertory the hymn, "O Jesus I have Promised," was sung, and the service concluded with the benediction and the recessional "Thine Forever, God of Love."

Rebellion Subdued.

Pekin, May 27.—The rebellion in Chi Li province has been practically subdued, but the inhabitants of the province are complaining loudly of the forces under Yuan Shai Kai, the governor of Chi Li, and alleges that his soldiers, in inflicting punishment, do not distinguish between the guilty and the innocent.

Another Government Wins.

Brussels, May 27.—The Belgian elections passed off without the slightest disturbance. Though the returns are incomplete it is known that the government is assured of a complete victory. This will strengthen the present regime and postpone the chances of universal suffrage for some years to come.

Boys' First Communion Suits.

Botany serges, good black, well lined and made, perfect fitting, $2.75, $3.25, $4. Jenkins.

At St. Paul's church on Sunday evening, fourteen candidates were confirmed by bishop Mills. His lordship's address was particularly interesting. At morning service Rev. Dr. Ulman, New York, was the preacher. He delivered a powerful sermon on "Doctrine."

"A" company, 14th P.W.O. rifles were photographed yesterday morning at the armouries.

COMMERCIAL.

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Montreal, May 23.—Tiour receipts, 500 bbls.; patent winter, $3.80 to $4.00; patent spring, $4 to $4.20; straight roller, $3.50 to $3.60; strong bakers, $3.60 to $3.90; Ontario bags, $1.70 to $1.80; wheat, No. 2, Manitoba hard, 80c. to 82c.; corn, 70c. to 72c.; peas, 85c. to 87c.; oats, 48c. to 49c.; barley, 60c. to 62c.; rye, 62c. to 64c.; buckwheat, 67c. to 69c.; oatmeal, $2.20 to $2.30; cornmeal, $1.40 to $1.50; pork, $21 to $22; lard, 8c. to 9c.; bacon, 13c. to 14c.; hams, 12c. to 13c.; cheese, 11c. to 12c.; butter, townships, 19c. to 20c.; western, 16c. to 17c.; eggs, 11c. to 13c.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

	Open. May 27th.	Close.
Union Pacific	104¼	104¾
St. Paul	169¾	169¾
Manhattan	132½	132¾
B.R. Transit	67¼	67
Sugar	128¾	128¾
People's Gas	101¾	102¼
U.S. Steel	40	40
U.S. Steel, Pref.	90¼	90
Tenn. Coal & Iron	63¾	63¾
Miss Pacific	100	000
Southern Pacific	64¼	64¾
Ontario & West'rn	32¼	32¼
Western Union	90¾	90¾
Erie	36¼	36¾
Reading	62	61¾
N.Y.C.	156¼	156¼
Baltimore	106	105¼
Louis. & Nash.	138	138
Rock Island	171¼	171¾
Pennsylvania Ry.	149¼	149¼
Texas & Pacific	40¾	40¾
Atchison	79¾	79¾
Wisconsin	27¾	28¾
Col. I & F.	100¾	100¼
American Loco.	32	38¾
Amal. Copper	69¾	69¾

MONTREAL STOCKS.

	May 27th.	
Canadian Pacific	139	138¾
Duluth, Com.	17¾	17
Duluth, Pref.	33	32
Winnipeg Electric	140	120
Montreal Street Ry.	279¾	278
Toronto Street Ry.	124	123¾
Halifax Street Ry	107	105
St. John Street Ry	120	117¼
Twin City Transit Ry.	123	121¼
Twin City Transit Ry., Pref.	160	157
Richelieu & Ontario	113¼	113
Commercial Cable	165	163
Montreal Telegraph	170	168
Bell Telephone	175	158
Dominion Iron & Steel, Com.	56	55¼
Dominion Iron & Steel, Pref.	96	95¼
Montreal Heat, Light & Power	103¼	102¾
Montreal Cotton	140	138¼
Dominion Cotton	63	62¼
Canada Colored Cotton	60	55
Merchants' Cotton	87	80
Dominion Coal, Pref.	139	136¼
Pictou Coal, Com.	75	66
Montreal Bank	262	258
Toronto Bank	660	240
Merchants' Bank	180	145
Royal Electric Co.	180	180
Quebec Bank	120	117
Union Bank	000	123

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