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Thousands of women suffer untold miseries every day with aching backs that really have no business to ache. A woman's back wasn't made to ache. Under ordinary conditions it ought to be strong and ready to help her bear the burdens of life.

It is hard to do housework with an aching back. Hours of misery at leisure or at work. If women only knew the cause. Backache comes from sick kidneys, and what a lot of trouble sick kidneys cause in the world.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

will help you. They're helping sick, over-worked kidneys—all over the world—making them strong, healthy and vigorous. Mrs. F. Ryan, Douglas, Ont., writes: "For over five months I was troubled with lame back and was unable to move without help. I tried all kinds of plasters and liniments but they were no use. At last I heard tell of Doan's Kidney Pills and after I had used three-quarters of the box my back was as strong and well as ever."

Price 50 cents per box or three boxes for \$1.25, all dealers or The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

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Remember that a few applications of poor soap may cause serious skin trouble to a delicate skin. Don't take chances, don't accept any "just as good" Soaps for the baby, but buy

Baby's Own Soap

Specially recommended for nursery use by the National Council of Women in Montreal.

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A general strike for an eight hour day is predicted in France for May the 1st.

THE WHIG - 73rd YEAR

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Paying For Their Fattion.

On a recent train going west was a Canadian farmer, who had been in England on business. He had been fulsome in his description of Canada, and of its magnificent future, and as a result had interested a number of persons in its soil. With him, en route to his property, were six young men who had entered into a curious compact.

He was to teach them scientific farming, such as they believed this country demanded, and in return for his practical training they were to spend three years with him, in his service, and pay him a bonus of £100 each. Consider the proposition for a moment—\$2,000 each, and labour free for three years! The contract is a most profitable one. It means an income from the young men of \$4,000 a year, and the product of their energy.

One is inclined to question the intelligence of six men who would lend themselves to such an arrangement. But they are declared to be well-educated, and men of active and temperate habits. They have the means, and before investing them in Canadian lands desire an experience under the best direction.

They will probably get this, but long before the three years are up they will be eager for landed proprietorship on their own account.

Great Future For Canada.

"Industrial Canada," which is published by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, shows enterprise in giving to the public in full the very excellent address of Dr. Haanel, the superintendent of mines, Ottawa. Dr. Haanel is known to the scientists of Canada as a leader in his class. For many years he was a teacher in Canada in connection with Victoria College. Later he was honored as one of the staff of Syracuse University, and from this institution he passed into the service of the federal government.

The story of his experience in smelting iron ore by electricity is a long one. Briefly it may be stated that possessed with the conviction that Canada should lead in this experiment, an appropriation was made, and a furnace fitted up on the property of the Lake Superior Power company. This company not only supplied the site, but the building and the power, and with results which Dr. Haanel sums up as most gratifying and beyond all expectation. Four points required demonstration, as follows:

Can magnetite, which is our chief ore, and which to some extent is a conductor of electricity, be successfully smelted?

Can iron ores with considerable sulphur content be made into pig-iron of marketable composition?

Can charcoal which can be made from mill refuse and other available sources of wood useless for other purposes, be substituted for coke, which must be imported?

And lastly, what is the exact amount of electric energy required per ton of pig iron produced?

Dr. Haanel was fortunate in having associated with him in the experiments Dr. Heroult, of La Prax, France, who superintended the erection of the furnace, and with these results: That magnetite ore can be melted as readily as hematite, and with equally valuable outputs; that charcoal can be used as well as coke; and that experiments with briquetted nickeliferous pyrrhotite were equally successful. The estimated value of the ferro-nickel pig, virtually free from sulphur, is from \$10 to \$14 per ton, and as the Lake Superior Power company have thousands of tons of the briquettes in stock they will acquire the government plant and convert into pig.

Dr. Haanel sees a great future for the iron trade of Canada in the use of water power now going to waste, and in the conversion of magnetite ores, heretofore of no commercial value, and in the erection of furnaces at so much less than the ordinary blast furnaces. "I need not picture to you," says Dr. Haanel, "the future which opens a vista of commercial success for Canada by the inauguration of the new metallurgy of iron and steel on account of the magnificent asset of her abundant supply of water power."

To reap the benefit of the experiments made at Sault Ste. Marie, means intelligent enterprise in the expenditure of capital. The government has furnished you with facts on which to base a sound judgment as to the feasibility of commercially engaging in the manufacture of pig-iron by the electric process; with that duty to the nation is done. It remains for your business men to apply, perfect and profit.

Get Dr. Shoon's Free Book on Rheumatism. Dr. Shoon's Rheumatic Tablets are sold by all dealers.

Editorial Notes.

The Toronto omnibus are glad that Mr. Curry is going to Cuba. They are only sorry that he did not sooner give up the crown attorneyship.

Lord Aylmer, as plainly as he can, in the blue book (Militia report), intimates that the military council is a failure. His opinion is shared by others.

The Kaiser is enjoying the sensation which his telegram to the Austrian minister of foreign affairs caused. In the penning of disturbing telegrams he is an artist.

The council did the proper thing in complimenting and so encouraging those who are interested in the beautifying of the city. The energy which is being put into the work is bound to yield returns.

The Toronto News says a city should be made clean before it can be made beautiful. Get the people wanting beauty, friend, and they will do the cleaning. Don't kill a good proposal by fault-finding.

A tory member of parliament sent up a great wail because Germany legislated against Canadian apples. Britain will take all the fruit Canada has to spare if it be honestly and properly packed.

Mr. Curry is right. The crown officer who gets out the evidence that commits criminals for trial, should be given the opportunity of following the case to a finish. That is the Jerome plan, and it works to perfection.

The Mail is in a panicky condition. A remark of the Globe led it to suspect that something will be done to legislate Mr. Foster out of parliament. No need of that. The people re-elected him once and can do it again.

The export of farm produce and cattle from Canada shows an increase, during the first nine months of this fiscal year of \$29,000,000. And tory politicians say the farmers are suffering! So they are—from misrepresentation.

The insurance commission will disapprove the people if it does not permit the counsel which the provinces have appointed to examine the insurance commissioner. The last has not been heard, surely, of departmental methods.

On dit that the Methodists of Ottawa want certain rules of the church made adumbratory, not prohibitory. Are they not advising now? They should not contain a solitary "Thou shalt not." They are worrying some people a good deal, why?

There is a hubbub in Toronto, because McMaster College has under consideration the establishment of a medical hall. There is a protest against hospital privileges being granted to any students but those of the state institution. There is narrowness for you, on a new plan.

The trust funds held by the dominion for Ontario, and on which interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum is paid, are surely an asset. Mr. Matheson says no. What will he call the money when it is paid to him in bulk, to invest as he likes?

The Lake Superior Steel company paid as high as \$1.50 per ton for its hematite ore. A pig iron equal in value, and lower in sulphur content, can be made by the electric process from sulphurous ore, and it can be bought for \$1.25. Isn't that a great saving?

DISTRICT DASHES.

Latest Items in Our Many Exchanges.

There was a \$300 fire in the house of Duncan Ferguson, Carleton Place, this week.

John Brown, Hay Bay, has an enormous duck egg, weighing half a pound, and measuring 8x10 inches.

Wellington Boulter, Picton, telegraphs from San Francisco, that he came through the earthquake all right.

Nelson Palmater, Cherry Valley, will be mate on the steamer Allen during the coming season of navigation.

Mrs. Stephen Halladay, formerly of Athens, is dead at the home of her brother, Dr. Alden Alquire, in Chicago. She leaves one son.

George E. Foster, the popular Newboro tinsmith, was banquetted and eaned before his departure for his new home in Vermillion, Alta.

George Dillon, late teller in the Merchants Bank, Delta, has been moved to Saskatchewan. His friends at Delta gave him a big send-off.

The little daughter of Louis Waters, residing near Madoc, while playing near the railroad culvert, accidentally fell in, and was found drowned by her mother.

George Fralick, wife and family, have arrived at Picton, from Vancouver, B.C., and will remain during the summer. Their eldest daughter is out of health.

There is a report that Mr. Minaker, formerly of the Ridge road, Prince Edward, has been found dead in Fort William. He was known to have carried a large sum of money.

The body of Joseph S. Hudson was found in the ruins of a fire at Sault Ste. Marie. Four boarding houses were destroyed.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but it is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Buy Gin Pills at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Phone 230. Fresh there.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.

Giving Him Away.

Montreal Star.

Many a man who can wade through ten miles of marsh on a wet day hunting for ducks, is not strong enough to go house-hunting with his wife.

Will He Do It?

Ottawa Free Press.

Having thus far imitated one J. Iscariot, it now only remains for Mr. Gamery, having got rid of the money, to terminate his political existence.

Easy Marks.

St. John Telegraph.

The greatest misfortune that can come to any man, says Wall Street Journal, is to amass or inherit a fortune of \$500,000,000. True, perhaps, but an astonishing number of men and women would willingly assume the burden.

Hard On Matheson.

Montreal Gazette.

The Ontario government is shortly to put another loan on the market, this time for three millions. The step is necessary to enable the government to complete the Temiskaming railway. The provinces kept out of the money market for a long time, to go in with a rush at the end. His bonded debt will soon be ten millions, and its legislators are talking about projects that may easily make the ten millions more.

BIG INCREASE.

Millions Added to Life Insurance Business in Canada.

Ottawa, April 25.—In view of the interest at present attaching to life insurance in Canada, it becomes worthy of note that, according to a return laid on the table of the house, that the total amount of life insurance in force in Canada, on December 31st, 1903, was \$230,372,210. The amount during the year of \$12,453,450.

The companies received during the year \$22,080,717 in premiums, an increase of \$2,111,293 over the year 1902, and paid out in claims \$8,753,815, an increase of \$235,000. The amount of insurance held by Canadian companies was \$397,946,902; British companies, \$12,809,271; and American \$188,576,127.

VESUVIUS SHAMMING DEATH.

Spectacle at Crater One of Great Grandeur.

Naples, April 25.—Prof. Muceddi, director of the Royal Observatory, yesterday, succeeded in reaching the crater of Vesuvius. He describes the spectacle there as one of great grandeur. The diameter of the crater, which before the eruption was about 100,000 feet, is now about 5,000 feet, while the cone of the crater, which formerly rose to a height of 6,000 feet above the sea level has diminished about 800 feet. There is no eruption of incandescent stones as before the recent outbreak, but a small quantity of ashes is being ejected. Vesuvius seems to be assuming the character of a dead volcano.

Earnings of New York Central railway for year ended December 31st, show surplus of \$1,845,353, an increase of \$903,000.

Terror of Spring Is Sickness

What Are You Doing to Protect Your Weak Body Against Spring Fevers?

A delay gives the germs and weakens a better chance to take hold. Don't wait, think of your small resisting powers, and begin building up today.

For weakness, overwork and debility the doctors prescribe Ferronze; let it help you now.

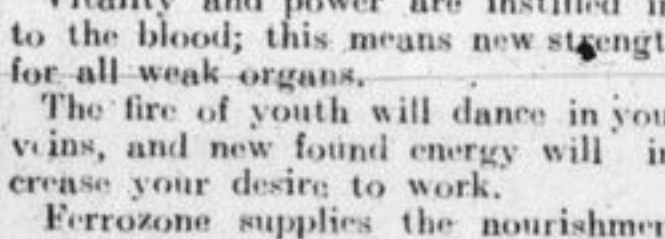
Vitality and power are instilled in the blood; this means new strength for all weak organs.

The fire of youth will dance in your veins, and new found energy will increase your desire to work.

Ferronze supplies the nourishment and strengthening material your system lacks. Isn't this "a reason why?"

From Combermere, Ont., Mrs. John Gram writes as follows: "For a number of years I was sickly in the spring-time. I felt tired, nervous and had headaches. My blood was weak and damp days brought on rheumatism. My nervous system was unstrung and I felt utterly worn out. Ferronze revived me in a short time. In two days my appetite increased and I could feel a building up process going on. This great tonic made a new person of me and I don't think a more strengthening medicine for the spring can be found."

Wouldn't it be just fine to get back your old-time spirits and vigor? Easily done with "Ferronze"; commence today. Sold by all dealers, 50c. per box or six boxes for \$2.50. By mail from N. C. Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U.S.A., and Kingston, Ont.



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Comes in all the popular designs.

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you should take **ABBHEY'S SALT**. It is the only spring tonic used in thousands of homes to purify and enrich the blood—relieve that feeling of languor—and revitalize brain and body. Highly recommended by the medical profession. 25c and 60c.

A morning glass puts the whole system in trim for the day.

Abbey's Effer-vescent Salt

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A Woman's Case!

A woman was at the bottom of it. She said to her husband: "Why don't you go to The H. D. Bibby Co.'s and see what kind of clothes they have, any way, instead of paying such high prices to have them made."

The man came, doubting at every step. Said he didn't think we could fit him, but just wanted to look around for curiosity. We persuaded him to try on a coat and, of course, easily convinced him that his ideas of our clothing were all wrong.

There are not only different sizes, but different cuts, for the stout man, the slender man, the tall man, the short man, so that it is now the exception rather than the rule, not to be fitted in our clothes.

Handsome Spring Suits, \$10, 12, 12.50, 13, 15, 16.50, 18.

Handsome Spring Overcoats, \$7.50, 8.50, 10, 12.50 to 15.

Handsome Spring Trousers, \$3, 3.50, 3.75, 4 to 5.

THE H. D. BIBBY CO.

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Is your Lawn Mower in good repair, if not, phone us and we will call for it and **HAVE IT SHARPENED** And put in good order for your spring work. If the old one is beyond repair we can supply you with a good new one for \$3.75.

We have also Sickles, Grass Shears, Rakes, Trowels and all other gardening tools.

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Made by **UTZ & DUNN, of ROCHESTER.**

In them you will find **Elegance of Shape, Material and Finish**

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Pe-ru-na

Mr. Otto A. Fleissner, (Buffalo Bill), now chef at "I suffered with kidney worth living. I had relief until I took Peruna was after I had used this would help me permanently to use it. At the had rid my system of all certainly have a splendid Fleissner.

Catarrh of the Kidneys a Disease—Kidney Trouble Falls to Be Regarded Catarrh by Physicians

Catarrh of the kidneys is most indeed. It is a pity that is not better known to the people as well as to the people.

People have kidney disease take some diuretic, hoping to they never once think of catarrh disease and catarrh are associated in the minds of the people, they are not very often recognized.

PE-ru-na CURES CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS. a few physicians recognize the kidneys. They doctor thing else. They try this remedy. The trouble runs all the time. A few bottles would cure them.

SCHOOL OF METALLURGY LABOR TO BE RE-OPENED

During the Summer—Recapitulate—Students—Director.

The annual meeting of the Mining Engineers was held on the evening. The financial report showed that it cost \$250 to maintain the school last season. The report of Prof. G. H. Schell, director of the school, showed a number of science students in attendance of thirty-two.

The Ontario department of agriculture, in view of the fact that the school is now being given to the school, in view of the appointment of a lecturer in agricultural chemistry, will pay half his salary. The school of a staff of assistant teachers of fellows to relieve the work, who are much overworked. A degree of doctor of science was conferred on the university, that of masters of science of last session. These higher degrees post graduate are awarded. In conclusion the director said:

"That the school is doing well and work which reason will to the public is shown by the fact that our staff are called on more consulting and time work than they have in the past and that every new graduate."

Has Taken a Thousand Zuto

Always Cured Headache Never Affected Her

Here is a testimonial from the wife of Doctor W. L. S. E.C. of Coaticook, Quebec, who has taken a thousand Zutos (the Japanese Vein Headache remedy).

It should convince anyone, one that while the cure headache, they do the drug cures, affect the nerves or stomach.

would or could take such a dose if they were not perfectly harmless. Mrs. Shurtleff had to discard the drug.

Here is what she says: "I have always been a great sufferer from headache, and have taken them for a time but they never gave me any relief. I then began using Zuto. I have taken a thousand tablets never yet felt the least ill-effects and they cure my headache as quickly as any remedy I ever used."

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A WARM SUBJECT

There's nothing in the world we're so much interested in as Coal at this time of the year. It may sound queer to speak of coal buying and selling as a science, but that's what we've made it. Two important discoveries we have made are that complete satisfaction to our customers pays best, and that the way to win business is to deserve it.

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