

Kidney Troubles
 Efficacious Compound is Especially
 Curing This Fatal



done for me. When I first wrote to you I suffered for years with what the doctor called kidney trouble and congestion of the female organs. My back ached dreadfully all the time, and I suffered so with it that I could hardly get any work. I tried to stop doctoring with my physician and take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I am thankful to say it entirely cured me. I do not get any more backache and all my symptoms have disappeared. I cannot praise your medicine enough. I would advise all women suffering with kidney troubles to try it.

I have been a great sufferer with kidney trouble. My back ached all the time and I was discouraged. I heard that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured kidney disease, and I began to take it. It cured me when everything else failed. I have recommended it to many people and they all praise it very highly.

Pinkham's Standing Invitation.
 Women suffering from kidney trouble, any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Lydia E. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. The agent Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant in her decease, and for twenty-five years since her advice has been freely given to sick women. Out of the great mass of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than likely she will give you some advice which will help you. Her advice is free and always true.

Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills.
Hardware
 and Tubs
 of place. The E. B. Eddy
 Arranged against factory
 rest to see that the name
EDDY'S MATCHES.

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 will require.
 are beauties. Other lines,
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 to \$6.50. Three-piece suits,
 and styles, 25c. to \$1.50.
 High Collars, Neck Scarfs, Mut-
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ibby Co.
 82 PRINCESS STREET

To-morrow Last Day

Subscriptions Absolutely Close

Wednesday, December 5th

Erie Cobalt Silver

MINING COMPANY, Limited

Discovery last week of a new vein in Beaver property connecting with the main vein of the Temiskaming Company's.

Makes Amalgamated Properties of Erie and Beaver Immensely Richer

Such a stroke of fortune puts subscriptions to the

300,000 Shares of Erie Stock at the Par Value of \$1 Each

before the public as the best investment in Cobalt. The Erie Cobalt Silver Mining Co., Limited, which owns 60 acres in Coleman Township and 40 acres in Lorraine Township—well developed properties—has purchased 409,000 Shares of the Capital Stock (500,000 Shares) of THE BEAVER SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED.

Rich Beaver Property

Such well-known properties do not need any elaborate description. They include 20 acres in Coleman Township, adjoining the Temiskaming, and in the group of the Jacobs, Lawson, Foster, and other large shipping mines.

Title Clear

Pepping amalgamation, and to comply with all legal requirements, the Erie Company has effected a

Formal Lease

of the Beaver Company's properties, thus giving to the Erie Company a full, active, controlling interest.

Operations and Equipment

A complete modern equipment is being installed immediately to begin active mining operations. Upon the Erie property a shaft has been sunk 50 feet, and over six thousand feet of trenching has been done, and seven well defined veins have been opened. One vein extends over one thousand feet, and carries good value in silver. No. 1 shaft on the Beaver property is now down 30 feet. No. 2 shaft is down 18 feet, and the ore taken out has been bagged and is awaiting shipment, and a rich new vein has just been discovered.

STOCK FOR SALE

Application for three hundred thousand shares of the Erie Cobalt Silver Mining Company's Stock at par value of \$1.00 each will be received up to

Twelve O'Clock on Wednesday

December 5th

and the lists will be absolutely closed at that time.

All applications must be accompanied by post-office or express order, or marked check in full, payable to J. H. JEWELL & CO., and mailed or delivered to

THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE COMPANY
 14 KING STREET WEST, TORONTO, ONT.
 TRANSFER AGENTS OF THE COMPANY

NOTE—Stock is being allotted in full and delivered in the order in which applications and cheques are received. The right is reserved to reject any applications for shares, or to advance the price of the stock without notice. Amounts over-subscribed and paid for will be promptly returned.

You may subscribe to shares through Local Brokers.

If you telegraph orders, remittances should follow promptly

The Erie Cobalt Silver Mining Co., Limited

A CONVICT CAUGHT WHILE TRYING TO ESCAPE FROM PENITENTIARY.

Is in For Manslaughter—Loss By Last Night's Fire in Montreal Was About \$90,000—Insurance Nearly \$100,000.
 Montreal, Dec. 4.—Pius Lapointe, serving a twenty-year sentence, in St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, on conviction of manslaughter, in the death of Mrs. Ducharme, of St. Centre, last summer, was discovered in the act of attempting to make an escape over the prison walls, on Sunday, but was captured by the guards and placed in irons.
 The attempt took place during the morning service hour.
 The total loss by last night's fire on Notre Dame street west is now estimated at between \$80,000 and \$90,000, while the insurance on the property of the firm interested in it is in the vicinity of \$100,000.

THE MEANING

That the Citizens' League Puts on Pledge.

Kingston, Dec. 4.—(To the Editor.)—Some misapprehension exists relative to the meaning of the pledge card sent out last week by the Citizens' League to the voters of this city. It reads as follows: "I hereby pledge myself to vote for such candidates for the city council of Kingston at the coming January elections, in preference to any others, who will pledge themselves to support by-law providing for the reduction of hotel licenses in this city to twenty and shop licenses to four."

Anyone signing this card does not pledge himself to vote for an ineligible man who favors license reduction in preference to a more efficient candidate who may not have agreed to support the league's platform. It simply means that of two or more candidates of equal ability, the one who signs the card will vote for the man who favors license reduction. Whatever significance the pledge may seem to have the above is the meaning the league attaches to it. With this explanation the voters who hesitatingly wish to sign need not draw back from doing so, and rest their minds without delay. Many have already signed, and the movement for aid in this movement for the reduction of license to do it at once.—D. J. LAIDLAW.

AT THE GRAND.

To-Night's Event.
 Carl Bell, with an emphatic accent on the Bell, will be the grand tonight, in the new romantic comedy "Brigadier Gerard," which Arthur Conan Doyle has written around the amusing personality of Etienne Gerard. The original production in Chicago a few weeks ago and later in Philadelphia, called forth the most flattering praise.

Western Comedy Drama.
 "Behind the Mask" is the title of a new western comedy drama which will be seen at the Grand on Wednesday, December 5th. It is said to be an unusually strong play, dealing with life in Colorado from the mining camp days to the present time.

"The Eye Witness."
 The attraction at the Grand for Thursday, December 6th, will be the great secret and electrical production, "The Eye Witness." The piece is equipped with a massive array of scenery and abounds with thrilling and beautiful effects.

The Tiger-Ottawa Game.
 Hamilton Herald: The better team, under the Canadian or Quebec union rules, won. The husky band from the capital can beat the team the Tigers put on the field Saturday on any grounds, under any circumstances, and with any officials, providing the play is under the Canadian or Quebec rules. The game was in charge of the Britton brothers, of Gannoque, who were far from being well posted on the rules of the game. When remonstrated with, their invincible answer was "Well, I don't know, but this is the way we do it in the intercollegiate game." "Bully" Barr filled several sheets of foolscap with interpretations of the rules for their guidance, but as the document was not delivered to them until a few minutes before the contest, they did not have time to digest the instructions.

To Go To The Soo.
 "Mark's" Walsh, hockey player, will leave on Thursday for the Canadian Soo to play hockey with the team of that place in the International Professional League, this winter.

Glass lamps, all prices, Medley's. Scotch wood mitts, 12c, Corrigan's. Most of us are agreed that trifles make life. The small savings, the little acts, day by day, are what count. Swift's Seranton coal means a saving. It has quality.

An eight-foot fall of snow is reported from the Riding Mountain, Man. Crutches and tips, Medley's. Scotch wood mitts, 12c, Corrigan's. Viscount Bury, for some time A.D. C. to Earl Grey, has sailed for India to take an appointment on the staff of the viceroy.

Wool mitts, 12c, Corrigan's. A 24-page paper on Saturday. Get your advice in early, please. Bradford council refuse to submit a local option by-law to the people.

Athletes
 Available for keeping sources out of the mischief of a bad training.

Unsurpassed for Bicyclists
 Large bottle, 25 cents.
 An Excellent Hair Restorer and Scalp Cleanser

"If not for sale at your drugstore, it can always be procured at James B. McLeod's."
 Dr. Scott's White Lotion and Cream, Prof. St. John, N.B., and Chas. Ford, Mass.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newspapers Picked Up By Reporters on Their Rounds.
 Brackets lamps at Medley's. Scotch wood mitts, 12c, at Corrigan's. Get Swift's Seranton coal at Scott's.

T. W. Hughes, New York, is in the city on business. Fresh cod liver oil at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Which for the Whig's big Christmas number on Saturday.

The small boys are now hauling out their skates and having them sharpened. Handsome manicule and toilet sets, in pretty cases, at Best's. See them. J. W. Brown has returned the much missed stage between Arden and Tammy.

Daniel Smith, of the Ontario Powder company, limited, went to Tweed, by day.
 New fire escapes are today being put into position at the Randolph Hotel.

Fancy perfumes for Christmas at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Harry W. Smith and James Harrigan, Montreal, are in the city on business.

Sale of fancy lamps, liberal discounts from now till Christmas, Medley's. Some of the residents of Barfield are giving a dance in the town hall three tonight.

Morton Allan, Stuart street, has returned to the city after spending the summer season in the vicinity of Hamilton.

The most handsome candy boxes, filled with choice chocolates and bonbons, good enough for anybody, are shown at Best's.
 James Wright, Denison bank, Exbridge, spent yesterday, in the city en route to Pembroke.
 Ladies' and children's mitts, 12c, at Corrigan's.

The Forty Hours' devotion will commence in St. Mary's cathedral on Friday morning.
 The ice has taken firmly up the Bay of Quinte. Navigation between Deseronto, Pictou and Niagara is over.

Ernest Macgillivray, of the fire department, is on the sick list, suffering from an attack of inflammation. Out of town, at the Whig's big Christmas number, out on Saturday.

The company that played "A Message from Mars," left this morning for Belleville, where they play this evening.
 Richard Chown, Nanawau, was in the city today to attend the funeral of his grandmother, the late Mrs. Richard Tossell.

Hot Bovril is dispensed free at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. "Brigadier Gerard" at the Grand, tonight, arrived in the city by special train from Ottawa.

The Deseronto iron company has closed its largest smelting works in that town, and, we understand, is looking for a more suitable location.
 Dr. F. J. Flumo, C.S.D., who lectured on Christian Science at the Grand Sunday afternoon, left for Woodstock, where he lectures Wednesday night.

The action of Carter's Little Liver Pills is pleasant, sweet and natural. They gently stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels, but do not irritate. They are sure to please. Try them.

Systematic Street Methodist Mission Circle "At Home" and sale, this evening, at half past seven.
 An ever double-header was played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night, between Reds and Blacks. The Reds were the winners in both contests.

For cough and colds, Gibson's Red Cross cough syrup has no equal, 20c, and 50c.
 Cadet Roy Nordheimer, of Toronto, is seriously ill in the Royal Military Hospital, with typhoid fever. His mother and sister are at his bedside. If your pocket book is not full, don't start to fret and worry. A little of this will do it for you.

The doors have not been placed on the vestibule of the street car yet. The makers state that they suffered much from the cold last night.
 John Hewton went up to Toronto at midnight to attend an executive meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

The only card sold in Kingston good enough to send anyone at Christmas is Hoyal's or McConkie's from Gibson's Red Cross drug store.
 Some complaint has been made about citizens selling milk in the city without the necessary license, and the probability is that a police court case will result.

A beautiful Christmas number of the Whig will be issued on Saturday the 6th, and is pronounced. Leave your order for copies now.
 If there ever was a specific for any one complaint, then Carter's Little Liver Pills are a specific for sick headaches, and every woman should know this. Only one pill a dose. Try them.

The Kingston Trades and Labor Council has received a letter from the minister of justice, acknowledging the receipt of the recent petition sent in regarding the stone cutting question.
 Holliger's Rocky Mountain Tea purges the blood, strengthens the nervous system, aids the kidneys, cures stomach troubles, builds up the nervous force and repairs the ill effects of over eating. Tea or Tablets, 35c. Mahood's drug store.

An interesting, amusing and spectacular game of indoor baseball was played last night at the armories.
 The 14th officers and the 14th Club. The game proved to be the closest and most interesting exhibition ever seen at the local armories. The winners were in doubt until the end of the ninth inning, the game ending Officers, 27; Club, 26.

Cordless fruits, cherry, grape, pineapple at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.
 A. P. McKew, Toronto, while trying to save a green deekhand from drowning in the Cowichan river, Oregon, was pulled in by the man, and was drowned. The deekhand was saved.

"My wife wants Swift's coal, and that's what I'm remarking a citizen. Wives who think are wives who save the cash."

IN NO WAY LIABLE FOR THE EX-TAX COLLECTOR'S SHORTAGES.

City Solicitor McIntyre Says the City Cannot Collect From the Sureties—Glauy System Allowed to Continue.
 A long report from the city solicitor regarding the liabilities of the sureties of George Thompson, ex-tax collector, for his shortages, was read at the city council meeting last evening. The city solicitor gave a résumé of the ex-collector's shortages since 1888. In 1901, the shortage was \$502.76; in 1902, \$875.83; 1903, \$1,782.24. Mr. Thompson was a surety from 1905, when John Fisher and William Wheeler, each in the sum of \$2,000 each, and Mr. Thompson himself, in the sum of \$1,000.

The solicitor pointed out that from time to time, he called attention to the irregularities in the administration of the office of tax collector, but that there were grave irregularities in the administration of the office.

The executive of the council, the finance committee, reported in 1904, that he be dismissed, but a majority of the council chose to retain him in office.

As a consequence of his retention in office, after his proved inefficiency, he was enabled to continue a course, in all probability, resulted in accumulating losses to the city.

In view of this, the solicitor is of opinion that the city is not entitled to recover against ex-collector's sureties. The ex-collector is himself liable to the city for the losses sustained by the city through his official default, while in its employment as tax collector.

For a long time, Ald. Nichol has pressed for a report upon the liability of Mr. Thompson's sureties. The matter will now go before the finance committee for final report.

As to Mr. Thompson, the city council of last year took no action in regard to the shortages, because they result from people imposing upon an ex-collector. Taxpayers benefited at the expense of Mr. Thompson, who was as honest and upright an official as the city ever had. He was unfortunate in trusting people to pay little shortages on their bills, that they never paid, and of which he failed to take note. It is scarcely likely that at this late date, the city council will care to remedy the charge.

The city has entered upon a new era in the collection of taxes, and the past might well be forgotten. The city council of years past was to blame as much as Mr. Thompson, in view of the clumsy tax collection system which they allowed to exist from year to year. The council of 1904 revised the system and brought it up to date. It is of course a little over \$3,000 of this year's taxes unpaid, a record that no other city or town in Canada can equal.

RED AND WHITE
 To Be Again Colors of General Hospital Nurses Uniforms.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of governors, Kingston General Hospital, was held on Monday afternoon, present G. Y. Chown, chairman, B. W. Robertson, Rev. Dr. Macgillivray, Rev. Dr. Mackie, Mayor Mowat, R. Eglow, W. B. Skinner, F. G. Lockett, R. J. Carson, F. Welch, James A. Minnes, T. McK. Robertson, Rev. D. Laing, H. A. Galvin, Gal. Mackie, B. M. McIntyre, John McIntyre, Major Carruthers.

The following clause of the report of committee of management was adopted unanimously: "Your committee submit communications from the medical staff, Nurses' Alumnae Association and Woman's Aid Society in regard to the nurses' uniforms, and in view of the opinions expressed in these communications, would endorse their wishes; and recommend that the old colors red and white be re-adopted for the nurses' uniforms, and in view of the committee authorized to make such changes in the pattern formerly in use as will conduce to more efficient service and modern appearance."

The thanks of the board were conveyed to Major Carruthers and Mrs. Brownfield for a donation of invalid chairs.

The visiting governors for the month of December will be Major Carruthers and Major Mowat.

It is the best safeguard against indigestion, biliousness and dyspepsia, known to mankind. Holliger's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets, 35c. Mahood's drug store.

When it costs nothing to place your order. Simply a proposition where the benefit is certainly yours. May not be wise and do it. Swift's coal yards.

You have seen the Christmas Wish List articles in all the magazines. They make most useful and handsome presents for boys or girls. Everything complete, including a book for \$4. Buy now and see them at Best's. Everything will be cheerfully explained.

Fancy cut glass bottles, 90c. Medley's.
 Hamilton Herald: Kingston has nice little street cars. Each team had a special car, which was run into the grounds and used as a dressing room.

FOR ALL HUMOURS
 Ezema, Salt Rheum, Pustules, etc.—no remedy heals more quickly than Mira Ointment.
 Mira relieves inflammation, soothes pain, cures new tissue to cover raw surfaces, and restores the skin to healthy condition.
 Mrs. J. Webb, 225 Davenport Street, Toronto, writes: "I highly recommend your Mira Ointment."
 Mira Tablets and Blood Tonic help to a more thorough cure. At drugstores or from The Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Hamilton—Toronto branch on price.

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APOLLINARIS is a digestant, mildly stimulating the acid secretions of the stomach.

APOLLINARIS should be the habitual beverage of those suffering from chronic gout, rheumatism, or excessive uric acid.

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 Special price
 C. C. a la GRACE, at \$2, \$1.50 and 1.25
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 D. & A. MODELS 1.00
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 12 OTHER MAKES. SPECIAL LOW PRICES.

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Busy, Storing Presents For Our Christmas Delivery

Early buyers get the choice. What nicer than a Sectional Book Case. As your library increases add a kitchen. See the Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, the only useful cabinet made in operation.

James Reid The Leading Undertaker
 Phone 147 for White Ambulance.

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There's a newer, safer and better way by which you can really share in the great mineral wealth of Canada. You must do just TWO things—CO-OPERATE and reach out into the vast UNPROSPECTED mining areas.

Cobalt & New Ontario Prospectors, Developers & Investors, Limited.

This is a company conducted by Canadian business men and mining experts of high moral integrity, commercial standing and tried ability in the mining field, organized for
 Co-operative and Systematic Exploring, Prospecting, Developing, Etc.

The company is capitalized at \$500,000, all treasury stock, with shares at the par value of \$1.00 each.

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 To increase size, strength and efficiency the Directors have placed on sale 300,000 of the shares, for a limited time, at 50c. PER SHARE.

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