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For Coughs and Colds.

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HERE'S A SCORCHER!
TORONTO NEWS SCARIFIES WHITNEY GOVERNMENT.
Surrenders to the Patronage Monkeys—Onslaught on the Members of Government and Parliament—Jobbery Going on Unchecked—A Mess of Nasty Details.
Toronto News.
No more striking and no more obvious example could be afforded of the malign influence of patronage on the administration of law than has been furnished by the license investigation. What are the facts?
Soon after the Whitney government came into power, a new board of license commissioners was appointed. The general public was well satisfied with the new board and it was expected that the administration of the liquor license law would be just what Mr. Whitney had promised—a non-partisan administration. The new board of commissioners worked in harmony with the chief license inspector, who had held the position for many years, knew the hotels and their management, and was thoroughly acquainted with the conditions governing the licensed trade in Toronto. The board had confidence in the inspector. The government had requested him to retain his position for reasons which must have been strong, in view of the demand for his head from the patronage committee. For some time everything worked smoothly and the public, as a whole, had confidence in the new regime.

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We intend rebuilding and require the room to make alterations.
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For Coughs and Colds.

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Meet your friends here on Saturday and take advantage of these extra special offerings.
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LADIES' VESTS—25 dozen Ladies White Blouse Vests—these are called "sweats," but are all perfect—just an old one washed—short sleeves and sleeves—neck and armholes lace trimmed—the regular price would be 25c. to 35c. each. Saturday snap, each 15c.
HOSIERY SNAPS—50 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Cashmere Hose, in all sizes, full fashioned leg, and seamless—the best 45c. stocking in the trade. Saturday snap, 3 pairs for \$1.00
DRESS GOODS—We have our New Dress Goods in stock, and you will find some of the newest makes and weaves here, and all at popular prices—Black and White, over Plaids and Checks, in great variety Fancy Tweeds, in all the new shades and mixtures, 50c. to \$1.50 per yard. For tomorrow—10 pieces of New Tweeds, 41 inch wide, very special at, per yard 50c.
WHITE QUILTS—164 White Marseilles Quilt, good large size, three good patterns to choose from, \$1.50 in the regular price. Saturday snap, each \$1.00
SILK WAISTS—Ladies' White Silk Waists, made of Japanese Silk, an exceptionally good quality, trimmed with Val. Lace and Insertion, short sleeves and square yoke of lace insertion, regular price \$3.25 Saturday snap \$3.25
LACE CURTAINS—69 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 34 yards long, 60 inches wide, good patterns and corded edge, you will pay \$1.50 pair Saturday, so buy them on Saturday for, per pair \$1.00

JOHNNY
Tale of a Saloon Cub on the Flats.
By W. Whitworth.
Just Johnny. He belonged to the rough, south, gritty surroundings down in the lower bottom, on the unpaved streets of wooden slabs and loose stones, rotting curb and thick mud. However, Johnny was as tough, unsmooth, dirty and neglected as his surroundings, faded striped shirt, ragged pants, upheld by one suspender looped to a big button by a piece of string, he seemed an integral part of the grimy, pathetic torment but, while he pulled down at the evening hat already become indented into the local penchant for getting something for nothing. Each evening he stood in front of a big factory's gate at the corner of the flats, and he had already become indented into the local penchant for getting something for nothing. Each evening he stood in front of a big factory's gate at the corner of the flats, and he had already become indented into the local penchant for getting something for nothing. Each evening he stood in front of a big factory's gate at the corner of the flats, and he had already become indented into the local penchant for getting something for nothing.

MODEL CONSTITUTION.
What Oklahoma's Convention is Planning.
A member of the constitution convention of Oklahoma writes: We will have the initiative and referendum, with a provision that ten per cent of the voters at the last preceding general election may initiate or refer to the legislature, or pass that which the legislature has refused or neglected to pass. A state-wide simultaneous primary of all parties is proposed to maintain all officers from the United States senators down. In addition we will vote for senatorial candidates direct, at the polls, though under the federal constitution it is still necessary that the legislature do the legal electing. A two-cent railroad fare is fixed as the maximum, in the state. The legislature is prohibited from ever placing, by law, a limitation on the amount of damages in personal injury cases. In many states the corporations have got limitations into the statutes. They will not do it in Oklahoma. More than this, it is a doctrine of comparative negligence that is, when injury results from negligence of both the injured person and the employer, the person injured is not to be denied recovery. An employee, compared to that the employer, shall be held responsible; the jury is to be the sole judge. Separate schools, coaches and waiting rooms are provided for all colored races. All civil power must be exhausted before there shall ever be recourse to the federal government for protection in industrial disturbances. The constitution shall not apply to the convention adopted the rule that private armies—the Pinkertons, for instance—should not be given the powers of peace officers. This offended the president and he sent his famous ultimatum that unless it was changed he would not issue the proclamation admitting the new state into the union. Well, the convention has changed it, and there is little possibility that it will.

Hard On The Pews.
A man was complaining the other day that the pulpit sometimes takes an unfair advantage of the pews, in that the new air in the nature of things, they can't talk back. "A preacher," said he "was talking to my very feeling, of the temptation to infidelity being the strongest that we have. You and I know how difficult it is to be definite on any subject," said he. Now I looked over the church—the congregation was a small one—and while I can't say as to the women in it, they may be considered as the same thing. It would have done me good to get up and explain this to him.

A Better Man Available.
Hamilton Spectator.
Some Kingston conservatives are trying to boost Dr. Ryan, new superintendent of Rockwood asylum, for a provincial cabinet position on the ground that he is a Catholic. But if there should be a vacancy in the cabinet, there is a better man than Dr. Ryan. Dr. Ryan, who has the advantage of experience and many other advantages not claimed for a doctor, and who is, incidentally, a Catholic.

Crippled With Rheumatism
CURED BY GIN PILLS
Mr. Derragh certainly did have a hard time of it, winter before last. Caught cold, and it settled in his kidneys. First thing he knew, he was in bed with Rheumatism. He nearly went mad, the pain was so intense. The doctors gave him the usual treatment—and pretty nearly burnt his legs off with liniments and blisters—till the Rheumatism went right on aching.
Then a friend stepped in and said, "Why don't you try GIN PILLS?" After a great deal of persuasion, Mr. Derragh did try GIN PILLS. You never saw a happier man in your life, after he had taken two boxes. Pain all gone—stiffness and lameness completely left—and ache in back and hips disappeared—and he was well in no time. That was two years ago and he has been in perfect health ever since. Contrasted a severe cold, Rheumatism followed and the sharp pains took me so often and were so severe that I could not get up and I started to take "Gin Pills." In ten days I was up and about and I have not had a return of the old trouble since. I will take any "Gin Pills" I see me the first priceless package of urine I have had in two years.

How about you? Haven't you suffered enough without going all over it again this winter? Get Gin Pills—your best care yourself at home. Mention this paper and you will send you a free sample to try. The Hole Drug Co., Winnipeg. Only one box—50c. per box for \$2.50.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM

HELP WANTED—MALE.
SALESMEN FOR AUTO-SPRAY. Best hand sprayer made, automatic. Sample spraying free to approved agent. Covers Bros., Galt.
SPRING SUITS TO MAKE, GENTLEMEN, bring your own cloth and get a cheap up-to-date suit made. \$25.00, price and finish guaranteed. Freezing machine done well. Galway, The Tailor, 181 Brock street.
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LABRADOR THE SUBJECT.
For the Missionary Study Class, on Thursday.
Miss Rogers, of St. James' Woman's Auxiliary, shouldered that branch's responsibility for the third of the missionary study classes, and with rare skill carried the work evening through herself. Her fascinating subject was Labrador, a corner of our land by the Atlantic, where winter begins on the first of October and does not let go until the grip till the middle of June. Miss Rogers gave some information regarding the physical features of this land, the most pathetic of which is, perhaps, the lack of earth—no soil in which to grow good food, or to bury the dead. The next session of the evening was devoted to a brief survey of the work done for the bodies and souls of the inhabitants, special reference being made to the great good accomplished by that hero, Dr. Grenfell.
After the papers were read Miss Macaulay, the president, discussed, briefly, some of the causes which had seemed to interfere with work being done for Labrador by the W.A. This brought out the fact that "What-so-ever" Circle of King's Daughters, in this city, had sent a bale there, and the W.A. of St. Paul's, Brockville, had also prepared, and sent, a large bale to the needy and desolate region.
There was a very large attendance many non-members of the Auxiliary being present.
SELF-SHARPENING SKATES.
A Clever Invention By a Canadian.
"I was informed to-day by a most reliable friend, who had seen the model, that a Brooklyn man, William H. Haworth, had invented a 'self-sharpening skate.' His claim is the sharper they get. This seems impossible, but my friend, who is a patent expert lawyer, says it is an actual fact.
The above clipping from one of the New York papers speaks for itself, insofar as the William H. Haworth it

The Paragraph Pulpit
Uttarian
REV. C. W. CASSON, OTTAWA
The Resurrection Of Religion.
Men say the church is dying, and not without good cause. The emblem of religion certainly do not appeal to men as they did. Religious authority is being everywhere doubted and old standards are being displaced. Growing up like snow drifts in spring time, Religion is not passing, but only its winter. Its summer is coming. The fact and the force remain, but daily grow more real and strong. Religion is asserting itself in the lives of men. It is rising to new heights in the altruism of the race. Religion grows, for love grows and love is religion.
Address: Mr. Casson for free literature.
refers to as the inventor has invented a "self-sharpening skate." The application, Mr. Haworth says is now being acted upon by the patent office in Washington, but he is cautious in explaining its construction until he is securely protected from the Washington patent office so that he can be a foundation for other countries' patents. Mr. Haworth I heard say is a party of friends that all he could divulge at present was to say, that the self-sharpening skate would not differ in material or general form from the most up-to-date skate, and applied to the foot in the usual way, and no more expensive. I was interested to find that Mr. Haworth was Canadian born, and being an old Kingston, Canada, boy myself and many years, a student in Toronto Upper Canada College, I was pleased to learn of Mr. Haworth being an old college boy of Toronto, and inventor of such a most "contradictory mechanical impossibility." As I heard others remark. But in confidence, as related, and process of the skate shows me, I can make affidavit of its being an actual mechanical fact, and in action it positively cannot help being self-sharpening if it tried by—Arthur B. Wilkinson and William H. Haworth it

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