

Synopsis of Canadian North west HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North-West Provinces, excepting sections 2 and 20 not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

The Right Way To Cure Grippé

Most Cough Cures have a depressing effect on your system hence their failure to cure you. Mathieu's Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil is the only cough and cold cure that acts as a TONIC to your system. LARGE BOTTLE, 35 CENTS.

When combined with Mathieu's Nerve Powders it is the most powerful of all cures for the Grippé and all FEVERISH COLDS. It is the quickest way to get well. Keep some of both in the house. Large box of Powders 25c. (18 boxes.)

J. L. MATHIEU Co., Props., Sherbrooke, P. Q.



A bag or a barrel—it's all the same. The same choice Ontario and Manitoba wheat—milled the same—and blended in exactly the same proportions.

That is why Beaver Flour always gives the same results—and is always the best for Bread and Pastry.

At your Grocer's. Dealers—write for prices on all kinds of feeds, Corn, Grains and Flour. J. H. Taylor & Co., Limited, Chatham, Ont.

Advertisement for 'Carbo Magnete' featuring a circular logo and text: 'THE RESULT OF YEARS OF STUDY AND EXPERIMENT. The method of preparing the metal and turning it into a magnetic substance...'.

Pt. of A. L. SILBERSTEIN, 476 Broadway, New York, N.Y. For sale by McKelvey & Birch, 69-71 Brook St., Kingston, Ont.

Eczema, Salt Rheum.

Eczema or Salt Rheum, as it is often called, is one of the most agonizing of skin diseases. It manifests itself in little round blisters, which contain an extremely irritating fluid. These break and subsequently a crust or scale is formed.

The intense burning, itching and smarting, especially at night or when the part is exposed to any strong heat, are almost unbearable.

The pre-eminent success which Burdock Blood Bitters has met with in permanently curing a disease of such severity is due to its wonderful blood cleansing and purifying properties.

No other remedy has done, or can do, so much for those who are almost driven to distraction with the terrible torture of such thousands of signal testimonials can testify to.

Mrs. J. R. Keedy, Linton, N.B., writes: 'I was so troubled with Salt Rheum for eight years, that I could not work my hands even in soap. By using Burdock Blood Bitters my hands were eventually cured.'

Mrs. I. C. Beckner, Eden, Ont., writes: 'I was troubled with Eczema for a long time. It came out on my face and between my shoulders. A friend told me about Burdock Blood Bitters. I took two bottles and it helped me so much I cannot recommend it too highly.'

Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional. The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical remedy. The latter—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—is a general tonic, giving renewed vigor and ambition, and building up the system, bringing about renewed vitality. Tablets or Liquid—see general tonic in the system. For positive local help, use as well.

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure

'ALL DEALERS'

SOME CANDID ADVICE

WEEKLY SUN SPEAKS WORD IN SEASON TO MATHESON.

The Provincial Expenditure Going Up Too Fast—A Need of Economy—How a Farmer's Paper Sees Things—Mr. Matheson Must Sit Heavily on the Lid of Ontario's Box.

Toronto Weekly Sun. Hon. Mr. Matheson estimates the receipts of the province for this year at \$7,221,000, with a possibility that the total may be increased to \$8,200,000 by a surplus over and above the Temiskaming railway. For 1903 the revenue of the province was less than five and a half million, so that at the least the provincial income this year will be nearly two and a half millions in excess of that of five years ago.

The provincial treasurer seems to think the mere fact that there has been an enlargement in revenues a sufficient justification for more liberal spending. This is not necessarily the case. The fact years may not continue indefinitely, and more of the extra millions which have come in during the last four years should have been applied on construction account of permanent works like the Temiskaming railway, or else set aside as a fund to the debts incurred under previous administrations for the subsidizing of private railways.

The only really large work under way during the term of the present government has been the Temiskaming railway, and the construction of this is being provided for out of borrowed capital. No great undertakings such as the erection of a new central prison or new parliament buildings had to be provided for out of current account, and still the expenditure in 1907 was \$7,714,000, or \$2,500,000 more than in 1903. Where has all the money gone? One of the large increases is in education, in which department the outlay in 1907 was more than \$100,000 above that of 1903. That we think is the most defensible item in the total.

An advance here was absolutely necessary if the public interest was not to suffer. In the expenditure on civil government some increase was, owing to the rapid expansion in New Ontario, also necessary; but an increase of over fifty per cent. in four years represents altogether too fast a gain. Much of the additional outlay under this head is due to the advances made in salaries at a time when the cost of living had temporarily reached a very high level. Nothing is heard of any proposal looking to reduction in these salaries now that a dollar is worth a good deal more than it would be two years since. What is said of the expenditure on civil government holds good, too, in the matter of outlay on administration of justice, where an increase of about thirty per cent. has been recorded since 1903. A good deal of this was due to the opening of \$36,341 on legal services in 1907, as compared with \$7,737 paid similar services in 1904.

The province is in an infinitely better position financially than is the dominion. The per capita expenditure...

News From Ameliasburg.

Ameliasburg, March 25.—Charles Ferguson is moving on the Pettit farm, lately occupied by Mr. Puffer. Mr. Vanocli, Hull's Island, is renting a farm of J. F. Parliament. D. Palmer is renting the farm lately occupied by T. Bibby. Mr. Parliament and Mr. Lewis are having sales. Cows are not bringing prices expected. At sales here one herd brought from \$25 to \$35 each. It will cost that to winter them. Howard Anderson and Mrs. James P. Anderson are convalescent after several illnesses. The mill has again entered the course of one case being reported at the Carrying Place. Hay and straw will be well used up this year. A number of new meadows were killed out a year ago so people may not look for much decrease in the price of hay. The great amount of machinery, wire, etc., being drawn in here, and the great amount of farmers' products being hauled over the twelve miles to Belleville, forces upon one the great necessity for railway communication, and gives one a better view of the districts would feed some of the well, making it pay some company to build through here. The mill is running regularly. There has been no sugar brought in yet.

Canadian Lake Line.

SS. J. H. Plummer—Captain, W. McLean, Collingwood; chief engineer, R. Chalmers, Midland. SS. A. E. Ames—Captain, A. McFay, Owen Sound; chief engineer, Samuel Gillespie. SS. H. M. Pellatt—Captain, A. Anderson, chief engineer, W. H. Durham. SS. Kenora—Captain, E. Stephens, Collingwood; chief engineer, A. Byers, Port Dalhousie. SS. Regina—Captain, P. McKay, chief engineer, P. J. McSorley. SS. Corunna—Captain, W. H. Bryan, chief engineer, Mr. Ross. SS. Nevada—Captain, J. Cavanagh, chief engineer, Mr. Linton. SS. Arabian—Captain, Mr. O'Brien. These boats will start about the middle of April.

Simple Corn Remedy.

Peck's Corn Salve simply softens the hard, dry tissue of which corns are composed, and detaches it from the healthy flesh. Never fails. In big boxes, 35 cents, at Wade's Drug Store.

Students.

We do not give 10¢ hats to students, but we do give \$2.50 hats for \$2. The H. D. Bibby Co. Lemons, 2 Dozen, 2c. Edwards & Jenkin, Phone 715.

THE PEANUT DIET.

Goobers and One Fruit Meal a Day Recommended. Dr. Thomas J. Allen, the man who lived sixty years on peanuts, declares that the peanut is 'a safe, substantial and valuable article of diet.' Yet he does not advise everyone to cling to goobers alone.

'The exclusive peanut diet,' he says in the Vegetarian, 'may do much harm. The peanut is loaded. It is a highly concentrated diet. It contains twenty-five per cent albumen, which is at least twice as much as one doing vigorous mental work should eat. The first week I lost ten pounds as a result of the sudden change, even though I had fasted foods before my exclusive dieting of three or four days. The news was heralded that the peanut man was losing flesh rapidly, but was as well physically and mentally as ever. Immediately letters began to pour in from every state. How do you eat peanuts to reduce your weight, raw or roasted?'

'Four ounces of roasted peanuts (you can learn to like them that way, for it's natural) daily is a good ration for the average case. The best time to eat them, generally, is the fore part of the day, the substantial fruit meal being taken in the evening. It requires an hour at least to eat them properly, but this need not interfere with business or pleasure.

'The peanut is a natural narcotic. If you are troubled with insomnia and consequent nervous exhaustion (or deep in nature's restorer), eat a few peanuts an hour before retiring—pulverizing them thoroughly.'



Gown Of Messaline. The costume shown in the accompanying drawing could be very easily and effectively copied by the home seamstress, as the style of trimming, while new, is very easily followed.

Pale blue satin messaline was used for the gown sketched, the strap trimming being crossed over flat lace, the lace also being let into the skirt, under similar bands. The skirt of the gown was cut in a two-piece circular, and had a sweep all around, with a decided train in the back.

THE WHIG'S JUMBLE.

Tells About a Lot of Things in Short Metre. Latest hats, \$2, at Bibby's. Many a poor man has nothing but orange slices to rent, 25c. a day. Gilbert. An empty head contains a lot of useless information. Look up Livingston's advt. for Saturday night specials. Experience and real estate booms are great teachers. Try Bibby's \$1 blue shirts. Read Waldron's Saturday night advertisement. A special sale. Beware of imitators and go to Gilbert's for a 7 lb. pail of good fresh jam, 35c.

George H. Worthington, of Cleveland, O., has a stamp collection that experts estimate is worth \$200,000. Waldron's sale Saturday night, of white waists and satem skirts, 42c. See advertisement.

Work has begun on the new British battleship that is to overmatch the Dreadnought. She will be christened Collywood. Try Bibby's pretty \$1 shirts. An average man, living for the average period of human life, may be calculated to get through about 2,500 miles of reading.

B. A. Hotel Arrivals.

J. E. Anderson, S. S. Newton, F. J. Kirk, T. C. Hunt, R. W. Braithwaite, A. E. Junier, B. A. Stewart, H. R. Maddock, Toronto; Church Bros., W. E. Van Vlack, Picton; Rodney Worth, Philadelphia; C. L. Ely, P. Spaight, Wood, Ottawa; D. E. Winley and son, New Haven, Conn.; W. G. Andrews, Barnard, N.Y.; R. A. Alderice, H. Hiplock, T. S. Cune, Montreal; E. E. Wheeler, New York; R. E. Robitaille, A. B. Whiteley, Deseronto; W. Patterson, Windsor; P. Lee, Belleville; E. H. Morris, Dayton, O.; William Rankins, Winnipeg; E. Wirebasch, Newark, N.J.

A Great Hat Combine.

In Campbell's hats are combined pleasing good style, high quality and low prices. See our surprising values in \$2 and \$2.50 Derbis. Campbell Bros., Kingston's style centre for men's hats.

The Fat Of The Land.

Philadelphia Press. 'Blotches' are literally lives on the fat of blubber. 'Blotches'—What business is he in? 'Blotches'—He manufactures an obesity remedy.

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The Shoe For Young Men. We are just in receipt of a big shipment of Men's Fine American Shoes, made by the great house of Thompson Bros., Brockton, Mass. These shoes are Young Men's Shoes in every detail. For 25 years Thompson Bros. have made nothing else. We invite the Young Men to call and see these leading shoes. They are undoubtedly the best goods imported into Canada. Prices \$5 to \$6.00.

J. H. SUTHERLAND & BRO., The Home of Good Shoes.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE. HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO. ESTABLISHED 1867. R. E. WALKER, President. ALEX. LAIRD, General Manager. A. H. IRELAND, Superintendent. Paid-up Capital, \$10,000,000. Rest, 5,000,000. Total Assets, 113,000,000.

BANK MONEY ORDERS. ISSUED AT THE FOLLOWING RATES: \$5 and under, 3 cents. Over \$5 and not exceeding \$10, 6 cents. \$10 " " \$30, 10 cents. \$30 " " \$50, 15 cents. \$50 " " \$100, 20 cents. These Orders are payable at par at any office in Canada of a Chartered Bank (Yukon excepted), and at the principal banking points in the United States. They are negotiable at \$4.00 to the \$1 sterling in Great Britain and Ireland. They form an excellent method of remitting small sums of money with safety and at small cost, and may be obtained without delay at any office of the Bank.

What Everybody Has Been Expecting and Looking For. A Record Sale for the New "Writing in Sight" L. C. SMITH & BROS' TYPEWRITER. We have just closed our first 3 Years' Business. We have SOLD over 1,400 Machines in Canada. We hold the biggest record for the sale of any Typewriter placed on the Canadian Market. Have you seen our new Ball-Bearing Type Bar? Our Opponents said we "Couldn't do it." "WE DID." It will be money in your pocket to look at it. Let us demonstrate it to you. Newsome & Gilbert, Limited, No. 9 Jordan St., Toronto. LOCAL AGENTS: NEWMAN-SPRIGGS ELECTRIC CO., 79 Princess Street, Kingston, Ont.

Polishing Mitten. Answers equally well for Furniture, Shoes and Stoves, and they keep your hands clean. Price, complete with Dauber, 15c. McKELVEY & BIRCH, 69-71 Brock St.

COAL! The sudden change in weather ought to suggest the wisdom of securing in some good coal. We sell good coal. It is the kind that keeps out the cold, heat, and makes the home comfortable. It's the best money can buy, and there is none better mined. We deliver it to you clean and without ash, at the very bottom price. Booth & Co., Phone 133. Foot of West St. 'JUST IT.' For the Breakfast on a cold morning a hot slice of 'Mild Cured Ham,' and Strictly Fresh Eggs, at McKelvey's, 69 Brock Street, Phone 579.

KINGSTON & PAMBROKE RAILWAY. IN CONNECTION WITH Canadian Pacific Railway. LOW ONE-WAY RATES. Second Class One Way Daily, February 29 to April 29. \$50.10. Various B.C. Points, Vancouver, Seattle, Portland, etc. Full particulars at K. & P. and C. P. R. Ticket Office, Ottawa, St. C. F. CONWAY, Genl. Pass. Agent.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. ONE-WAY COLONIST RATES. Daily Feb. 29th to April 29th. Vancouver, B.C., Victoria, B.C., Westminister, B.C., Seattle, Wash., Tacoma, Wash., Portland, Ore., Astoria, Ore., San Francisco, Cal., Los Angeles, Cal., San Diego, Cal., \$52.05. El Paso, Tex., \$54.85. Mexico City, \$57.55. Local Branch Time Table. Trains will leave and arrive at City Depot, Foot of Johnston Street.

GOING WEST. Live, City Arr. City No. 5 mail 2:58 a.m. 3:17 a.m. 3 express 3:35 a.m. 3:17 a.m. 11 local exp. 5:05 a.m. 9:47 a.m. 1 Inter. Ltd. 12:25 p.m. 12:50 p.m. 7 mail 3:19 p.m. 3:51 p.m. 15 local exp. 7:03 p.m. 7:38 p.m. GOING EAST. Live, City Arr. City No. 8 mail 1:43 a.m. 2:17 a.m. 2 fast exp. 2:35 a.m. 3:17 a.m. 14 local 3:18 a.m. 3:50 a.m. 6 mail 12:25 p.m. 12:50 p.m. 4 fast exp. 1:05 p.m. 1:50 p.m. 12 local 7:03 p.m. 7:38 p.m. Week 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 run daily. All other trains daily except Sunday. For full particulars, apply to J. P. HANLEY, Agent, Cor. Johnston and Ontario Sts.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. Royal Mail Trains From Montreal to Halifax. CONNECTING WITH Royal Mail Steamers From Halifax to Liverpool. Canada's Famous Train THE MARITIME EXPRESS. Leaving MONTREAL Fridays at 12:00 (noon) carries passengers baggage and European mails, reaching the steamer's dock at HALIFAX the following Saturday afternoon.

Montreal Ticket Office. 141 St. James St. QUEBEC S.S. COMPANY BERMUDA. Reached in 45 hours from New York by the new Twin Screw Steamship 'Bermuda', 5,500 tons. Leaving at 10 a.m. 28th March, 7th, 14th and 23rd April and 8th and 15th May. SPECIAL TRAINS carrying passengers baggage and mails when inward steamers do not connect with the MARITIME EXPRESS, leave HALIFAX immediately after the arrival of the steamer, making connections for Ottawa, Toronto, Detroit and Boston, etc. FOR TICKETS AND FURTHER INFORMATION, apply to nearest GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY AGENT.

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ALLAN Royal Mail LINE TO LIVERPOOL. Victorian sails from St. J. on March 27th, Halifax, March 29th. 'Tartan', Triple-Screw Steamer, 12,100 tons. First-Class \$41.00, Second-Class \$28.75. Rates of passage and full information may be obtained from J. P. HANLEY, Agent G.T.R., of G. H. KIRKPATRICK, Local Agents.

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