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Allows Everyone to Try Out These Wonderful Fruit Juice Tablets at a Cost of Only Twenty-five Cents.

Put up in 50c boxes only, "Fruit-a-tives" has in the last four years gained a tremendous and rapidly increasing sale, and a reputation for remarkable cures in every part of Canada.

During this time hundreds of people have been asking for a 25c. box to try. They have heard of "Fruit-a-tives" and of the benefit it is giving to thousands, but some people hesitate to pay 50c. to try a remedy that is new to them.

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If your dealer has not both the 25c. trial size and the regular 50c. boxes, write direct to Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont., and we will send you direct.

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Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of Dr. Wood

Very small and as easy to take as sugar. FOR HEADACHE, FOR BILIOUSNESS, FOR TORPID LIVER, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR SALLOW SKIN, FOR THE COMPLEXION.

CURE SICK HEADACHE. New Variety Of Wheat. For years E. P. House, of Greeley, Colo., has been trying to secure a cross between a winter and a spring wheat, combining the superior qualities of each.

China, A Collection Of Names. China is not a nation in the sense in which we ordinarily use the word. If we picture to ourselves the countries of Europe, with their different languages and different customs, drawn together in a loose confederation under the government of a conquering race, we shall have some small conception of what this Chinese "nation" really is.

10c. The latest success. Black Watch The big black plug chewing tobacco.

BIG DAY AT RENFREW

IT IS CELEBRATING ITS JUBILEE TO-DAY.

Many Visitors in From All Directions to Help Keep the Event—The Town is Finely Decorated—The Proceedings.

Special to the Whig. Renfrew, Ont., July 27.—Fifty years ago, to-day, Sir Edmund Walker, then governor-general of British North America, issued the writ which incorporated the village of Renfrew. To-day the town's golden jubilee, and it is also its civic holiday.

There are between 1,500 and 2,000 visitors from the surrounding country, from Pembroke, Almonte, Carleton Place, Arnprior, Calabogie, Springtown, Burnstown and other points. On the stroke of midnight the Renfrew band, under one of the big special arches, that form part of a series of magnificent decorations, played "God Save the King," and then serenaded the mayor and others.

Since then there has been something doing every hour. At 9.30 o'clock all the bells of the town rang. Then there was one of the finest parades ever seen.

Three bands, including the military band, the military college band, the decorated floats, automobiles, rigs, mounted marshals, and so on, were in line during the day. Mayor Mackay read the original proclamation which, fifty years ago, incorporated Renfrew, and congratulatory messages are expected from many places.

This afternoon there is being held a big programme of sports, including a five-mile marathon, in which there are Renfrew, Kingston, Brockville and Ottawa entries, baseball match, Douglas, N. Northern, lacrosse, football, etc. Tonight three hundred school children will sing. There will be band concerts and fireworks.

During the day, Rev. James Wallace, Lindsay, Ont., and Rev. Father French, of Brudenel, both former Renfrewites, made speeches.

The weather is ideal and the decorations are on an elaborate scale. Crowded excursion trains are reaching here. The jubilee celebration promises to be one of the biggest in the history of the Ottawa Valley.

BANK LOOTER SENTENCED.

Brought Back From Mexico—Gets Off Easily. Hartford, Conn., July 27.—W. F. Walker, who looted the savings bank of New Britain of more than half a million dollars worth of securities, pleaded guilty on four counts of the indictment in superior court. He was sentenced to not less than one year nor more than five years on the first count, and not more than five years each on the three other counts, sentence to take effect on the expiration of each previous sentence under the indeterminate law. This will make the entire penalty not more than twenty years.

NO. 15 WOULD QUIT.

Sues Much-Married Woman For Divorce. Fremont, Neb., July 27.—The fifteenth husband of Mrs. Phoebe Townsoul, of this city, yesterday filed suit for divorce from that lady, alleging cruelty as a cause. Mrs. Townsoul has been widowed by the courts eight times in her life, and widowed by death six times. To-day she has eight ex-husbands living and six dead.

Mrs. Townsoul has been married a many times that she cannot name all of her husbands, much less give them in the order in which they entered her life. But until the present petition was filed, she has never before been sued for divorce, the suits heretofore always being filed by her.

CROPS AT \$40,000,000.

Estimate Based on Exhaustive Reports Received. Montreal, July 27.—From exhaustive reports received at the head offices of the banks in this city, the estimate of the wheat crop of the Canadian West is placed at 120,000,000 bushels. The oat crop is estimated at 100,000,000 bushels and the barley crop at 250,000,000 bushels. The prices are placed at \$5. per bushel for wheat, 30c. per bushel for oats and 40c. per bushel for barley, or a total for the entire crop of \$140,000,000. The bankers are of the opinion that the crop will be sent east early, the farmers being in immediate need of money.

This Is True.

That the programme at the King Edward Theatre to-night is fine. Don't miss "The Stages in Matrimony" if you want something funny in the extreme. Also "He Would Be a Soldier" to laugh from start to finish. "Romeo and Juliet," one of Shakespeare's grandest successes, will be re-produced Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday by forty of London's leading actors and actresses. Everything will be explained as the play proceeds, by one of Kingston's leading artists.

Celebration At Quebec.

Montreal, July 27.—Le Nationaliste publishes an open letter to the Prince of Wales, the gist of which is a claim that the demonstration at Quebec is nothing more than a huge imperial parade, and the heart of the French Canadian people has no sympathy at all with the doings at the ancient capital.

Jewelry Was Returned.

On Sunday afternoon, S. Grimshaw, Division street, reported to the police that several pieces of jewelry had been stolen from his house, and also a collar, gold piece. On Sunday, the articles were returned, and the complainant would not prosecute.

You've Been Waiting For This. A trip to Lake-on-the-Mountain, Tuesday, July 28th, steamer American, 11 a.m. Home early, 50c.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

Senator Danahurand may be called to the Canadian cabinet. At Hornell, N.Y., two men were fatally injured in a wreck on the Erie railway. Choloteca, Nicaragua, is now in possession of the Honduran government.

At Quebec the state dinner was a brilliant function, on Saturday night, at the Citadel. At Chatham, Mrs. Walter Griffin is suffering from blood poisoning, owing to the bite of a mosquito.

T. J. McGeachy, Toronto, Y.M.C.A., has started to run to New York. He hopes to do it in thirteen days.

Reshid Effendi, brother of the sultan, made a demand on the ruler, on Monday, for the transfer of the throne to him.

Lord Roberts will stay two full days in Ottawa at the week-end. He will probably be a guest at the Russell House.

The American car, in the New York to Paris race, arrived at Berlin on Monday morning, and started for Paris.

Peter Zaas is under arrest on a charge of seducing his cousin, Mary Gravelle. Both parties live in Dundas, Ont.

John Myers, a Hamilton, Ont., proprietor, was killed, at Burlington, on Monday, by a heavy spool of span wire falling on him.

President Ross, of the Dominion Coal company, denies buying or selling a share of Dominion Steel company stock for weeks.

Fernando Quechalla, the president-elect of Bolivia, and former minister of the republic to the United States, died suddenly on Friday night.

A track worker on the Grand Trunk between Montreal and Lachine was killed on Monday by an Ottawa train.

He was a Russian by name of Kogorink.

Mayor Stewart, Hamilton, refuses to sign the contract, made by the city council, with the Cataract Power company for power for street lighting and pumping.

John Campeau, Belleville, Ont., is under arrest, charged with the burglary of three stores in Trenton, on Saturday night. There were two others with him, who escaped.

Louis Armour, aged fifty, returned to his home in Toledo, Ohio, after sixteen years absence. His wife re-joined him. He shot her dead, wounded his daughter and then tried to suicide.

Eddie Archer, a notorious card sharp, was arrested in Detroit on Sunday afternoon, as he stepped from a Toledo boat. Archer recently finished serving a six months' sentence in Brandon, Manitoba.

A shocking automobile accident occurred west of Port Henry, N.Y., on Saturday, resulting in the instant death of J. E. Dodge, Maiden, Mass., and Lockwood Reed, Port Henry. The machine ran over embankment.

The six Doukhobor women sent to Prince Albert, Sask., from Yorkton, refused to eat, and Warden Kerr, of the prison, is having them fed soup with a tube. They attempted to discard their clothing, but were stopped.

The Grand Trunk railway and the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario railway have signed an agreement by which these railroads will occupy their own station and freight sheds, at North Bay, Ont., entering the town on their own right of way from Nipissing Junction, with four passenger tracks leading to the new station.

JEALOUS LOVER.

Shot His Sweetheart Walking With Another. Norfolk, Va., July 27.—Finding his sweetheart Miss Amanda Morse, promming on the Campostella bridge with his rival, Benjamin Gilbert opened fire with a pistol on her last night. Two bullets took effect in the young woman's back.

William Mitchell who was with the young woman, was unharmed, but kept Gilbert in sight and caused his arrest, he being unarmed. Miss Morse has only a slight chance of recovery.

The police arrested C. W. Morse, father of the young lady, who wanted to kill Gilbert while he was under arrest.

How To Deal With Chicken Hawks. When a hawk is known to have acquired the habit of stealing chickens, for many are blamed that are not guilty, the following plan will usually rid the chickens of the intruder. Take a dead chicken or shoot a rabbit, if it is a rabbit, cut the skin across the back, pulling it both ways from the cut. Across the flesh make several small gashes, and then in turn work some strychnine. Then nail the rabbit to some pole or tree some distance from the barn. There is not much chance that the hawk will not get the rabbit, and the owner of the chickens get the hawk.

Hawks are, however, not nearly the nuisance they are supposed to be. They are, on the other hand, a great assistance in keeping the farm clear of field mice, moles, etc. The latter are fast becoming rather too common in Ontario, and may be a worse pest than mice have been, should their increase continue.

Wants Speedy Restoration. Mayor Ross says that there will be a little delay as possible in proceeding with the restoration of the city building's dome. He intends urging immediate action, and hopes that within a short time the work of reconstruction may be begun.

Motor Boat Breaks Down. Fine View, July 27.—The fast motor boat Comanche, owned by Howard Folger, suffered a breakdown near here Sunday afternoon. The owner was brought here in a skiff.

Baseball On Sunday. American League—Detroit, 6; New York, 2; Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 1. St. Louis, 5; Washington, 2. Eastern League—Newark, 7; Rochester, 2; Montreal, 8; Jersey City, 1.

Lord Roberts will be given a five-mile drive in Toronto so that the people can see him.

VERY HEAVY EXPENSES

AMERICAN GOVERNMENT'S EXPENDITURE.

The Army and Navy Are Becoming Expensive Necessities—A Serious Deficit is Promised.

The Form. The aggregate of all the appropriations made by congress this year reaches the abnormal sum of \$1,698,804,894, or more than \$88,000,000 in excess of the budget for the previous year, notwithstanding the fact that the river and harbor bill, which last year carried an appropriation of \$37,000,000, was omitted.

About one-half of the increase is chargeable to the army and navy, \$23,000,000 for the latter, and \$16,000,000 for the former. The army and navy, by the way, are becoming expensive necessities and annually cost nearly \$100,000,000 each.

In fact, so enormous were the appropriations that Representative Tawney, the chairman of the house committee on appropriations, felt called upon to apologize for their excessive size, while the democrats, through Representative Fitzgerald, of New York, presented comparative figures that are almost startling.

Mr. Fitzgerald asserted, for instance, that the expenditures during the four Roosevelt years, 1906-1909, amounted to \$3,428,000,000, while during the civil war years, 1862-1865, they reached only \$3,394,000,000. According to Mr. Fitzgerald, never but once in our history did the expenditures of the government reach the present million mark.

During the fiscal year 1865, when the country was in the throes of the bloody and expensive civil war, the expenditures aggregated \$1,294,655,000, of which \$1,040,690,400 were for the maintenance of the army. To-day, in a time of profound peace, the nation is spending more money than it did in the time of civil war. Very few people appreciate the fact that while Great Britain's navy in 1907 cost \$149,000,000, the United States navy in 1908 will cost \$122,000,000, a sum as great as the expenses of the French and German navy combined.

The maintenance of the army is also reaching a figure which places this country on a par with the military nations of Europe.

There is every reason to believe that at the close of the next fiscal year there will be a serious deficit in the national treasury. This deficit will have to be increased taxation.

The president suggests an income tax and an inheritance tax. Certainly some provision will have to be made some new sources of revenue discovered, if all the obligations contracted by congress are to be faithfully met.

The United States cannot expend money at the rate of \$1,698,800,000 a year and keep within its income, and its income is beginning to lag beyond its income it will meet the fate which always follows profligacy and extravagance.

Husbands And Cooking. New York Times. A woman, discussing how to feed a husband, said she even started her husband of fussiness and faddishness about his food. She said that he had to take what he could get.

Now, why should he? His work and money buy every scrap of food which enters the home. It is the husband's right to have the best food he likes best, properly cooked and served on the table he bought, in the house whose rent he pays, by the wife to whom he gives a house-keeping allowance as a trust fund.

He strives his very best to support his family in comfort and in the way of luxury. His wife should strive her very best to lay out the money he intrusts her with so as to secure health, happiness and content in the home.

It is a very clear bargain between husband and wife. If a man is grumpy at meals, he is usually something the matter with the meals. The sourest-tongued male begins to smile when the savory scent of an appetizing dish rises like incense before the altar of his appetite.

Kisses and sentiment do not compensate a man for poor cooking and monotonous catering.

Modest. Catholic News. Mr. Peet, a very diffident man, was unable to prevent himself from introducing one evening to a fascinating young lady, who misapprehending his name, constantly addressed him as Mr. Peters, much to the gentleman's distress. Finally summoning up the courage, he earnestly remonstrated: "Oh, don't call me Peters. Call me Peet!"

"Ah, but I don't know you well enough, Mr. Peters," said the young lady, blushing, as she withdrew behind her fan.

The Reason Given. New York Tribune. A minister of a church in Edinburgh, Scotland, recently surprised the congregation at a Sunday evening service by handing in his resignation. He was only sixty years old and was in good health and vigor. The following Sunday a committee of the members waited upon him and expressed their regret at the step he was about to take. They said to him, "You have plenty of work in you yet. Why resign?" "Yes," he replied, "I know; but you had better accept my resignation now. When I am seventy you will not be able to get rid of me."

Proved His Innocence. Boston Record. Three tired citizens—a lawyer, a doctor and a newspaperman—sat in a back room recently in the gray light of the early dawn. On the table were many empty bottles and a couple of packs of cards. As they sat in silence a rat scurried across the hearth into the darkness beyond. The three men shifted their feet and looked at each other uneasily. After a long pause the lawyer spoke.

"I know what you fellows are thinking," he said, "you think I saw a rat; but I didn't."

Two gold leaf cups and saucers given with every pound of Royal tea, black, green or mixed. Gilbert's stores.

KEEPING FLOWERS FRESH.

Cut Stems With Knife to Insure Supply of Moisture.

"Very few persons understand the art of keeping flowers," says a South-end florist, "and yet by a little attention flowers may be kept fresh for three or four times as long as people expect them to stay in good condition."

"The matter is simple enough. It is merely a question of temperature and moisture. Roses, for example, are grown at a high temperature in the greenhouses and are then generally spoiled by ill-treatment after they have been cut. Grown in a temperature of seventy-five or eighty degrees, of course, they will placed in an ice-box, where the thermometer stands at about forty degrees. Then when sold they are taken into a dining or ball-room, where the temperature is seventy-five or eighty degrees. Of course, they wilt in a few hours, sometimes in a few minutes. Nothing else could be expected."

"They could, however, be kept in proper condition for a week by placing them in water and standing the vase in the coolest part of a living room. Every day half an inch of stem should be cut off in order to present a fresh suction surface to the water. If this precaution is neglected the stem becomes clogged with a glutinous matter something like the gum that exudes from peach and cherry trees, the water in the vase, however pure, cannot be drawn up, and the leaves and flowers wither for lack of moisture."

"In cutting off the stems a knife should always be used, never a pair of scissors. The reason is plain enough. The knife makes a smooth cut, leaving the cells of the wood open and unobstructed. The scissor blades, no matter how sharp they are, always compress the woody fibres at the end of the stem and leave them so tightly pressed together that it is almost impossible for sufficient moisture to find its way through to support the leaves and blossoms."

EVERY RELIGION IN INDIA.

From Ancestor Worship to Scotch Presbyterianism.

Shared by 295,000,000 people in India, there are at least a dozen families of languages. Somewhere about eighty different languages are spoken, of which there are twenty languages spoken by not less than 1,000,000 persons each. English is very widely understood, while Hindustani is the prevalent language.

There is probably no religion which is not represented in India, from an ancestor worship to Scotch Presbyterianism. Nearly three-fourths of the total population are followers of the Hindu religion, and these, together with the Mohammedans, comprise nearly 92 per cent of the whole. There are about 3,000,000 Christians.

India possesses very few foreigners in proportion to its population. In fact, the total number of persons residing there not born in India, including the French and Portuguese possessions is only 642,000, and most of these were born in countries contiguous to India. The actual British-born population residing in India amounts to about 100,000, as already mentioned, the population of India is 295,000,000 so it will be seen England rules India with a mere handful of men.

A Lost Dime. A man one day called upon the first John Jacob Astor with a business proposition which demanded an investment of \$100,000 on his part. While listening to the plan he kept groping and feeling about on the floor for something he seemed to have dropped. When the plan had been explained he said readily: "All right, I'll furnish the money." At that instant a man entered to tell him that one of his buildings had burned down.

"That happens nearly every day," he said, with the utmost unconcern, and went on feeling about with great care for that something on the carpet. Finally the victor was curious enough to inquire what he had dropped.

"I dropped a dime here a moment ago," he replied, "and I can't find it. If a man's buildings burn down they are gone, and he can't help it, but a man who deliberately throws away ten cents because he won't take the trouble to look for it is not to be forgiven."

The more you think over it the more you will see the good sense in that piece of philosophy.

Meats For Campers. Beef loaf, cottage loaf, veal loaf. Melrose pate, dried beef, corned beef hock. Compressed cooked ham, cooked corn beef, lunch tongue. Ox tongue in glass, \$1. Potted ham, 5c, and 10c. Potted tongue, 5c, and 10c. Potted beef, 5c, and 10c. Special canned salmon, 40c, or 3 for 25c. Gilbert's stores.

National Dish Of Brazil. Baltimore American. "After existing in South American countries for the last eight months it's good to get back to town where one can get something to eat," said H. G. Breen, a San Francisco mining engineer.

"Most of the time I've been in the south was spent in Brazil. In that country the national dish is jerked beef and black beans, and one sees nothing else. Nowhere in South America, except in Buenos Ayres, can a stranger from the United States get a meal that will tickle the palate. The South Americans surely don't know the rudiments of cooking. Every dish they bring you is something in grease and garlic and so dosed with pepper as to nearly strangle you."

Excursion To Ogdensburg. Steamer Althea will leave Swift's dock, at 8 a.m., Tuesday, July 28th, giving two hours at Ogdensburg. Fare, 35c.

In retaliation of the summary expulsion of J. DuRuss, the Dutch minister to Venezuela, it was officially announced on Monday that all Dutch ships, in alien waters, have been instructed to make a demonstration against Venezuela.

Chase & Sanborn's HIGH GRADE COFFEE. Chase & Sanborn's delicious Coffee is always the same and always the best. If you are a coffee lover, Chase & Sanborn's will win your heart.

All Our Oxfords Must Go. Our Windows this week show our determination not to carry over one single pair of Oxford Ties. A Few of the Tempting Prices: All Queen Quality and Ultra \$4 stamped price Oxfords and Pumps, in Tan, Black and Patent Colt Skin. Now -- \$2.98. All Ladies' \$3 Tan, Patent Colt and Kid Oxfords. Now -- \$2.25. About 15 pairs Queen Quality and Ultra Swede Buckle Pumps, stamped price, \$5. Now -- \$3.75. All our \$3.50 Men's Tan and Patent Colt Oxfords. Now -- \$2.49. About 90 pairs Men's Tan, Gun Metal and Patent Colt Oxford \$4 Shoes. Now -- \$3.00. 55 pairs Men's Patent Colt, Tan and Gun Metal Shoes, the best American makes. All \$5 goods. Sale Price --- \$3.97. 3 gross Lily White Shoe Dressing, regular 10c. Now -- 5c.

McKELVEY & BIRCH, 69-71 Brock St. Big Blue Hardware Store. CARRIES IN ABUNDANCE.

OXFORDS FOR MEN. Pat. Colt Skin, narrow and wide toe, natty last, lace, \$5.00. Pat. Colt Skin, narrow and wide toe, natty last, button, \$5.00. Pat. Colt Skin, medium toe, natty last, lace, \$4.50. Gun Metal Calf Blucher, narrow toe, natty last, \$5.00. Gun Metal Calf Blucher, wide toe, natty last, \$4.50. Tan Calf Blucher, narrow toe, natty last, \$5.00. Tan Calf Blucher, wide toe, natty last, \$5.00. Chocolate Tan Blucher, wide toe, \$4.00. Pat. Colt Skin Blucher, medium toe, \$4.00.

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