

THE COUNTRY SIDE

YEAR 85: TO POWER. Prayer meeting is held every week. Alex is somewhat better. Very thick on the trees. Mr. Scott for Richard Wilson. Mr. Scott, the boss at a feldspars mines, has gone on a business trip. Samuel Asselstine passed through this vicinity this week.

SANGHER. Feb. 8.—The farmers are busy cutting and drawing logs and wood. A large number from here attended the oyster supper at Charles Fitzgerald's Glendower on Friday night. Edward Walsh has returned to his home in Oates after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Cochrane. D. Hickey is at Thomas Barrett's. Mr. and Mrs. T. Babcock at Thomas Young's. Mrs. Thomas Young at Timothy Babcock's, Glendower. W. Bennett at Mr. Patrick Egan's. T. P. Young, at James O'Connor's.

ELGINBURG. Feb. 16.—Beulah Hawkey, daughter of Joseph Hawkey, had the misfortune to fall and break her leg. She is in the General Hospital. Mrs. Charles Smith is laid up with a horse ankle. Miss Elsie Bearance is clerking in C. Smith's general store. James Silver has bought Herbert Sly's farm. Elgin Stover is visiting his brother, Howard, at Yarker. James McLaughlin has enlisted and expects to go overseas soon. Mrs. Boyd, Kingston, is spending a few days at C. Smith's.

HOLLIFORD. Feb. 14.—Snow ploughs and shovels are the items most in demand at this season. Fred Babcock and sisters, Misses Orpha and Helen, spent Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. M. Martin. Mrs. J. Peters and son, Wesley, saw at the former's home. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Babcock. Mr. Creek, Portage Du Fort, Que., is with his daughter, Mrs. John Medcof. Mrs. G. T. Babcock is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. J. Curran, Sydneyham. Miss F. Vanhoush has returned after spending some time in the city. Miss Marion Walker is visiting friends at Pleasant Valley. Mrs. J. W. Babcock spent the week-end in the city. Mr. and Mrs. John Snider, Unionville, were recent guests at S. Martin's. Stanley Babcock and Horace Airport made a business trip to Verona this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. Reid were recent guests at the latter's father's, H. Westbrook, Hartington.

ARDROCH. Feb. 11.—The farmers are kept busy reopening the roads after the heavy falls of snow which has visited this vicinity lately. Andrew Myers had the misfortune of having his horse break through the ice on Malcolm Lake while driving home Sunday night. With the help of some of his neighbors he managed to save the animal. We are sorry to hear of Mrs. Munro being on the sick list and hope for a speedy recovery. William Derris has returned after spending some time at Wingham. The many friends of Pte. Donley Watkins are glad to hear that he is improving and being discharged. Wounded somewhere in France, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McDonald, McDonald's Corners, has returned after spending a few days with his brother, D. McDonald. Miss Mabel Johnson, Oso, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alex Gilmore. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Watkins and Mrs. Mrs. Lorne McDonald and little son, Allan, spent Sunday at George Hamilton's. Mr. and Mrs. M. Webers at J. B. Myers'. Mr. and Mrs. W. Tapping and family at S. G. Watkins'. W. Derris and sister, Tena, at E. Martin's. Fernellina, Miss Lizzie Schonauer spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Schonauer. Alex Gilmore and Allan Watkins are busy drawing hay from Coxvale. Mr. Brown, Carleton Place, and G. Hamilton made a business trip to Myers' Cave.

MOUNTAIN GROVE. Feb. 15.—The village school is progressing favorably under the able management of Miss Rankin of Belleville. Rev. Webster visited Tuesday this week. J. E. Price and W. T. Hawley attended the Fairs.

A Sluggish Liver Causes Lots of Trouble

When the liver becomes sluggish it is an indication that the bowels are not working properly, and if they do not move regularly many complications are liable to set in.

Constipation, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice, heartburn, water brash, catarrh of the stomach, etc., all come from a disordered liver. Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are a specific for all diseases or disorders arising from a slow, sluggish, lazy or torpid liver, and they have been universally used throughout Canada for over 20 years with the greatest success.

Mrs. W. A. Harrison, 7 Poplar Grove, Halifax, N.S., writes: "I take pleasure in writing you concerning the great good I have received by using Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills for a sluggish liver. When my liver got bad I would have severe headaches, but after using a couple of vials of your pills I have not been bothered any more."

Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are 25c a vial at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Convention, Toronto this week. W. H. Cowdy is sawing wood for the farmers in this locality. The friends of Pte. Frederick Soles, who went overseas with the 146th, and afterwards was transferred to the 4th C. M. R., were surprised on Monday when he stepped off the train. Pte. Soles was wounded in October, and just reached Canada on Friday. He was hit by shrapnel in the neck, cutting some of the vocal cords, so he can only speak in a whisper. Mr. and Mrs. S. Dawson entertained on Wednesday evening in honor of Pte. Soles. Miss Mabel Cox, Belleville, is visiting friends here. The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. R. Coulter on Wednesday. As the overseas boxes had not arrived, the filling of the boxes for the soldiers was postponed. Mr. and Mrs. H. Dawson and children and Mrs. Crozier, Trenton, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Dawson. G. W. Price was a week-end guest of F. W. Read, Sydneyham. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Webster attended the tea meeting at Arden last night. William McKnight visited Kingston last week. The rain of last night took down the snow a good deal, and will improve conditions for working in the woods.

Leeds

CHAFFEY'S LOCKS. Feb. 15.—The mild change in the weather is appreciated by all after such a long continuous severe cold weather. The Red Cross party at A. Dwyre's was a success, both socially and financially. George L. Simmons, Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives here. Philip Brady was returned from Cleveland, Ohio. Miss Lillian Fleming left for Toronto by C.N.O. this morning. School is progressing favorably under the management of A. W. Dillon.

LYNDHURST. Feb. 18.—We have had our thaw, but it was a few days late in getting here, and it brought a thunderstorm with it. We could have spared some more snow as the roads are very bad. Mr. Harvey is getting in a car load of flour and feed. The farmers are hauling the feed away as fast as it can be brought in from the city. Mrs. H. Storey is improving very nicely after the paralytic stroke she had. Mrs. J. Young had a stroke, but she is not getting along so well. R. R. Tate is under the weather with sciatica. Mrs. J. Watson is about buying A. Storey's house in the village.

WESTPORT. Feb. 18.—William Rowley, an employee of the C.N.R., fell from a car last evening near the Brockville and Westport station at the foot of Church street and fractured one of his ribs. He was taken to the General Hospital, Brockville, where Dr. Horton attended him. Dr. and Mrs. M. G. Lyle left by Thursday morning's train en route to San Francisco and Los Angeles, California, where they will spend several months. Kenneth Butler, Renfrew, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Butler. Miss Mildred Hall, Chantury, is visiting friends in town. Mrs. Andy McNally left Friday for Kingston to spend the week-end with friends. Mr. and Mrs. S. Hawley, Syracuse, N.Y., were last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Kipratick.

JUNETOWN. Feb. 15.—Rev. P. C. Watson, of Trinity College Toronto, is spending a few days with friends here. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sheffield, Athens, are guests at Jacob Warren's. Misses Beatrice Avery and Fern Warren, Brockville, spent Sunday at their in-laws here. Miss Evalena Frye, Mallorytown, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss A. Price. Mrs. M. G. Herbinson and J. A. Herbinson visited the former's brother in Athens on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Herbinson spent Wednesday in Lansdowne. William Flood has filled his new ice-house with ice to be used for butter preservation this coming summer. Frederick Stride has moved to Guelph.

MALLORYTOWN. Feb. 14.—The milder weather of the past few days was greatly appreciated. The heaviest day was strictly observed here, and the local places of business were closed.

The Young People's Association of the Methodist Church enjoyed a social evening recently, when games and music were enjoyed. Miss Chatham, Montreal, is spending a few days at the parsonage, the guests of Mrs. (Rev.) Bradford. A number from here attended the funeral of the late Thomas Franklin at Caintown on Sunday afternoon. Norman Darling and family have taken up residence in their new home recently purchased from H. Dunham. Mrs. E. Gibson left on Saturday to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Miss May Green, in Prescott. Mrs. A. Jordan spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. E. Cook, Morrisburg. Mr. and Mrs. T. Connell spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stack. Kenneth Bigford, Toronto, is holidaying at his father's, Henry Bigford's. John Gibson is on the sick list. Mrs. Davis, Lansdowne, is visiting at H. Bigford's. Gerald Miller and the Misses Velma Mallory, Bertha Chick and Ella McDonald spent the week-end at their respective homes. A number of the young people took in the party at W. Lee's, Andrewsburg, on Tuesday evening. The Oddfellows are preparing for their annual "At Home" to be held on Feb. 22nd. Miss Susie Hollingsworth spent a few days at Brockville this week.

Lennox and Addington

BETHEL. Feb. 15.—The roads for some days have been nearly impassable. Miss

Olive Salisbury, Queen's University, Kingston, spent over Sunday with her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. A. Marion have returned home after a prolonged visit with his brothers at this place. Mr. and Mrs. John Jayne and son, George, visited for a few days with friends at Hay Bay. Mrs. N. Sutton, Toronto, has been with her mother, Mrs. Jackson, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Levi Salisbury and daughter, Daisy, visited recently at J. A. Salisbury's.

ODESSA. Feb. 18.—The tea and entertainment given St. Valentine's Day by the finance committee of the Odessa branch of the Canadian Red Cross was a great success, financially and otherwise. From early evening the many tables were filled with an abundant supply of dainty edibles, so generously donated by the kind people of Odessa and surrounding country, told of the sympathy that existed for the noble cause. Albert Judge gave a most address, explaining the work in general and the necessity of money to carry on the work which depended principally in the generosity of the public and the efforts of the Red Cross workers. The handsome sum of \$65.82 was realized, which will be used for anything of this kind since the branch was organized. A great deal of credit is due to the enthusiasm of the workers. The instrumental selections by Miss Hagerman, Miss Crowe and others were very much appreciated. The recitations by Miss Frankie Rose, Miss Bernice Henderson and Miss Phyllis Spruce were very creditably rendered. W. G. Clark was chairman and at the close Sidney Clay, auctioneer, sold the balance of the homemade goods, consisting of candy, fancy work and edibles, all of which sold well, thus adding considerably to the proceeds.

Late T. Franklin, Junetown. Junetown, Feb. 15.—Thomas Franklin, of Junetown, died in the Brockville General Hospital on February 15th after seven months' illness. The late Mr. Franklin was seventy years of age, having been born at Rockfield, the son of the late John Franklin. The survivors are his wife, one son, W. H. Franklin, at home, and Mrs. R. Taylor, Winnipeg, and his sister, Mrs. H. J. Taylor, of Winnipeg. The funeral was held on the following Sunday from this late residence to the Methodist church at Caintown, and to the vault at Mallorytown. Rev. W. G. Bradford, assisted by Rev. C. Watson of Trinity College, Toronto, officiating. The pall-bearers were E. Hagerman, J. Haffie, E. Avery, H. Scott, M. Hall and E. Tennant.

Plead Guilty to Burglary. Smith's Falls, Feb. 18.—Five boys were before Police Magistrate Sparham on charges of burglary. Recently a number of places in different parts of the town had been broken into and ended up with a raid on Mrs. Kimberley's grocery in Almonte, where a can of fruit was taken and found in Mr. Mitchell's store in Merrickville, which was broken into the same night. The chief went after a couple of boys he had under suspicion, and an investigation implicated five of them. He brought them all to the police court, where they pleaded guilty and were given the whole story. The magistrate reserved decision.

Late Mr. R. Dixie, Trevelyan. Trevelyan, Feb. 15.—Nora Dobbs, wife of Robert Dixie, Trevelyan, passed away on Tuesday at her home after a long illness of her heart. She was 80 years of age. Her late husband died in 1908. The funeral was held on Thursday from her late residence to the Anglican church at Ballycanoe, and to the vault at Trevelyan. Rev. P. C. Watson, of Toronto, officiated.

Henry Best, who passed away in Chicago, was a native of Brockville. He is survived by Mrs. Best, who was Miss Mary Lacey, of Brockville, and three sons and one daughter. Before leaving his Ontario home, Mr. Best was a sergeant on Brockville's police force and was noted as a clever officer.

Women, Prepare!

Thousands of women in Canada have overcome their sufferings, and have been cured of women's ills by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This temperance medicine, though started nearly half a century ago, sells most widely to-day. It can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid, and every woman who suffers from headache, nervousness, should take this "Prescription" of Dr. Pierce's. It is prepared from nature's roots and herbs and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic. It's not a secret prescription. Its ingredients are printed on wrapper. Send 10c for trial package to Dr. V. M. Pierce, Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., or Bridgeport, Ont.

Hamilton, Ont.—"When I reached the critical period I was a nervous wreck and suffered with hot flashes and dizzy spells. Favorite Prescription relieved me of all these ailments and brought me through this trying time in a large measure. I am a woman of middle age there is no tonic equal to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and I never hesitate to recommend it to my friends."—Mae Anne Souza, 41 Hess St., N. Y.

Stratford, Ont.—"I was greatly benefited by taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription; it was before twice came. I had become all run-down, was nauseated, very nervous and weak, and suffered with headache. Was not able to do anything for three months, when I began taking Favorite Prescription. It soon gave me relief and it was not long when I was strong and healthy. Favorite Prescription was surely a great help to me and I am glad to recommend it."—Mrs. L. J. Martine, 61 Kent Lane.

A man who is supposed to know says that his better half's idea of "beauty" is "only" seal skin deep. "Talk is scarce" during courtship but married life brings up the average.

NEW JEWISH BATTALION.

This British Unit is Model of Good Behavior.

The new Jewish battalion of the British army left during the first week of January for the Palestine front. The battalion is under the command of Col. J. H. Patterson, an Irishman, and a great lion hunter in East Africa in the days before the war. His experience in command of the Zion corps dates back to the Gallipoli campaign, where he was in charge of the famous Zion Mule Corps, formed in Egypt of Jewish refugees from Palestine. After the close of the Dardanelles campaign, the Zion corps was disbanded, but some of its members managed to make their way to England and form the nucleus of the new Jewish battalion.

As at present constituted, about fifty per cent. of the Jewish battalion are British-born or naturalized. The remainder include the members of the old Zion Mule Corps, a large number of Russian Jews, and a curious melange from several Allied and neutral countries. The level of physical fitness, according to the medical officers, is very high, particularly in such matters as teeth and eyesight.

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A great variety of trades and professions are represented in the battalion. There are more tailors than any other single trade, and this fact is reflected in the excellent fit and smart cut of the battalion's uniforms. There are several artists and sculptors, the latter including a leading British sculptor, Jacob Epstein, whose work has been a centre of interest in England for the past three years. A prominent concert violinist, Anton Tchaikoff, is in the same company with Epstein, which also brings a young pianist, who claims to be a second cousin to Kerns.

Regimental orders for the new battalion are issued simultaneously in English and Yiddish, and Yiddish is used as much as English in instruction. Some of the soldiers are semi-independent, and some are in command, but all the non-commissioned officers and most of the commissioned officers speak Yiddish fluently. The languages represented in the ranks are more than a score in number. One corporal speaks nine languages.

The food served is strictly kosher. Saturday is the day-off instead of Sunday, and all the fast-days are observed with as much ceremony as the military atmosphere will permit. Nelson's Midshipmen. The following extract from a letter written by Lady Hughes, who took a passage to the West Indies on board the Boreas frigate when commanded by Lord Nelson, will show the manner in which the young men in that ship were trained and gradually inured to hardships and enterprise by their parental commander. "It may reasonably be supposed that among the number of thirty there may have been a few who were as bold as I. The timid he never rebuked, but always wished to show them he desired nothing that he would not instantly do himself. And I have known him say, 'Well, sir, I would have been glad to see you, and beg I may meet you there.' No denial could be given to such a request, and the poor little fellow instantly climbed the shrouds. Captain Nelson never took the least notice of a man's timidity, but when they met at the top spoke in the most cheerful tones to the midshipman, and observed how much any person was to be pitied who could fancy there was any danger of being sent to the bottom in the attempt."—Family Journal.

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A Wasted Nose. Between Edinburgh and Carlisle a brawny, middle-aged Scotchman related a train one day, relates The Youth's Companion. His Highland garb and the fact that he took snuff from a large box on one side attracted the attention of the other occupants of the compartment. At Newcastle an Englishman whom nature had gifted with an extremely large snuffbox the other travelers, seated himself opposite the Scot, who beamed with pleasure and at once offered his snuffbox. When the Englishman declined it, the astonished Scot said: "Dinna ye snuff?" "No," replied the Scot. "It's calamity for ye had wonderful accommodation for it."

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Will Austria Go to Pieces?

WE are marching against the Russians, but nobody knows why."

Bearing this defiant banner, "The Children of Prague," comprising the 25th Czech Regiment from Bohemia, left for the front early in the war. Not long afterwards the whole regiment took an early opportunity and passed over to the Russians.

The incident is now recalled to illustrate the forces of disintegration at work in Austria-Hungary and which now show in revolutionary acts which appal the Teutons and give hope to the peoples of the Entente. Of the 46,500,000 in the dual monarchy less than half comprise Germans and Magyars, the chief stocks, and twenty-four and a half millions are Slavs. Originally the polyglot empire was created as a bulwark against the Turks, who were still powerful and conquering centuries ago. Such an enemy led to Christian forces uniting against the common foe. The unwieldy empire, with its relics of feudalism, was tolerated for generations, despite cruel oppression of the subjugated races, because the other powers did not want to risk a general conflagration which might follow their interference.

There have been many things in the past generation to lead up to the present war, but it remained for this powder-can of the Balkans to start the awful blaze. Austria sent her ultimatum to Serbia in July, 1914, because she could not stand the separated tendencies of her own people," says Pierre de Lanux in The New York Outlook, "and she needed to crush their hopes by crushing the little independent nation with which they wanted to unite. So many other factors have interposed since then that one easily forgets that this was the direct cause of the war."

Since that declaration of war there have been many ups and downs for Austria, but internal conditions seem to be leading her nearer peace than in her more powerful ally. Restless races within the dual monarchy have been persecuted mercilessly, and alidish is used as much as English in instruction. Some of the soldiers are semi-independent, and some are in command, but all the non-commissioned officers and most of the commissioned officers speak Yiddish fluently. The languages represented in the ranks are more than a score in number. One corporal speaks nine languages.

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Not a German Ideal. A stout, elderly woman stopped a clerk in the book department of a store and demanded in a voice with a strong German accent a book suitable for a bridal couple and costing not more than 25 cents. The clerk suggested Henry van Dyke's "The Pathway to Peace," and suggested that it could be the proper book for the bridal couple. The customer took one look at the title, threw up her hands and exclaimed: "Ach, Gott, no!"

A Peculiar Language. The Maltese is a most peculiar language. It is of Oriental origin, Arabic in its chief characteristics, but sprinkled all through with Italian and French. It has no grammar, is phonetic and idiomatic.

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WANTS SELF-GOVERNMENT.

Finland's Long Struggle for Greater National Freedom.

Finland, by detaching itself from chaotic Russia and establishing a republic of its own, is but repeating and extending history, for this is not her first struggle upward to the light. After almost a century under the despotism of the Czars this land of growing education and enlightenment took advantage of the anarchy which prevailed in Russia after the unsuccessful war with Japan to secure in 1905 a complete and peaceful victory for its new constitution. Under this the country has become comparatively radical, with a free press, a single chamber Diet of two hundred members, elected directly by universal suffrage, women being eligible; proportional representation and a measure of responsible government. The "Social Democrats are strong, and a considerable number of women have been elected. It is no surprise that a country which has advanced thus far in self-government should yearn for the day of complete deliverance, and should take the first opportunity to leave the helpless Russians to their own fate. France has recognized the new republic, and it is likely that it will be soon looked upon as settled for good.

Lying between Russia and the Baltic and Sweden, Finland has been another of the unfortunate buffer states of Europe, whose lands have been overrun by succeeding warring kings and generals. With an area of 144,000 square miles and a population of about 2,750,000, it compares in a general way with the settled portion of Ontario.

It is generally thought that the Finns were the first inhabitants of Finland, and we're there when the Finns came about 800, but the country had no connection with civilized Europe until the introduction of Christianity. The turbulent Finns were soon in conflict with Sweden, and warfare and conquest followed. The Swedes took possession in 1157 and introduced Christianity, replacing crude, chaotic life with their civilization and laws and substituting agriculture and other beneficial arts for the nomadic life of hunters and fishermen. Russia now began to cast envious eyes on the prospering land, and after various wars, in which small portions were conquered, secured the whole of Finland and the Aland Islands in 1809. The war, however, before the Swedish had displaced the Latin language and certain "fundamental laws" had been secured, which have been held against kings and czars for two centuries.

Under Alexander I. Finland became a semi-independent grand duchy, with the Emperor as Grand Duke, the latter recognizing the Finnish constitution and undertaking to preserve the religion, laws and liberties of the country. All went well until the reign of Alexander II, when the reactionaries in Russia began to subject Finland to orthodox and autocracy, and the much-prized constitution was imperilled. Meantime national feeling and the Nationalist party in Finland gained strength, and the literature became more widespread, and the crisis came when the czar Nicholas II, recently deposed, virtually abrogated, in February, 1899, the legislative power of the Finnish Diet. The result was a struggle followed, in which Russia sent a military dictator and an army of police and spies to Finland. Illegal arrests and suppressions of newspapers were the order of the day.

The Finns opposed it all with a dogged and determined resistance until, as a last weapon, they went on a "national strike" in November, 1905. After six days of a complete tie-up the unconstitutional Government, already embarrassed by Russian defeat in the Japanese war, capitulated, and the conditions prevailing before 1899 were restored. Since then, with slight interruption in 1908-10, Finland has moved ever onward in her self-government.

Though cut off from the western world by the naval operations of the past three years, Finland has been well known to people of this continent from its emigration. There is a considerable colony of Finns in Toronto, and one of the customs is to hold frequent meetings in their hall in Adelaide street west, where national customs are kept fresh and national sentiment renewed. Their land being somewhat remote, lying beyond the Baltic gulf, and adjoining the great snowy plains of Russia, curious habits and costumes are still retained. South Finland is a labyrinth of lakes and rivers, and the climate is moderated by moist west winds. Helsinki, the capital, with a population of 111,000, is protected by the fortress of Sveaborg, and the Baltic waters have been the scene of many battles between warring powers.

The Moss Rose. Tradition gives the origin of the moss rose as follows: Once upon a time an angel, having a mission of love to suffering humanity, came down to earth. He was much grieved at all the sin and misery he saw, and all the evil things he heard. Being tired, he sought a place wherein to rest, but there was no room for him, and so one would give him shelter. At last he lay down under the shade of a rose, and slept till the rising sun awoke him. Before waking his right handward he addressed the rose and said that as it had given him the shelter which man denied, it should receive an enduring token of his power and love, and so, leaf by leaf, and twig by twig, the soft green moss grew around the stem, and there it is to this day, a cradle in which the new-born rose may lie.

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Frederick Wood, a well-known resident of Brockville for sixteen years, passed away during Wednesday night, after an illness of about six months' duration. He was born in England fifty-four years ago.

"CASCARETS" SET YOUR LIVER AND BOWELS RIGHT

They're Fine! Don't Remain Billous, Sick, Headachy and Constipated.

Best For Colds, Bad Breath, Sour Stomach—Children Love Them.

Get a 10-cent box now. Be cheerful. Clean up inside tonight and feel fine. Take Cascarets to live your liver and clean the bowels and stop headaches, a bad cold, biliousness, offensive breath, coated tongue, sallowness, sour stomach and gases. Tonight Take Cascarets and enjoy the sweet, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand—Everybody's doing it. Cascarets best laxative for children also.

Needs \$34,000 for Schools. Brockville, Feb. 15.—At the Public School Board meeting, the Secretary was instructed to notify the Town Treasurer that the amount required for public school purposes this year will be \$34,000. A resolution was also passed that after September 1st next the maximum raise of teachers' salaries will be \$50. The salary of Principal Remmer was increased to \$1,800 per annum.

Charles A. Magrath, fuel controller, was born in North Augustus in 1860, and went to the west as a land surveyor as a very young man, finally taking up his residence at Lethbridge, Alta. Mr. Cameron, Ottawa, installed an electric lighting plant in the store and residence of E. J. Purcell, Athens. The plant consists of a coal oil engine, dynamo and storage batteries.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah, What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more yawning, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no more struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

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Klim is convenient and economical. Tastes exactly like fresh liquid milk. By using it daily you save time and money. A pound package makes four quarts. Only 35 cents. A Try it.

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Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ash, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated, forms the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infect the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomaine-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood. Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headaches, colds, biliousness, constipation, or other who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

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