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STREET RAILWAYS.

Ottawa has a street railway agitation upon a par with that of Kingston. There are two roads there, and there were formerly two companies. The horse cars have been in service for many years, the electric cars but a short time, but long enough to satisfy the people that the old mode of travel is a thing of the past. The electric road company was so well pleased with its venture that it purchased a controlling interest in the horse road, and proposed to the council to change the motive power from horses to electricity. There has been a great deal of correspondence on the subject, but these are the final proposals on either side. The company offered:

"1. To abandon the perpetual franchise in the city of Ottawa.

"2. To amalgamate the city passenger railway company with the Ottawa electric railway company.

"3. To accept a thirty years' franchise from May 1st next for the amalgamated lines.

"4. To pay the city annually the sum of $400 per mile of street whether occupied by single or double tracks.

"5. The payments to include the portions of electric railway now exempt, viz., the New Edinburgh and Ann street branches.

"6. To pay the city annually the sum of $800 per mile on paved streets, and a bonus of $1,000 for each mile so paved.

"7. Payments to begin immediately.

"8. To abandon our claim for a proportion of the cost of snow cleaning.

"9. To issue cheap tickets between certain hours good for workingmen and others.

"10. To issue transfers between both lines.

To this the city council committee replied declining the offer, and adding:

"We have, however, decided to make the following proposition to you and in our report to the council will recommend its acceptance should it prove satisfactory to your company and the Ottawa electric street railway company amalgamation of the two lines being necessary, viz:

"A mileage rate on all lines of $600.00 per mile per annum (including portions of lines now exempt from rates until 1895) for the period of eighteen years from January the 14th, 1893, and $1,000.00 per mile per annum for an additional term of ten (10) years (charter of the present electric road to be extended for ten years). Charters of both roads to run concurrently and to expire on the 14th of January 1921. The perpetual charter of the Ottawa city passenger company to be surrendered to the city.

"Rates of fare, transfer tickets, etc., as per your offer of Aug. 14th, 1892.

"The streets now traversed by the O.C.P. railway company to be taken as they now exist as to the grades, and to be left in, at least, as good condition as they now are.

"The consent of a majority of the Sparks street property owners to be obtained should you desire to run on Sparks street, and in any case one of the bridges over the Rideau canal to be free from tracks.

"Snow cleaning to be done by the company. And subject to such other arrangements as may be mutually agreed upon that are necessary for the protection of the interests of the city of Ottawa."

The situation is concisely summed up by the *Citizen* which says that the company's proposal, if accepted, would give the city an immediate electric mileage of over twelve miles; would bring in a revenue of $5,000 per annum, instead of $2 250 as at present; and would for every mile of street paved secure a bonus of $1,000, and a mileage increased to $800 per mile. The company offers also to abandon its perpetual charter, and accept a charter for thirty years.

"The difference," it goes on to say, "between the two parties is one of figures and amounts. Instead of a thirty year charter the council, through its committee, suggests twenty-eight years. Instead of $400 and $300 mileage for double and single tracks respectively, the council asks $600 on both kinds of track for the first eighteen years, and $1,000 per mile for the last ten years." That a settlement is hoped for is indicated by the fact that the civic committee has been empowered to continue its negotiations with the company and a compromise is urged because "the continued operation of the horse road is becoming every day more irksome to travellers and detrimental to business in the streets traversed by it, besides being a direct loss to the city in the matter of street maintenance." There is something suggestive in all this to the council and car company of Kingston.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

La Patrie is not at all complimentary to the new under-secretaries of the government. It calls them "salaried loungers," who, for $5,000, will have to defend all the measures of their chief whether good or bad. Quite an honor.

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The Toronto young liberals favor the appointment of a provincial board of arbitrators to which all labor disputes should be referred. So do most people, but the difficulty is to get what the country most wants.

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When school trustees find fault with a teacher they should know what they are talking about. Mr. Row did not advocate beer gardens and amusements in connection with his ideal Sabbath, and by being so credited he has been misrepresented.

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Hon. Mr. Ouimet has undertaken the publication of a history of the public works department. Hasn't a history of it been already published in the records of those awful scandals which cost the country many thousands of dollars and Sir Hector Langevin his political life?

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A. M. Burgess will shortly be reinstated as deputy minister of the interior department. He was reduced to the rank of chief clerk after the disclosures in the session of 1891, when it transpired that he allowed extra clerks to draw salaries under assumed names. Thus one by one the delinquents are being restored to grace and power. Virtue has its own reward, but not at Ottawa.

SUBJECTS OF INTEREST.

THE LETTERS THAT HAVE REACHED US FOR PUBLICATION.

Telling of Some Old Coins—The Electric Pole on the Market Square—Abolishing a College—"Enoch" is Called Down by "Fair Play."

KINGSTON, Dec. 9.—(To the Editor): Seeing the item in your paper of the 7th referring to coins, it might be of interest to you to know that I have a small collection of coins, including French, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Chinese, Egyptian and others. Though I can't come up to Mr. Comer with a Charles II or a double header I can produce a Queen Ann four-penny silver piece of 1703, half-penny and one farthing of 1720, one farthing of 1736, and numerous others near the same dates; also a two-penny piece, copper, 1797, and a Brazilian coin of 1796.—M. CAMPBELL.

That Electric Pole.

KINGSTON, Dec. 9.—(To the Editor): I have seen several references to the electric light in the market square (or the pole put up for the same) which, as a signer to the petition for a light to be placed at the west end of the city building for the protection of the public at large, I object to. Its position will not serve the purpose the light was asked for. (1) There was formerly a gas light at that end of the building on Ontario street which showed up the west side of the market square and the steps of the messengers' quarters, of the Bank of British North America, could be seen, but since the gas was taken away scarcely a dark night but some person is falling at the steps. (2) If the light was placed at the corner on Ontario street it would light up that side of the square, or at the corner near the market square, near the building, it would give a light both to the said steps and likewise to the police quarters.—PETITIONER.

Wants It To Go.

PORTSMOUTH, Dec. 8.—(To the Editor): I read in your last night's issue a letter from Henry Bawden, in which he advocates the abolishing of the Royal military college, and establishing in its place a school of agriculture and mining. In so far as abolishing the useless and most expensive institution known as the Royal military college, I heartily endorse Mr. Bawden's opinion. I think it was our grit friends who saddled us with the incubus, and it is only right and fitting that one of them should ask for its removal, and I earnestly hope the government will lose no time in closing such a useless institution. But with regard to taking the money which goes to keep it up and establishing a school of mining or agriculture I am not much in favor of it, as it would only be propagating another species of dude who would never be of an real practical benefit to the country. It is not colleges and schools of science we want in this country; we have too many of them now; what we want is factories and workshops to give employment to artizans and laborers who are at present starving for the want of work and obliged to leave the country to seek it elsewhere. Take the $40,000 or $50,000 a year it costs to run the useless military school and bonus some useful manufacturies which would give employment to several hundred hands, and see what an improvement it would soon make in your city. In fact I would sooner the government would give $40,000 or $50,000 a year to Ben Folger and tell him to lay it out for the improvement and welfare of the city. It would be better than giving it to the college.—R. J. D.

"Enoch." Is Warmed.

KINGSTON, Dec. 9.—(To the Editor): I read with indignation an attack (in the shape of a letter) on manager Wilson, of the cotton mill, written by one "Enoch," in the WHIG of Dec. 7th. In the first place "Enoch" showed he was ignorant of what he was talking about when he said the profits on manufactured cottons were 15a. and 16c. per lb. Even if raw cotton was bought at 6a. and 7c. per lb. and sold when manufactured at 21c. and 22c. per lb. the profits could hardly be 15a. and 16c. per lb., but he appears to think the cotton mill can be run without any expenses at all, such as labor, light, and a great many other necessities, but now that Mr. Wilson has settled him on that score "Enoch" wants to back out and turns to what I should consider bullying at which he appears to be more of an expert than talking cotton or anything else in reason. He also quotes Mr. Wilson as saying the former stockholders made a sad mistake when they sold the mill. If Mr. Wilson thought so he had a perfect right as a man is free to his thoughts, and moreover Mr. Wilson was as much interested from a shareholder's point of view as any other shareholder as I know Mr. Wilson was a very large shareholder, and if he had not had every confidence in the concern he would most certainly have urged the sale instead of opposing it.

With respect to a ratepayers' association no doubt Mr. Wilson could fully explain his views at some public meeting and that too without causing any ill feeling or any newspaper controversy.

As to the exodus of people Mr. Wilson thinks something ought to be done, so does everyone else. Mr. Wilson suggested that a ratepayers' association be formed "to ascertain the cause with a view to a remedy." He did not say he knew all about it. If he did what need of a association to find the cause? I am sure Mr. Wilson would tell us if he knew but he does not, hence his suggestion.

I have only written this because I think "Enoch" has taken an unfair way of dealing with this question and I think if he wants to fight he ought to do so fairly and not in the way he has done.—FAIR PLAY.

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with coughs, sore throat, asthma, bronchitis and consumption. Any druggist will give you a trial bottle free of cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. The large bottles are 50c and $1.

Wellington Street School.

Percentage of marks received on examinations, held during the term, in the senior third class: Stirling Schroder, 88; Gladstone Hardy, 86; Hugh Taylor, 83; Wynne Dowsley, 81; Walter Estes, 80; Jamie Rockwell, 80; Harold Martin, 78; Howard Patch, 75; Herbert Simmons, 75; Bruce Strachan, 73; Joe Marshall, 72; George Derry, 71; Arthur Henderson, 71; Russell Reid, 69; Frazer Reid, 66; Bert Darry, 65; Frank Birch, 65; Ernest Harris, 63; Eddie Chown, 63; Adam Caswell, 62; Gregor Thompson, 62; Harold Kirkpatrick, 61; Claude Kent, 58; Charlie McCormack, 58; Earl Wilson, 58; Willie McNamee, 57; Charlie Priest, 56; John Holt, 56; Willie Thornton, 56; Willie Ballantyne, 50; Willie Wylie, 50; Lazarus Silver, 50; Thomas Albison, 45; George Albison, 36; Willie Knapp, 22; Harold Corbett, 21; Benjamin McKay, 20; George Lennox, 16.

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The First Villager.

The grandfather of L. G. Kelsey, of Cape Vincent, reached the village in 1809 with an ox team and cart, and made the first clearing where the village stands. He built the first house upon the site of the Rathbun, destroyed by fire last summer. He also built the first hotel, called the Kelsey house, subsequently rebuilt and called the Carleton house, the latter, with additions and repairs, called the Rathbun house.

Leave Your Order.

Ladies call and see the best corset made, we have no competition. Ladies', children's, misses' American health waists, steels of all kinds, trusses and supporters, braces, wigs, waves. Suitable wigs to rent. Agents for the grand model of cutting and fitting. Richardson's, 107 Princess street.

An Offer Made.

A citizen has offered the fire, water and light committee $12 per year for the use of an electric light pole on the market square for advertising purposes. He would paint it twice a year.

Fraser's Rheumatic Remedy, Wade's drug Store.

THE TEA TABLE.

Read This Down and You Will Be Well Entertained and Posted.

The new kiln at the Napanee cement works is 100 feet high.

Misses and children's shoes in great variety at Armstrong's new store.

Aylmer B. Minaker has gone to the home of his parents at Morey, Mich.

Wade's mandrake liver pills, sure cure for biliousness and constipation, Wade's drug store, Kingston.

It is unlikely that the skating rink or bowling-alley will be re-built in Picton.

Jacob Blum, sr., an old resident of Cape Vincent, is dead, the result of paralysis.

Itch on human and all animals cured in thirty minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Warranted by H. Wade.

Joseph Atwell, formerly of Cape Vincent, died at Watertown on 4th inst., aged seventy years.

Hanson's Magic Corn Salve cures corns and bunions with three applications. 15c. per box at Wade's drug store, Kingston.

The McHenry barrel factory, Gilbert Mills, has closed; 15,000 apple barrels were manufactured this year.

We sell spectacles, etc., and rely on it if any of your friends wear specs, nothing would be more acceptable than a nice gold pair for a present from Wilson's Pharmacy.

Miss Barr, on the staff of teachers in the Picton high school for the past five years, has sent in her resignation.

It is stated that the C. O. railway, from Picton to Coe Hill, will shortly fall into the hands of the Messrs. McMullen.

Will be found an excellent remedy for sick headache. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Thousands of letters from people who have used them prove this fact. Try them.

The 16th batt. band has pluck. Last week they lost their entire outfit, and on Wednesday a full set of new instruments came to hand.

Mrs. Michael Mulvihill, formerly a Miss Kiely, daughter of Patrick Kiely, of the Shamrock district, is dead. Her funeral was large.

If sick headache is misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if they will positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small and easy to take.

Mrs. J. A. Duplessis died at Renfrew after a long illness, aged forty-four years. She suffered from a complication of diseases.

John V. Rudd has sold out his stock of boots and shoes at Ainprior to George Larivee and has taken his old position in Renfrew.

If you once try Carter's Little Liver Pills for sick headache, biliousness or constipation, you will never be without them. They are purely vegetable; small and easy to take. Don't forget this.

At the sale of the Marks property, Cape Vincent, the residence was purchased by A. H. Howe for $1,900, and the store by S. S. Block, for $1,000.

Smith Pearsoll, sr., Gilbert's Mills, killed two eight months' old Berkshire pigs a few days ago, their weight being respectively 303 and 342 lbs.

It is only a couple of years since Salvator Magnus was first offered to the public as a remedy, and it has always effected more cures of lung diseases than all the *remedies combined* have done in *twenty years*.

Money order conventions have been concluded by the Canadian government with Bermuda and British Guiana, to take effect Jan. 1st.

The charge of incendiarism, against four Peterboro firemen, has been dropped, no evidence whatever being offered in support of the allegation.

John J. Robson, ex-reeve of the village of Newcastle, had a paralytic stroke on Nov. 27th. He lingered until Thursday when death took place.

If you want a cough mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker then anything you ever brought home to them, get the Magnus Expectorant.

J. S. McDonald, a well-known auctioneer and real estate man, was burned to death at his home in Boston, Thursday. It is supposed he upset a lamp.

No confirmation has been received in Montreal of the report that the schedule on Canadian cattle, recently put in force by Great Britain, has been withdrawn.

Neglect to attend to kidney trouble and you will have pain in back, rheumatic pains and a general tendency to fall a victim to any prevailing epidemic. Therefore pay strict attention to your kidneys. By removing the cause you remove the symptom and by using Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure you remove the cause of all the symptoms including kidney and liver disease. Ask your druggist about it.

Two promising Prince Edward boys are meeting with good success at Vancouver, B.C., Burton and Canniff Vanhorn, sons of P. C. Vanhorn, Wellington.

James Ralston, sr., Picton, died suddenly on Saturday, being upwards of sixty years of age. For years he carried on the blacksmith business in Picton, and acquired a competency.

We do not know of any preparation that has caught the favor in so short a time as Dodd's Kidney Pills, but when we consider that three-fourths of the Canadian people are afflicted with kidney troubles in some form or other, and that Dodd's Pills are a quick and permanent cure for all these troubles, the large and increasing demand can scarcely be wondered at. Sold by all dealers or by mail on receipt of price, 50c per box. Dr. L. A. Smith & Co., Toronto.

Miss Catherine Forbes Ross, Rev. Frew, passed peacefully away on Saturday, aged sixty-four years. Miss Ross was a sister of the late George Ross, first postmaster and municipal clerk of the village.

Isaac Clark, Hallowell, met with a peculiar as well as a painful accident, while assisting O. O. Terwillegar to kill hogs. One of the pigs, when given its death stab, bit off the end of Mr. Clark's thumb.

Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brown Valley, Ind., says: "I had been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which did me more good than $50 worth of doctoring I ever had in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely remedy. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." A trial bottle will convince. Warranted by H. Wade.

Peter Narlock, working for the C.P.R., Haley's station, came to Renfrew on Monday, suffering from a broken leg. Working in a gravel pit a large lump fell and caught his right leg, breaking it below the knee. The left leg was crushed. Narlock will have to lie for six weeks on his back to allow the break to heal.

The Plain Truth

Is good enough for Hood's Sarsaparilla—there is no need of embellishment or sensationalism. Simply what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story of its merit. If you have never realized its benefits a single bottle will convince you it is a good medicine.

The highest praise has been won by Hood's Pills for their easy, yet efficient action. Sold by all druggists. Price 25c.

A Rather Heavy Concern.

Montreal Witness.

Thirteen ministers were enough to carry on the business of the country in Mr. Mackenzie's time. Eighteen are now required, it seems, to meet the demands of a party.

A Curious Combination.

Toronto News.

The new cabinet is a clever piece of mosaic work in which the blooming roses of expediency completely hide the sharp thorns of conflicting interests.

Rheumatism Cured In A Day.

South American rheumatic cure for rheumatism and neuralgia radically cures in one to three days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Warranted by H. Wade.

Put To New Use.

St. Thomas Home Journal.

The national money is dead, and imperial federation is being used as a disinfectant to prevent the fact becoming offensively obtrusive.

For Swellings And Felons.

GENTLEMEN,—My little girl, aged three, had a large swelling on her neck. I used Hagyard's Yellow Oil on it and it disappeared in a short time. It also cured a felon I was troubled with. MRS. C. E. WENDOVER, Manda, Man.

Extra clarified cider at Redden's.

A GRATEFUL MAN.

AFTER FORTY SEVEN YEARS OF SUFFERING AND WOE.

Alfred B. Harris, of Kingsville, Finds Relief—His Public Testimony.

From the Leamington Post.

In his ceaseless search for something of interest to our readers a representative of this paper, last Friday afternoon, met with Alfred B. Harris, of Kingsville, who, with a number of other workmen, was employed in erecting a building. After a few minutes chat Mr. Harris exclaimed: "I tell you, Mr. Reporter, that's a great medicine that Miller, the druggist, is selling now." "What medicine?" we inquired. "Why," he said, almost amazed that we should ask such a question, "have you not heard of the wonderful cures wrought in this section by the Magic Pile Lotion?"

Our curiosity was now aroused and we decided to thoroughly investigate Mr. Harris' statements, and in answer to our questions this gentleman told a story as exactly related below.

"About forty-seven years ago, while working at my trade as a carpenter in a western city in the United States, I was exposed a great deal to the wet weather, and this, together with the heavy lifting I was constantly called upon to do, brought on piles. At first I paid little or no attention to them, hoping that they would get well of their own accord. Instead of this, however, they continued to grow worse, and I was compelled to seek some relief. I applied to the druggist in the town and he advised me to apply a preparation which was then being extensively advertised. This I continued to use for several months, but in place of doing me good my case grew constantly worse. I then tried one remedy after another, but all with the same discouraging effect. Not only did I use all kinds of patent medicines, but I spent hundreds of dollars in treating with the most eminent physicians on the American continent. I could give the names of a score of doctors who attended me in Detroit, Lansing, Ann Arbor, Kingsville and other places.

The result was the same in every case, and I continued to decline. I moved from one town to another, in the hope that the change of atmosphere would have some beneficial effect, till I can truthfully say that I have travelled over the whole of North America. Tongue cannot express nor pen describe the suffering and agony which I endured. Night and day I experienced the most excruciating pains. I was unable to do any manual labor; I could, at times, neither sit nor lie down and have been compelled for days to crawl on my hands and knees. After having had every kind of piles known, itching, protruding, bleeding, etc., I finally gave up all hope of ever being cured and life itself became a bore to me. I was never free from pain during the whole forty-seven years. About the first of July last I happened to be in the drug store of C. S. Miller, and he, knowing well the severe case of piles with which I was afflicted, inquired how I was progressing. I could give him but the same old answer that I was no better. He told me that he had just received a supply of medicine which he knew had already brought about many cures of piles of long standing. It was a remedy which, he said, the manufacturers backed up with a guarantee that if it did not perform a cure the money would be refunded. Having tried so many remedies with such unsatisfactory results I was almost inclined to refuse it a trial. But on Mr. Miller's recommendation I decided to give Magic Lotion a test and procured one bottle. The result was almost incredible to myself and it will probably be to the public, but it is true, every word of it. Within twenty-four hours from the first application I was a well man and, although this was four months ago, I have not had a single symptom of return and I am positive that I am entirely cured. I have suffered so much that I know the value of a remedy which actually cures piles, and do you wonder now that I call it a great medicine? Now I am doing my day's work the same as any other builder and am not afraid to undertake heavy lifting, something I could not do for many years before. I cannot too strongly recommend all afflicted as I was to use Magic Pile Lotion."

Being asked if he had any scruples about his statements being made public, Mr. Harris said most emphatically no, that he would be an ungrateful man if he did not extol the merits of a remedy which had done so much for him, and with this assurance the reporter took his departure.

Calling upon Mr. Miller, the well-known druggist, we enquired if he could corroborate the remarkable story told by Mr. Harris. He said he could in every detail. He had been acquainted with that gentleman several years, had known of his sufferings and had supplied him with various remedies, but all of which failed until the Magic Pile Lotion was applied. He had seen this medicine effect some wonderful cures in several other cases.

Magic Pile Lotion is manufactured by the Salvator Magnus Medicine Co. (Ltd.) of Brockville, and can be obtained of any responsible druggist, or will be sent direct by the manufacturers upon receipt of price, viz., 50c. per bottle.

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