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Passing Throng

There is no change in the strike situation.

A. L. White is on a visit to his Princeton store.

Conductors Peck and Mesker are on a visit to the coast.

The street sprinkler is now doing business in Greenwood.

M. V. Roy is on a visit to the Halycon springs.

The Big Andy cigar is making Phoenix famous.

The Windsor hotel is noted for its tender chicken dinners.

James McCreath is spending a few days at the Halycon springs.

Steel fishing rods, ranging in price from $3 up, at Coles' Book Store.

The Greenwood smelter expects ore from Wellington camp next week.

Eric Jackson will prospect in the Portland Canal district this summer.

Born.—In Midway, upon April 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Fransen, a daughter.

Fresh tea, coffee and cake are always ready at the National hotel restaurant.

Ola Lofstad will raise a large crop of potatoes upon his ranch this summer.

Robert Lee, of Boundary Falls, is now chief salesman in W. W. Craig's store.

Rods, reels, books, flies and fishing tackle of all kinds, at Coles' Book Store.

See Mrs. Harry Towns, at the National when you have an appetite for ice cream.

Wm. Oxley, of Phoenix, has gone to South America to work for a mining company in Chile.

Ben Woods has returned to the Boundary and will open a tailor shop in Phoenix.

A bush fire at Boundary Falls this week destroyed a large quantity of cordwood.

C. J. Bunbury has moved into the residence recently occupied by the Rev. F. V. Venables.

Randolph Stuart will leave in a few days to inspect some wheat lands north of Pincher Creek.

J. Crawford, the general merchant of Rock Creek, mingled with the throng on Copper street yesterday.

D. Wadds, the well-known photographer, will do business in Greenwood this month for several days.

At the National, Mrs. Harry Towns provides her customers with Curlew ice cream and buttermilk.

During the past week, about 20 families have removed from the Mother Lode to Anaconda and Greenwood.

Miss Nelson, late of Westbridge, has recovered from her recent illness and returned to her home near Chesaw.

At the City Studio upon Deadwood street John H. James is prepared to do all kinds of photographic work.

D. S. Hardie moved to Peachland on Monday. He will fill a position in that town with Morrin, Thompson & Co.

At the Court of Revision last Monday, about 150 names were struck off the voter's list for Greenwood riding.

Messrs D. D. McMillan, J. J. Rouchon and L. L. Matthews were elected members of the Fire Brigade upon Monday evening.

The New Dominion Copper Co. has signed a contract to ship 25,000 tons of ore from the Rawhide to Greenwood smelter for experimental purposes.

The Royal Seal cigar has been before the smoking public for a dozen years. It is made in Nelson and can be bought in nearly every mountain town.

About 12 inches of a stringer carrying lead carbonate was struck in the Argo tunnel last week. The ore from it will assay $75 to the ton in gold, silver and lead values.

Robert Wood is putting two men to work on an old mineral claim near Penticton. The Sally mine, on the West Fork, will be shut down until the railway reaches Carmi.

Last week, that jolly parson, the Rev. F. V. Venables left for his new home in Quebec. As a rule only parsons or bank clerks would ever think of moving from B. C. to the land of pea-soup, but when duty calls they must obey or change their calling.

E. Berkman fell off a ladder in Oroville and bumped his nose. It bled for three days before he was brought to the hospital in Greenwood, and then it took 24 hours hard work by the local surgeons to get the bleeding under control. He will leave for his home this week.

Last week, Charles Dempsey located a ranch near Fish lake. Upon his return trip, in company with J. H. East, the train was wrecked nine miles west of Midway. This gave Charley ample time to count all the ties between the wreck and Midway and make remarks about the beautiful scenery.

J. H. Dimmick is spending a few days in town. He received the damages awarded by the court, from the B. C. Copper Co., about two months ago. At present Mrs. Dimmick is in Sidney, but he may remove her to Spokane. She is not recovering very rapidly from the effects of the terrible injuries that she received at the Mother Lode mine nearly two years ago.

Western Float

Nakusp is extending its water system.

Victoria Day will be celebrated in Kaslo.

One man, in Moyie, owns 15 rowboats.

Potatoes are $16 to $18 a ton in Kamloops.

Blue grouse are plentiful in the Okanagan.

A. Johnson will start an hotel at Quesnel.

The C. P. R. will not install weigh scales at Fernie.

The Kettle River has reached high water mark.

Kaslo may soon have a civic telephone system.

Midway will hold its first agricultural fair next fall.

The bank of B. N. A. has opened a branch in Fort George.

The rate of taxation in Calgary is 15½ mills on the dollar.

Kettle Falls has been connected with Marcus by telephone.

Beef cattle are being shipped from Calgary to Princeton.

P. Burns & Co. will erect a ten-storey building in Calgary.

It is rumored that a tourist hotel will be built at Lardo.

Another deposit of marble has been discovered near Kaslo.

The Cosmopolitan hotel, in Cranbrook, is to be enlarged.

In Revelstoke, the police do not allow hoboes to get cold feet.

Some beavers have been put in the zoological gardens at Banff.

J. D. Carlin has sold his store in Golden and moved to Victoria.

There will be a celebration in Bridesville on the 24th of May.

The police are attempting to stop boxing matches in Coleman.

At Mission City, beef is 25 per cent. dearer than it was a year ago.

The U. S. Government is planting 50,000 trout in Bonaparte lake.

The assessment of Fernie is $157,000 more than it was a year ago.

Joseph Martin, the English M. P., will spend a portion of this year in B. C.

The output of the Middlesboro collieries will be doubled in a short time.

Kelowna would like the C. P. R. to build a tourist hotel in that town.

For running a "blind pig" in Fernie, Emilio Picarelli was fined $200.

The spring assizes have been cancelled in Vernon and Greenwood.

George Stark has sold his hotel at Wilmer and gone to Portland Canal.

James Fyfe, of Cranbrook, has gone farming 16 miles from Fort George.

P. Burns & Co., will build a cold storage plant at Prince Rupert this summer.

A 40 ton mill will be erected at the Inland Empire mine, near Paulsen.

Last month, J. R. Mitchell sold 3,120 acres of C. P. R. land near Penticton.

During the past winter hardly any sheep were lost by the ranchers in Alberta.

The Prince Rupert club is putting up a building in that city to cost $9,000.

In Vernon, the curlers will build a rink and give a bonspiel next winter.

In the Okanagan, the prospects for a good fruit crop are the best ever known.

The province of Alberta is opening permanent immigration offices in Winnipeg.

Fort George already has three Chinamen. One of them is a clerk in a local store.

A. W. McVittie and S. L. Cokeley are opening a surveyor's office in Merritt.

By a vote of 85 to 35, the town of Oroville has decided to be alcoholically wet.

Fire destroyed the residence of Angus Lamont, at Ashnola, causing a loss of $1,000.

C. Zaccaro, of Portland, Oregon, has been appointed leader of the city band in Fernie.

At Merritt, a seam of coal 14 feet wide has been struck in the B. C. Southern mine.

During the last year, the debt of British Columbia was reduced by two millions of dollars.

August Nordquist, a miner from the Lucky Jim, died in Kaslo last week from pneumonia.

It was 90 in the shade upon one or two April days in the Boundary and Similkameen districts.

J. E. English is closing up the business of McVicar & Pinchbeck, in Slocan, for the creditors.

M. M. Stephens, formerly city clerk of Phoenix, is an aldermanic candidate in Prince Rupert.

Dr. Lazier has sold his practice in Princeton, to Dr. McCaffrey, and removed to Vancouver.

The Hotel Colin, at Grand Forks, has been sold for $13,000 to Charles Petersen and Gus Eastman.

Provincial policemen in the northern part of B. C. have had their salaries raised $10 a month.

The Fort George Tribune says that it is a blessing that wild geese are plentiful near that town.

F. C. Cooper, one of the pioneers of Grand Forks, died in that city last week from Bright's disease.

Last month, forest fires in the Porcupine Hills, Alberta, destroyed a million dollars worth of timber.

Rossland must be a dull town. Hotel men are being fined in that city for selling liquor on Sundays.

The Alice concentrator, three miles from Creston, has been leased to the Aurora Mining Co., of Moyie.

Prof. F. White, a musician of Crow's Nest, was killed while walking on the C. P. R. near that town.

The ladies of Christ Church, in Fernie, recently raffled a piano. It was won by an Italian hotel keeper.

The co-operative store at Chilliwack has gone out of business, it having ceased to be a profitable concern.

The staking of quartz claims upon the creeks around Dawson, is now a popular industry in the Klondike.

In and around Fort George 64 men are working with survey parties. They are paid $3 a day and board.

Lumber is being rafted down the Skeena to Kitselas, and building operations will soon be lively in that town.

R. H. Morris, a coal expert from Mexico, is examining coal properties near Princeton, for a Spokane syndicate.

It is stated that Italian railway laborers are killing game along the Tulameen river, regardless of the game laws.

George Cowan is very ill in the hospital at Bakerville. Years ago he was a member of the provincial legislature.

At a recent boxing exhibition in Coleman, between Jim Burrows and Charley Robinson, the receipts were $1,100.

New telephones are being installed in Hosmer. That town will soon have connection with Nelson and Spokane.

The C. P. R. are expending $38,000 at Summerland, in the building of wharves, packing house and cold storage plant.

Al Palmer, of Kaslo, and Captain McKinnon, of the steamer Kokanee, will visit the Portland Canal district this month.

The Slocan Record will appear at New Denver this week. J. W. Grier is the editor, proprietor and mechanical superintendent.

W. F. Teetzel has been appointed government agent in Nelson. At one time Frank owned all the drug stores in Southern Kootenay.

The Monarch mine, at Field, will soon begin shipping to the Trail smelter. The recent discoveries are almost pure lead.

Snowslider are very prevalent in the mountains around Portland Canal, and it is feared that many prospectors have lost their lives.

Kelowna wants insurance rates reduced. They should also be reduced in Greenwood owing to the excellence of its fire department.

In Vancouver, burglars broke into the residence of F. P. Pettipiece. They secured two cigars and some pamphlets on Socialism.

Thomas Abriel has bought the Ymir Herald plant and will start a paper in Nakusp. It is sixteen years since a paper was published in that town.

For serving drinks in the Astor House, Rossland, on a Sunday, Theo. Charron was fined $50 and costs. He left the city in preference to paying the fine.

For starting a bush fire, near Lille, and allowing it to run, Frank St. Lawrence was fined $40 and costs. For not obeying orders to assist in putting out the fire, two men were fined $4 and costs.

Dan Mann has made millions out of railway construction, and now he confesses to having cleaned up something like $17,000,000 in land speculation in British Columbia—just on the side. Big Dan has good cause to think well of his native land.—Hamilton Herald.

The K and H cigar has jumped into prominence through the excellent flavor of the tobacco out of which it is made.

An Old-Timer.

Billy Murray went east last July from Grand Forks and located some mineral claims in the Porcupine district, Ontario. He spent the winter at his old home in Petrolia and found that 21 years absence makes nearly everything look different. It was in '33 that Billy rode his first horse across the plains. Side by side with Jack Coryell he fought through the rebellion of '85, coming afterwards to the present site of Grand Forks, where, in company with Coryell, he located a ranch in '87, that they sold to the Doukhobors last year for $30,000. He located an extension to the Mother Lode mine when the excitement first touched Deadwood camp, and in '01 he took up, as a ranch, the present site of Greenwood, but abandoned it a short time afterwards. Mr. Murray was in town this week, shaking hands with Billy Nelson, Scott McRae and a few other trail-blazers, who made it easy for the tenderfeet to get in without stubbing their toes against fallen timber. He will leave the Boundary in a short time, to hunt up a new Eldorado in the northern part of this province, but will not take the cayuse route.

To Hurt Your Town.

Oppose improvements. Mistrust public men. Run the town down to strangers. Go to some other town to trade. Refuse to advertise in your local paper. Do not invest a cent; lay out your money somewhere else. Be particular to discredit the motives of public spirited men. Lengthen your face when a stranger speaks of locating in your town. If a man wants to buy your property ask him two prices for it. If he wants anybody's else, butt in and discourage him. Refuse to see the merit in any scheme that does not exactly benefit you. Run down your newspaper. Send your printing to outside towns. Run down your officers. Run down everything and everybody except Number One. Keep up any or all of these tactics for any length of time and you will find yourself despised by all right-thinking citizens, your business on the hog, your town on the bum and your whole life embittered because you are a knocker. Cut it out.

Protect the Wires.

In every town lit by electricity somebody is responsible for the wiring in every building. Fires have often been started by poor insulation and defective wiring. Whoever is made responsible for the wiring of buildings should exercise the powers of his office and enforce the ordinances provided as strictly as though dealing with gas or dynamite. One of the requirements is that the insulation used on electric wires should be tested to withstand any voltage required of it. This important matter is often overlooked until after a fire occurs.

Ontario Silver.

Silver is Ontario's most profitable mineral. The 1909 output is 25,000,000 ounces. This is half the annual output of the United States, the greatest silver country on earth. The mining of Ontario is, from the standpoint of provincial revenue, extremely profitable, and while the collections do not bear at all heavily on the industry, they explain to a certain extent the splendid financial condition of the province.

The Wicked Flea.

Prof. Carl C. Petersson of Dubuque, related at a recent dinner some examination stories.

"Once, in a bible lesson," he said, "I repeated the text, 'Arise, and take the young child and his mother and flee into Egypt.'

"And then I showed the children a large picture that illustrated the text in bright colors.'

"The children studied this picture eagerly. Then they all frowned. All looked rather disappointed.—Finally a little girl said:

"Teacher, where is the flea?"

—Washington Evening Star.

Long-Nosed Englishman.

Some time ago the Late King Leopold of Belgium, was strolling in the Parc Monceau in Paris. As he walked along he saw in a bed, in the center of a lawn, a plant which interested him. And stepping on to the grass he went to examine it. It is forbidden to walk on the grass in the Parc Monceau, and before many minutes, one of the park keepers, an old soldier with a chest full of medals, was in the king of Belgium's wake.

"Come out of that, you long-nosed Englishman," he shouted. Don't you know that you are not allowed to spoil the grass of the republic with those great feet of yours?"

The king, who was very much amused, apologized politely. His politeness and something familiar in his face puzzled the park keeper.

"I believe I've seen you before somewhere," he said.

"Very likely," said the king; "but anyhow, so that you should know the long-nosed Englishman next time you meet him, here is his portrait."

An he gave the man a Belgium five-franc piece.

French Sport Lovers.

Charles M. Schwab was talking about sport.

"The French," he said with a laugh are the great sportsmen. 'Le Sport'—that is their adoration. I'll never forget how I watched, one whole afternoon, from the Casino terrace of Monte Carlo, a couple of Frenchmen in a boat shooting seagulls. The blue Mediterranean was dotted with the beautiful dead white birds. They were of course, no use to anybody.

"I know a man who joined a great crowd about a sewer grating in the Rue St. Honore, in Paris. An excited Frenchman was fishing through the grating. He lowered a strong hook baited with meat, and every three or four minutes he brought up, squealing and wriggling, a fat rat. Soon he had 30 or 40 fat rats lying at his feet. The crowd was beside itself with the excitement of this sport.

"'Splendide!' it shouted at each fresh catch. 'Superbe!' 'Magnifique!'

"Then the gendarmes came and arrested the rat fisher. The crowd writhed with indignation. It followed the prisoner to the gendarmerie. It roared.

"'A gas la tyrannie! Vive le sport libre!—Down with tyranny! Hurrah for untrammeled sport!'

"My friend said there came near to being a revolution."

—Chicago News.

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Famous Criminal Pleader Is a Man Who Dearly Relishes a Fight, and He Has Managed to Keep Well Supplied With Them—Is a Quiet Man With a Fund of Secrets Locked Away In His Breast.

All the world loves a fighter. And when that man almost invariably has the losing end of the fight and as frequently as not wins out the world is prone to love him all the more.

The warrior who is a warrior for the sheer sporting instinct that is in him comes in all classes and conditions of men. He may be as like the ordinary breed as two peas, but there is always one thing by which you can distinguish him. He has a trick of fighting backwards when the odds are too great and keeping at it until he comes to the last ditch. Presently he recognizes that it is the last ditch and if there is nothing else left to do he lies down and dies in it. But a man of that sort can usually find something else to do and that is why you so frequently hear from him again.

Canada has a liberal quota of such men, but there is not one of them who piques the imagination quite so much as T. C. Robinette. Of course no one ever calls him T. C. Robinette—except in a newspaper item or a legal document. Conversationally he is Tom on the same principle that William Mackenzie is Bill, and his distinguished confrere, Daniel Mann, is Dan. It gives a fine odor of familiarity.

It was back in the regime of the Earl of Aberdeen that Tom Robinette registered his first indelible mark as a criminal pleader. A man named

T. C. ROBINETTE.

McWherral killed an aged couple near Brampton, and out of nowhere in particular came a young lawyer named Robinette to defend him. It was a long fight, but ultimately McWherral went to the penitentiary and not to the gallows. Some say that McWherral should have been hanged, but that has nothing to do with the case. Counsel for the defence was there to defend and every reason why McWherral should have hanged is a testimonial for his lawyer.

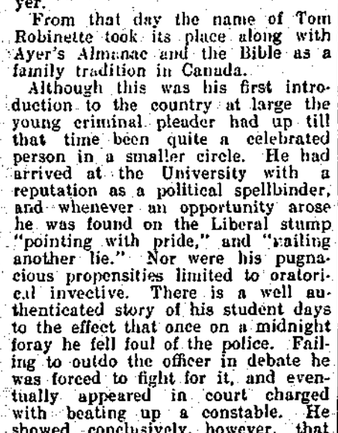
From that day the name of Tom Robinette took its place along with Ayer's Almanac and the Bible as a family tradition in Canada.

Although this was his first introduction to the country at large the young criminal pleader had up till that time been quite a celebrated person in a smaller circle. He had arrived at the University with a reputation as a political spellbinder, and whenever an opportunity arose he was found on the Liberal stump "pointing with pride," and "nailing another lie." Nor were his pugnacious propensities limited to oratorical invective. There is a well authenticated story of his student days to the effect that once on a midnight foray he fell foul of the police. Failing to outdo the officer in debate he was forced to fight for it, and eventually appeared in court charged with beating up a constable. He showed conclusively, however, that the policeman had been completely in the wrong and the charge was immediately dropped.

He graduated from the university in 1884 with a gold and silver medals, after having been the first president of the Modern Language Club, and in 1887 finished his Osgoode Hall course.

From that time on he threw himself into criminal law and since the McWherral case he has figured in almost every great sensation in eastern Canada. There was Healey, who killed Corrigan in 1899; there were Smith and Broome, who killed an old woman near McMaster University, Toronto; there was Mrs. Kyle, who shot and killed an assailant near Woodstock; and last year Mrs. Turner and Walter Blythe. In addition to these there have been scores of cases just as sensational in their time involving lesser crimes than the capital one. Then there are the divorce cases. The majority of them pass through his hands. They say in Toronto that there is no man in that city who carries locked up in his bosom quite so many family secrets.

And this is one of the most fascinating things about Tom Robinette. At any hour in the day you may see in the waiting room of his office a dozen persons drawn from every rank in life. Each in his turn goes in at the door with its inscrutable frosted glass. And while the visitor delivers up every shred of his private life that he has tried so hard to keep hidden, the calm impressive "



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tor of defences sits beating a tattoo with his long, slim fingers, and conning the fighting chance. Presently the interview is at an end and the campaign is planned. It happens over and over again a score of times a day but never a word passes the frosted glass door. This is no business for a man garrulously inclined.

Now and again long years afterward the loose ends of a story find their way out into the world. Indiscreet assistants sometimes talk too much or messages provide a loophole for escape. And when such a bit of information gets away it provides interesting reading.

McWherral, for instance. Walter McWherral was the illegitimate son of an English nobleman, who sits today in the House of Lords. His mother was a governess in the peer's family. This was a fact well known to Lord Aberdeen, and a judicious reminder of the fact secured a commutation of the sentence of death.

Everyone remembers Fred. Lee Rice, who with Rutledge and Jones created so great a sensation some years ago. Rice was a university graduate whose father had been an intimate friend of Abraham Lincoln. The father is still living and is now a millionaire in the State of Illinois. When Rice the last of the band, lay in Toronto Jail awaiting execution every possible step was taken to secure a commutation of his sentence. His father went to Speaker Joe Cannon, himself from Illinois. Cannon communicated with Ambassador Joseph Choate, then plenipotentiary at St. James, and Choate took train a few hours before the execution and rode all night to Windsor Castle to ask King Edward to grant a pardon. The elaborate scheme was unavailing, however, and Rice was hanged.

It is such stories as these that Tom Robinette could tell if he only would, but he will not. Some day his friends say, he has promised to write a volume of his reminiscences, but not until after the last ones who care are gone.

But this is only the criminal side. He figured, too, in some notable civil cases, the Toronto Parks Investigation and the London election fraud cases. Then there was the celebrated Peterboro election case where he appeared for the Government. He has on two occasions been through the political mill as a candidate, twice contesting Centre Toronto in the Liberal interest.

So when Young Canada stops in the middle of a game of "pirut" and feels certain misgivings about the fate of Blackboard and some of his other illustrious predecessors he can take comfort in the thought that Tom Robinette will be on hand to defend him so long as there is a fight in it.

MOTOR BOATING.

It Is a Pastime That Is Steadily Spreading In Canada.

Of the many manly sports, particularly water sports, indulged in by men of all ages and classes in Canada, in none has greater interest been shown than in motor boating, and this notwithstanding the fact that it is only within recent years that engines have been constructed for propelling all kinds of craft by motor power. What we possess to-day in this respect, is the result of many years of strenuous and necessarily scientific study. The ingenuity displayed by inventors in improving motor engines has been rewarded by producing a mechanism undoubtedly one of the most perfect ever constructed.

The steam engine was justly regarded as a great invention, and was so perfected as to be applicable to the propulsion of any kind or size of boat; but the discovery of the use of electricity has practically resulted in the superceding of everything in the way of steam power in pleasure boating. The reasons for this are found in the fact that the use of the electric spark for generating power saves time, gives greater speed, is much cleaner and economises space. Each of these reasons is a matter of the greatest importance, especially in the smaller classes of boats.

With motor power a yacht can be started on a minute's notice, and can develop a tremendous speed by which a small 35-40 foot launch can out-distance even such ocean greyhounds as the Mauretania, the Cunard record-breaker of the fast service across the Atlantic.

The supply of fuel (gasoline) can be stored in bunkers well protected, but which occupy a space practially unnoticed. The saving of space due to the absence of large boilers and the necessary fuel, together with the great convenience resulting from absence of heat from boilers, is sufficient to give some idea of the indubitable advantages of the motor engine over that of the ordinary steam engine.

As to the use to which smaller craft of the inexpensive variety can be utilized, there is no country equal to Canada either for short or long cruises. The enormous areas covered by rivers and streams of various sizes, as well as the inland fresh water lakes, all of which are navigable and picturesque, makes this country the home of pleasure boating. Every province in Canada, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, contains streams and lakes which are being utilized for this pastime, so that in every part of the broad Dominion this manly sport is growing in popularity amongst those who need or seek recreation. Even the great streams of the Rocky Mountains, created by the melting snows and which form lakes and rivers in the valleys, are being utilized for motor boating. It is a sport that takes one out into the open, that is enjoyed in the fresh air and, while it is not strenuous, affords some physical exercise and calls for the display of considerable skill. And what may be equally important and beneficial, it tends to develop an appreciation of the beauties of nature and of the charms of our landscapes.—Canadian Life and Resources.

More to the Purpose.

The Chinese consul-general at Ottawa told the Canadian Club of that city that constitutional government, as we understand it in this country, is nothing new, but had been practiced in China twenty-four centuries ago. So many good things were known and practiced by the Chinese in ancient times that it is no wonder the Chinese of to-day hold their ancestors in such profound reverence. But it would be more to the purpose if they imitated those ancestors instead of worshipping them.—Hamilton Herald.

The Suffragette.

The suffragette is here to stay.
I think her rather clever.
Let voters come and voters go,
But she'll talk on forever.
—Yonkers Statesman.

How Old is Hubby?

"How many babies has she?"
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"Sir George Drummond was an able man. He had a great mastery of figures. I have had many business dealings with him and found him strong and able. And in his position as chairman of the Banking Committee, he rendered good service."

There is a story in which he figured as a young man, when he was secretary of the Redpath Sugar Refinery, and which connects him in an amusing way with the late "Barney" Devlin.

Nothing amiss at all with the connection; but—I do not think it is generally known.

The Redpath people wanted to get a new charter through at Ottawa—a charter organizing the company into a limited liability concern.

"Barney Devlin was asked to put the thing through. The latter did the business in good shape, and Sir George, then plain Mr. Drummond, meeting Barney after the job was done, took him by the hand and said: 'You have done splendidly. You must have put a great deal of work and trouble into the job. Our directors meet to-morrow, and I am sure they will do something for you which will please you.'

"Barney looked forward with interest, for he was rather hard up at the time—excellent fellow, that he was.

"The next day Barney received an envelope which he thought contained a cheque. When he opened it he found that it contained a resolution of thanks and appreciation passed by the board of directors.

"Barney used some strong words and put the resolution in his pocket. He went to the Bank of Montreal and asked Mr. King, the then manager, for the loan of $300.

"Sorry I can't do it," was the reply. "We have loaned you money before and you have not paid us. Very sorry. Of course, nothing against you, Barney, but you know I have directors to face, and business is business."

"But say, Barney," added Mr. King, "Perhaps you could give some collateral?"

"Faith, I can," said Barney, pulling out and presenting the fine resolution.

Mr. King looked at it and handed it back.

"Not worth a d——."

Barney was turning to go out when he met Mr. Drummond.

The latter shook him warmly by the hand.

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"Bless me," said Mr. Drummond, "it cost me nearly an hour to draft."

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Not on The Arm

It was at a dinner party. The bright young man sat next to the young woman with beautiful arms and neck. The fair companion suddenly exhibited signs of nervousness. Two of his best jokes passed unnoticed. Her face wore a look of alarm.

"I am in misery," she said.

"In misery?" echoed the man.

"Yes. I was vaccinated the other day, and it has taken beautifully. I can almost scream, it hurts so."

The young man looked at the beautiful arms; no signs there.

"Why, where were you vaccinated?" he asked surprisedly.

"In Boston," she said, the smile chasing away the look of pain.

Could Have Been Avoided

Mrs. Newrich was growing accustomed to power. She enjoyed it, and was irritated when any one presumed to differ from her in opinion. When the sailing party of which she had been a member, landed on the shores of the lake, rainsoaked and frightened. Mrs. Newrich was the only one who cared to talk.

"It could all have been avoided if that captain had done as I told him," she said, between the chattering of her teeth, as the party stood huddled under a small shelter.

"When I saw that cloud coming from that corner of the lake I said to him, 'I think you'd better make straight for home, and not spend any more time ticking;' but he paid no more attention than if I hadn't spoken!"

The Dotty Solo

The musical young woman who dropped her waist in the piano player and turned out a Beethoven sonata, has her equal in the lady who stood in front of a five-bar fence and sang all the dots on her veil.

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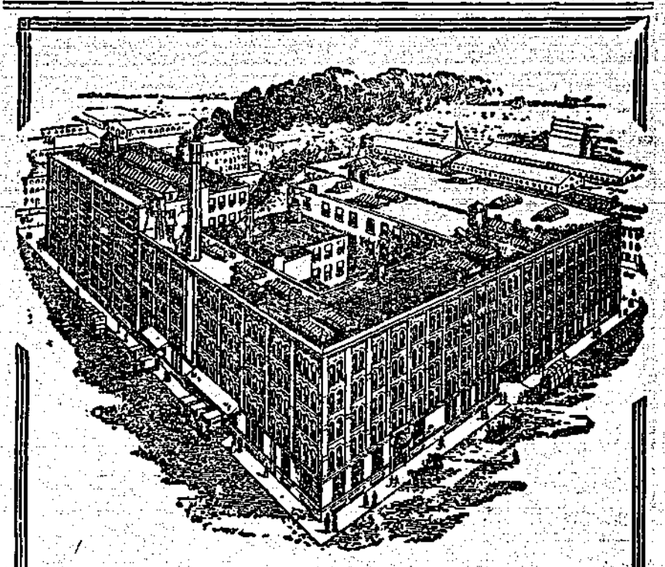

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A colored preacher took some candidates for immersion down to a river in Louisana. Seeing some alligators in the stream, one of them objected.

"Why, brother," urged the pastor, "can't you trust the Lord? He took care of Jonah, didn't he?"

"Ya-a-a-s," admitted the darkey, "but a whale's different. A whale's got mem'ry; but if one o' dem 'gaters was 'ter swaller dis nigger, he'd jes' go ter sleep is the sun and forget all about it."

Wabbling

"They don't give me a fair show," complained the ambitious young congressman. "The speaker hardly ever recognizes me and if I make a motion it either isn't seconded or fails to carry."

"That's the whole trouble with you," answered the influential constituent. "There's too much lost motion in your statesmanship."—Chicago Tribune.

A friend met a cheerful Irish citizen who had painly suffered some hard knocks.

"Well, Pat, how are you getting along now?" he enquired.

"Oh, Oi'm hard up yet; but Oi have a fine job in Honnolulee, and fare paid. Oi sail to-morry."

"Sure, man, you'll never be able to work there. The temperature is a hundred in the shade."

Pat had injured too much cheerfully to be discouraged.

"Well," he replied hopefully, "Oi'll not be worrukin' in the shade all the toime."

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Helen was having a spirited conversation over her doll. Her brother tried ineffectually to get in a word here and there and at last, just stood and listened.

"My dolly can see, tause she has eyes. And she can hear tause she has ears. And she can smell tause she has a nose." Then she hesitated, but only for a second. "But my dolly can't talk," she finished.

At this juncture, Harold entered with desperation into the conversation. "But if your dolly was a girl dolly," he said, "she could talk."

Might Have Been

"It might have been," he continued, thoughtfully.

"Might have what?" they asked.

"Might have been triplets, and it's only twins," he replied, with the air of one who was determined to be as optimistic as the circumstances would permit.

The kitten calmly washed its face
Before the grate so bright.
But Little Willie murmured: "Gee,
Someone will hold you up to me,
'Cause I forgot tonight."

SPRING SKIN TROUBLES

Pimples, Eruptions and "Spotty Complexions."

At this season, scores of people—girls and young women especially—find their faces disfigured by pimples, dark spots, eruptions, etc. The skin needs attention—needs renovating after the trying time it has passed through during the winter.

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Don't forget that the skin has to do work just as any other organ of the body, and if you overwork it, it gives out. Zam-Buk is the remedy. Smear it lightly over the spots, the eruptions, the sallow patches, at night, and notice how quickly your appearance improves. As the rich, refined, herbal essences sink deep into the tissue, the hard, security-like patches are removed. Better color results. The cells of the skin become transparent. The blood beneath is able to impart its proper coloring to the tissue, and the delicate bloom of health replaces the sallowness and pallor of disease.

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No Time for Vanity

During the French revolution a thief and a marquis jolted in a tumbril side by side through the wild streets of Paris, on the way to the guillotine, while a venerable priest tried to console their terrible last ride with moral reflections.

"A bas la noblesse! Down with the aristocrats!" shouted the red-capped mob. Thereupon the thief rose in the cart and cried:

"My friends, you deceive yourself. I am not an aristocrat. I am a thief." The priest plucked him by the sleeve, saying reproachfully:

"Sit down. This is no time for vanity!"—Washington Star.

A Revelation to the Cook

A happily married woman, who had enjoyed thirty-three years of wedlock, and who was the grandmother of four beautiful little children, had an amusing old colored woman for a cook.

One day when a box of especially beautiful flowers was left for the mistress the cook happened to be present, and she said: Yo' husband send you all the pretty flowers you gits, Missy?

"Certainly, my husband, mammy," proudly answered the lady.

"Glory!" exclaimed the cook, "he certainly am holdin' out well."

English Girl—You American girls have not such healthy complexions as we have. I cannot understand why our noblemen take a fancy to your white faces.

American Girl—It isn't our white faces that attract them, my dear; it's our greenbacks.—The Wasp.

Do not say "Sure," remarked the clergyman to his son. "It is a vulgar expression." "I don't think so," responded the juvenile. "Wesley used it." The father stared. "Tut, tut. Impossible." Then the boy quoted: "Sure I must fight if I would reign."

A Business Proposition

Count (to the matrimonial agent)—One other point. I am living out of the country; my intended must be shipped to me. Are your terms F.O.B. or do you pay the freight?—Fliegende Blatter.

Scratches on polished wood, if not too deep, can be removed by rubbing gently with fine sandpaper, and then with a mixture of olive oil and vinegar.

Farmer's Wife—I hear your son is making money out of his voice at the opera.

Ryles—That's right mum.

Farmer's Wife—Where did he learn singing?

Ryles—Oh, 'e don't sing, mum. 'E calls the carringes!—Musical America.

The Dominie—What kind of Christmas do you expect to have this year?

Little Society Boy—That depends on whether the Judge gives me into the custody of mamma or papa.—Brooklyn Life.

"Papa," wrote the sweet girl, "I have become infatuated with calisthenics."

"Well, daughter," replied the old man, "if your heart's set on him I haven't a word to say; but I always did hope you'd marry an American."

Earned His First Money

"Father, to-day I earned money for the first time in my life!"

"Excellent, my son! How did you do it?"

"I lost a bet."

"Lost a bet?"

"Yes, father, and refused to pay it."

"One kiss," pleaded a departing lover. "Nonsense," exclaimed his fiancee in a teasing mood. "Someone might see us." "Who?" "Why, the clock—it has a face." "Yes, but it keeps it's hands in front of it."

Loose Tea Loses Flavour

It not only loses flavour, but worse than this, loose tea takes on new odors, such as coal oil, molasses, onions, coffee, soap, etc.,—to say nothing of its exposure to the sun, dust, dirt and air. Therefore for your protection

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A Husband's Bequest

A prominent man called to condole with a lady on the death of her husband, and concluded by saying, "Did he leave you much?"

"Nearly every night," was the reply.

Salesman—Shirt, sir. Will you have a negligee or a stiff bosom?

Customer—Negligee, I guess. The doctor said I must avoid starchy things.—Boston Transcript.

An Irish recruit who ran at the first shot in his first battle was unmercifully laughed at for his cowardice by the whole regiment, but he was equal to the occasion.

"Run, is it?" he repated, scornfully. "Faith, an' I didn't, naither. I just observed the gineral's express orders. He told us, 'Strike for home and yer counthry,' and I struck for home.

"Thim what sthruck for their counthry is there yet."—Harper's Magazine.

Stella—"What is the rule of three?"

Bella—"That one of them ought to go home, dear."

"Well, my little man," inquired a visitor pleasantly, "who are you?"

"I'm the baby's brother!" was the ingenuous reply.

Suitor—What will your father settle on the man who marries you?

The Girl—All the rest of the family, I suppose.—St. Louis Times.

John and Mary had been sharing one chair all the evening. John sat on the chair and Mary sat on John. After about three hours of this Mary suddenly exclaimed:

"Oh, John, aren't you tired?"

John smiled a brave, patient smile. "Not now," he said, gently. "No; not now. I was about an hour ago, but now I'm only paralyzed!"

"I can see you're worried about me, dear," said the very sick man.

"Oh, not at all," replied his wife promptly.

"But why do you look so gloomy, then?"

"I was wondering whether my seal-skin sacque would be considered mourning."

A company has been formed in Victoria for the purpose of catching whales. Problem: If a man needs two quarts of rye water when he goes to catch brook trout five inches long, how much will he require when he is fishing for whales?

Doctor—"Do you have a stuffed feeling after eating?"

Patient—"Do I? I feel like a Philadelphia ballot-box."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

If a married woman is looking for trouble all she has to do is read extracts to her husbands from the letters he wrote her during their courtship.

Couldn't Refuse

A man applied at a factory for a job. Among other questions the foreman asked him why he had left his last place.

"Well," he replied, "they asked me to please leave, and I didn't like to refuse them."

Tommy—You treat your doll jes' as if you was her real mammy, don't you?

Kitty (seriously offended)—Indeed I don't! I never spank her a bit!—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Butts (evenly)—John, dear, if you should give me $25 for a new hat don't you think it would be a blessing?"

Mr. Butts—H'm, Martha. I should say it would be a miracle.

The Way He Knew

A young man fell into a state of coma, but recovered before his friends had buried him. One of them asked what it felt like to be dead.

"Dead!" he exclaimed. "I wasn't dead. And I knew I wasn't, because my feet were cold and I was hungry."

"But how did that make you sure?"

"Well, I knew that if I were in heaven I shouldn't be hungry, and if I was in the other place my feet wouldn't be cold."

"Physical culture, father, is perfectly lovely. To develop the arms I grasp this rod by one end and move it slowly from right to left."

"Well, well!" exclaimed her father; won't science discover? If that rod had straw at the other end you'd be sweeping."

Clancy—Oi'm after a ticket ter Chicago.

Ticket Agent—Do you want an excursion ticket. One that will take you there and back?

Clancy—Phat's the sinse of me payin' ter go there an' back whin Oi'm here alriddy?—Hotel Register.

Successful Fishing

"Ah," said a visitor, "so you are back from your fishing trip to the States. Well, what did you catch?"

"We did pretty well," said the fond mother. "Julia caught a banker, Bertha a lawyer. Fanny landed one of the finest looking army officers you ever saw in your life. Hattie was unfortunate. She had a young fellow with all kinds of money on the hook, but just at the last moment he got away."

"Sir, I wish to make your daughter my wife!

The old man hesitated. "Hadn't you better see her mother first?" he asked, gently, after thinking a moment.

"I've seen her mother, and it doesn't make any difference—I'm willing to take the chances!" exclaimed the youth, with all the ardor of honest love.—Puck.

FROM A SHADOW TO ROBUST HEALTH

Is the Change Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Made in a New Brunswick Woman.

Anaemia—bloodlessness—is a trouble confined largely to women and growing girls. Its victims are pale; they lose all strength—the least exertion greatly fatigues them and they suffer continually from headaches and depressed spirits. Nothing will cure anaemia so quicly or so surely as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—they have cured thousands of cases, not only in Canada but throughout the whole world. They do this because they make good blood. Among those cured by these Pills is Mrs. T. Chalmer Hartley, East Florenceville, N.B., who says. "At the age of sixteen I fell away to a mere shadow. I had scarcely any blood and suffered from all the distressing symptoms of anaemia. Doctors did not help me in the least, and acting on the advice of a friend I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They effected a remarkable change in my condition; indeed I really believe they saved my life, as I have been well and strong ever since I took them. I also recommended the Pills to a neighbor's daughter who was similarly run down, and they also completely restored her health."

Every woman and growing girl should take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills occasionally. If you are ailing from any of the many troubles which afflict your sex they will cure you, if you are not ailing they will protect your health and keep you well and strong. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers in medicine or direct at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

At a church school, once upon a time, when a concert was being held, the choir was on the programme to sing an anthem and their place was designated by the single word "Anthem." The gentleman who was master of ceremonies, a high-toned, pompous individual of the old school, when he came to that part of the programme announced, in a dignified way:

"Mr. Anthem will now favor us."

I OWE MY LIFE TO GIN PILLS

If you want to see a happy woman, just call on Mrs. Mollie Dixon, 59 Hoskin Ave., West Toronto.

"After ten years of suffering from Kidney Disease, I believe I owe my life to Gin Pills. Before I began using Gin Pills, my back ached so much that I could not put on my own shoes, but after taking three boxes of Gin Pills, these troubles are all gone. It is a pleasure for me to add one more testimonial to the grand reputation of "Gin Pills."

MRS. M. DIXON.

50 cents a box—6 boxes for $2.50—at all dealers. Sample free if you write National Drug & Chemical Co. (Dept. N.U.), Toronto, Ont.

There had again been trouble in the O'Hagan household, and O'Hagan had the word of sympathy when he next met his neighbor.

"'Tis not much of a team ye make, ye and your woife," said O'Hann-gan.

"An' that's where ye're wrong," said O'Hagan. "'Tis the foine team we make entirely. Me woife pitches an' Oi catches."—Puck.

Little Smiles

Little Mamie is sick in bed, but refuses persistently to take the prescribed pill. Her mother, however, resorts to strategy, concealing the pill in some preserved pear, and giving it to the child to eat. After a while mamma asks:

"Has my little dear eaten her pear?"

"All except the seed, mamma, dear."

OLD CHUM Cigarettes

TEN FOR TEN CENTS

A Little Cold.

He caught a little cold—
That was all.
So the neighbors sadly said,
As they gathered round his bed,
When they heard that he was dead.
He caught a little cold—
That was all. —(Puck).

Neglect of a cough or a cold often leads to serious trouble. To break up a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough that is curable, mix two ounces of Glycerine, a half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and eight ounces of pure Whiskey. Take a teaspoonful every four hours. You can buy these at any good drug store and easily mix them in a large bottle.

The Open Door

The Patron—"Say, Wong, what is chop suey made of anyhow?"

The Waiter—"Any old thingee; Chop Suey no gottee exclusion act."

To Men Who Live Inactive Lives.—Exercise in the open air is the best tonic for the stomach and system generally; but there are those who are compelled to follow sedentary occupations and the inaction tends to restrict the healthy action of the digestive organs and sickness follows. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills regulate the stomach and liver and restore healthy action. It is wise to have a packet of the pills always on hand.

"Let's go to the theatre."

"I've nothing to wear."

"Then we'll go to the opera."—Lippincott's Magazine.

If a cough makes your nights sleepless and weary, it will worry you a good deal, and with good cause. To dispel the worry and give yourself rest try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It exerts a soothing influence on the air passages and allays the irritation that leads to inflammation. It will subdue the most stubborn cough or cold, and eventually eradicate it from the system, as a trial of it will prove to you.

Ever know a sneak thief to steal into a house and take a bath?

PILES CURED IN 6 to 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

If a girl couldn't find anybody else to be jealous about she would about her own brother.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

Western farmers show their progressive spirit by demanding high grade work horses. Eastern shippers say that none but the best will sell out here.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

125 Preparations Under One Trade Mark.

A most striking example of the growth of the Trade Mark idea in Canada is being announced for the first time to-day in the newspapers throughout the Dominion. It is the "NA-DRU-CO." line of about one-hundred and twenty-five toilet and medicinal preparations, compounded by the National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, Limited.

All these preparations bear the NA-DRU-CO. Trade Mark, the shield with the red cross, prominently displayed, and to make the line *still* more distinctive each article is attractively dressed in a pleasing shade of red.

In their first advertisement, which appears on another page in this issue, The National Drug Company feature this Trade Mark. They point out some of the important advantages to every family in Canada of a thoroughly reliable, easily recognized line, covering practically every household need in the way of toilet and medicinal articles, and guaranteed by a responsible firm.

The National Drug Company guarantee that every NA-DRU-CO. preparation is compounded by qualified chemists only, and from the purest drugs. As a proof that the formula are such as the best physicians would use, they make a unique offer which completely disarms the doubts which often creep into one's mind with regard to medicinal preparations.

Their "Money Back" offer helps still more to inspire confidence in the NA-DRU-CO. line, whose variety and completeness is shown by the partial list given in their advertisement.

Lady—"You ought to be ashamed of yourself to have such a tight check-rein on your horse."

Teamster—"Oh, he doesn't mind the check-rein, mum; but he'd kick like the devil if I'd put corsets on 'im."

Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

For those who keep hogs or calves during the summer a small patch of alfalfa will save many pounds of grain. If located near the buildings it can be cut with a scythe, and will form one of the most nutritious green fodders that can be grown, and may be cut three, four or sometimes five times one season.

HELP THE CHILDREN OUT

The trouble and annoyance which they cause you by their involuntary failings at night is not usually their fault, but the result of constitutional weakness. Write Mrs. Summers, Box 77, Windsor, Ont., and she will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. This treatment is effective also with adults and aged people who are troubled with the same weakness. Write today. 4b

Pat—"An' phwat is a chafin' dish?"

Mike—"Whist! Ut's a fryin'-pan that's got into society."

Sub-Editor—"There's a correspondent wants to know how long girls should be courted."

Editor—"Tell him just the same as short girls."

Warts will render the prettiest hands unsightly. Clear the excrescences away by using Holloway's Corn Cure, which acts thoroughly and painlessly.

An epileptic dropped in a fit on the streets of Boston not long ago, and was taken to a hospital. Upon removing his coat there was found pinned to his waistcoat a slip of paper on which was written:

"This is to inform the surgeon that this is just a case of plain fit, not appendicitis. My appendix has already been taken out twice."—Healthy Home.

Indigestion Cured

This disease from which so many suffer gives the average physician a great deal of trouble. The best medical men have endorsed PSYCHINE, and recommended it in scores of the most obstinate cases. It has never failed in a single instance to give prompt relief. When directions have been followed, a few doses will remove that tightness and weight on the stomach. Taken regularly it positively cures General Distress, Flatulency, Nervousness, Coated Tongue, Heart Burn and Palpitation. If you have never used PSYCHINE, don't hesitate a moment longer. Try PSYCHINE to-day.

PROOF

Mr. Arthur Tennison, 33 London Street, Toronto, says: "For six or seven years I was troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia. Too much acidity of the stomach the doctors said, originated the troubles. I tried scores of remedies without avail. Eventually I used PSYCHINE and this brought immediate relief and cure."

NO HOME SHOULD BE WITHOUT PSYCHINE

It prevents the children taking cold, wards off that terrible malady, La Grippe, and completely fortifies them against disease. It should always be used for colds weariness, loss of appetite, bronchitis and weak lungs.

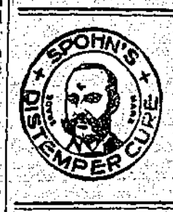
For sale by all druggists and dealers, 50 cents and $1.00.

Dr. T. A. SLOCUM, Limited

TORONTO

PSYCHINE

GREATEST OF ALL TONICS



For PINK EYE DISTEMPER CATARRHAL FEVER AND ALL NOSE AND THROAT DISEASES

Cures the sick and acts as a preventive for others. Liquid given on the tongue. Safe for brood mares and all others. Best kidney remedy; 50c and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 the dozen. Sold by all druggists and horse goods houses. Distributors: All Wholesale Drug Houses.

SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists, GOSHEN, INDIANA, U. S. A.

NA-DRU-CO

NA-DRU-CO

When you see this Trade Mark on any Medicinal or Toilet Preparation you purchase, it is an assurance to you that every ingredient entering into that preparation is of the highest quality that money can procure. What is even more important, it is an assurance that these ingredients have been compounded, according to the best formulæ known, by expert chemists of long experience, in the employ of one of the largest wholesale drug firms in the world, the National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada.

As you have probably noticed, "NA-DRU-CO" is made up of the first parts of the words "National Drug Company". It is pronounced "*NA-DROO-KO*", with the accent on the second syllable.

What the Laws Say

For the protection of the public the law of each Province in Canada states that only thoroughly qualified men are allowed to dispense prescriptions—these men being physicians or graduates of recognized Colleges of Pharmacy.

The logical conclusion is that as the laws are made by the representatives of the people, the people want protection, and should welcome the opportunity of being able to procure in any part of Canada the NA-DRU-CO line of medicinal and toilet preparations, compounded by expert chemists from the purest and best ingredients, and guaranteed by a firm of our standing.

When you see the NA-DRU-CO Trade Mark you have this opportunity and the guarantee for which you are looking.

Source of the NA-DRU-CO Formulae

The National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, acquired the businesses and maintains the honorable traditions of 21 of the principal wholesale Drug Houses in Canada, from Halifax to Vancouver.

All of these firms had long and successful careers, some of them fifty to one hundred years, and during their existence they had accumulated a splendid lot of formulæ which all became the property of the "National." After giving these formulæ careful study and practical tests for several years we have now brought out, based on them, the NA-DRU-CO line of about 125 medicinal and toilet preparations. All the ingredients in these preparations are the best and purest that money can buy, and they are compounded by a staff of expert chemists, each of whom ranks high in his profession.

We have such implicit confidence in NA-DRU-CO Preparations that we offer them with

A Four-Fold Guarantee

The First Guarantee

is the firm behind the NA-DRU-CO Trade Mark.

The National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, is one of the largest wholesale drug firms in the world, having a Paid-up Capital of over Five Million Dollars. We have wholesale branches in the principal distributing centres in Canada so that you can at all times satisfy yourself that there is such a firm. We are the largest buyers of drugs and do the greater part of the wholesale drug business in Canada. We employ a staff of about nine hundred people and distribute in salaries, dividends and other expenses over One Million Dollars annually. We carry a stock distributed among our Branches of about Two Million Dollars, and in addition we own real estate and buildings which are to-day worth about Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, and other large assets.

The Second Guarantee

of NA-DRU-CO quality is the NA-DRU-CO Trade Mark itself.

We know that the quality of the first NA-DRU-CO preparation you buy will practically decide whether you become a regular user of NA-DRU-CO articles or not—and for that trial you may select any one of the 125 preparations. So we must make each NA-DRU-CO article of the very highest quality or risk the reputation and sales of the whole line.

The Third Guarantee

of NA-DRU-CO quality is the fact that NA-DRU-CO preparations are never, at any time or in any place, sold at cut prices.

NA-DRU-CO preparations are so much better than the preparations whose prices are cut that discerning people prefer to pay full prices for the NA-DRU-CO goods.

The Fourth Guarantee

of NA-DRU-CO quality is short and very much to the point. If after trying any article bearing the NA-DRU-CO Trade Mark you are not entirely satisfied, return it to the druggist from whom you bought it and he will hand back your money.

Consult Your Physician

NA-DRU-CO medicinal preparations are not intended to take the place of your physician's prescriptions—far from it. When you are ill you need the physician's skilful diagnosis and treatment, and it would be folly to depend on your own diagnosis and any household remedy.

But in emergencies when you cannot get the doctor quickly, and in many other cases, a reliable household remedy is a real blessing.

To put the absolute reliability of NA-DRU-CO preparations beyond doubt or question, we are prepared to furnish to your physician or your druggist, on request, a list of the ingredients in any NA-DRU-CO preparation. Ask these men, who are men of standing in your community, and in whom you place implicit confidence, all about NA-DRU-CO remedies.

If your druggist has not the particular NA-DRU-CO preparation you ask for in stock, he can get it for you within two days from our nearest wholesale branch.

Write for the 1910 NA-DRU-CO Almanac, giving a list of NA-DRU-CO articles and prices, with other useful information. Address "National Drug Co., Advertising Department, 34 St. Gabriel Street, Montreal."

National Drug & Chemical Company

of Canada, Limited

Wholesale Branches: Halifax—St. John—Montreal—Ottawa—Kingston—Toronto—Hamilton—London—Winnipeg—Regina—Calgary—Nelson—Vancouver—Victoria

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SURE PURE

THE KIND THAT PLEASES THE PEOPLE!

MAGIC BAKING POWDER

MADE IN CANADA.

E.W. GILLETT CO. LTD. TORONTO, ONT.

The Union Hotel

Eholt, B. C.

A COMFORTABLE HOSTELRY

John A. McMaster

Proprietor.

The Hume...

Nelson, B. C.

GEO. P. WELLS, Proprietor.

First-class in everything. Steam heat, electric light, private baths. Telephone in every room. First-class bar and barber shop.

'Bus meets all trains.

Central Hotel...

PHOENIX

The nearest hotel to the Granby mines. One of the largest dining rooms in the city. The bar is replete with nerve bracers of all kinds, and the most fragrant cigars. Drop up and see me.

A. O. JOHNSON

PROPRIETOR.

Pioneer Hotel...

Greenwood, B. C.

The oldest hotel in the city, and still under the same management. Rooms comfortable, meals equal to any in the city, and the bar spplies only the best. Corner of Greenwood and Government streets.

J. W. Nelson

THE

Arlington Hotel

GREENWOOD

Is the place for Peep-o'-Day Cocktails and Evening Night-Caps. Buttermilk a specialty during the warm season.

Dempsey, & Rippeto.

Hotel Alexander

PHOENIX, B. C.

Is a comfortable home for the miner and traveler. Good meals and pleasant rooms. Pure liquors and fragrant cigars in the bar.

R. V. CHISHOLM, PROPRIETOR.

THE HOTEL GRANBY

Is pleasantly situated in the heart of Grand Forks, and is convenient to all the leading financial and commercial institutinns of the city. Travelers will find it a comfortable place to sojourn when in the city.

FRED RUSSELL

The National Hotel

Has home cooking and home-made preserved fruit.

Sunday Dinners a Specialty.

Meals served from 6 a. m. to 9 p. m.

A Bar in Connection.

Plenty of warm, clean and pleasant rooms at reasonable prices.

MRS. HARRY TOWNS, Lessee.

GREENWOOD AND MIDWAY STAGE

Leaves Greenwood for Spokane at 7 a. m., and for Oroville at 2:30 p. m. J. McDONELL.

J. R. Cameron.

Leading Tailor of the Kootenays.

Kaslo, B. C.

Smoke...

Mountaineer and Kootenay Standard Cigars. Made by

J. C. Thelin & Co., Nelson

USE TUNGSTEN LAMPS

GREENWOOD CITY WATERWORKS CO.

T. THOMAS,

TAILOR,

Clothes Cleaned, Pressed and Repaired.

THE BRIDESVILLE HOTEL

THOS. WALSH, PROPRIETOR,

Bridesville, B. C., provides excellent accommodation for tourists and travelers.

KNOB HILL HOTEL,

PHOENIX.

Provides pleasant rooms and substantial meals for the public. The bar is replete with beverages that please and satisfy any kind of thirst. CHARLES HAGAN.

WESTERN - - HOTELS.

THE KOOTENAY SALOON

Sandon, B. C., has a line of nerve bracers unsurpassed in any mountain town of the Great West. A glass of aqua pura given free with spirits menti.

TREMONT HOUSE

Nelson, B C., is run on the American and European plan. There is nothing yellow about the house except the gold in the safe.

Malone & Tregillus.

NEWMARKET HOTEL

Is the home for all tourists and millionaires visiting New Denver, British Columbia.

Henry Stege. Propr.

THE PROVINCE HOTEL

Grand Forks. is a large three-story brick hotel that provides the public with good meals and pleasant rooms. A new building but the same old rates.

Emil Larsen, Proprietor.

LAKEVIEW HOTEL

in Nelson, B. C., employs all white help and is a home for the world at $1.00 a day.

E. L. Griffith, Proprietor.

THE KASLO HOTEL

Kaslo, B. C., is a comfortable home for all who travel to that city.

Cockle & Papworth.

SHERBROOKE HOUSE

Nelson, B C One minute's walk from C. P. R station. Cuisine unexcelled; Well heated and ventilated.

Boyer Bros., Proprietor

CLUB HOTEL, NELSON, B. C.

Big Schooner Beer or Half and Half, 10c. The best dollar a day house in the city. Travelers will find this a pleasant home. The rooms are clean and comfortable and the meals tasty and substantial.

JACK GRANT, Proprietor.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GREENWOOD.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll for the year 1910 has been returned, and can be inspected by any person having an interest therein until the sitting of the Court of Revision.

The first sitting of the Court of Revision on the said Assessment Roll will be held in the City Hall, Greenwood, on Thursday, the 26th day of May, 1910, at 10 a.m. Any person desiring to make complaint against his or her assessment must give notice in writing to the Assessor, stating ground of his or her complaints at least ten days before the said date.

Dated at Greenwood, B. C., April 13th, 1910.

G. B. TAYLOR, City Clerk.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Connection Fractional Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Skylark Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Artemus L. White, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 26537, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements

Dated this 17th day of February, A. D. 1910.

ARTEMUS L. WHITE.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Silver Cloud fractional Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Skylark Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John William Nelson, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 26562, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant to the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements

Dated this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1910.

JOHN WILLIAM NELSON.

BARRED ROCK CHICKENS FOR SALE

EGGS FOR SETTING, $1 for 13.

R. J. CHAMBERS, Anaconda, B.C.

E. W. WIDDOWSON, ASSAYER AND CHEMIST—Charges: Gold, silver, copper or lead, $1 each; gold-silver, $1.50; silver lead, $1.50; gold-silver, with copper or lead, $2.50; zinc, $2; silver-lead-zinc, $3. Prices for other metals on application. Long distance 'phone 67. P. O. Box, B 1108, Nelson, B C.

STARKEY & CO.

NELSON, B. C.

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS

Frank Fletcher

PROVINCIAL LAND SURVEYOR,

Nelson, B. C.

RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Frank Bell, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for the renewal of a retail liquor license for the Vendome hotel, situated at Anaconda, B. C.

Anaconda, April 21, 1910. FRANK BELL.

RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John Sullivan, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for the renewal of a retail liquor license for the Northern Hotel, situated at Eholt, B. C.

Eholt, April 21, 1910. JOHN SULLIVAN.

RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, James Henderson, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for the renewal of a retail liquor license for the Algoma Hotel Deadwood, B. C. JAMES HENDERSON.

Deadwood, April 28, 1910.

RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Samuel A. Crowell, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for the renewal of a retail liquor license for Crowell's Hotel, Midway, B C. SAMUEL A. CROWELL.

Midway, April 28, 1910.

RENEWAL OF WHOLESALE LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Oscar Hartmann, of Anaconda, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my wholesale liquor license for the premises known as the Silver Spring Brewery, of Anaconda, B. C. OSCAR HARTMANN

Dated this 5th day of May, 1910.

RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, M. W. Ludlow, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for the renewal of a retail liquor license for the Windsor Hotel, at Denoro, B. C. M. W. LUDLOW.

Denoro, May 5, 1910.

RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Bertha C. Thomet, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for the renewal of a retail liquor license for the Midway Hotel, Midway, B. C. BERTHA C. THOMET.

Midway, May 5, 1910.

LOWERY'S CLAIM

During the 37 months that Lowery's Claim was on earth it did business all over the world. It was the most unique, independent and fearless journal ever produced in Canada. Political and theological enemies pursued it with the venom of a rattlesnake until the government shut it out of the mails, and its editor ceasad to publish it, partly on account of a lazy liver and partly because it takes a pile of money to run a paper that is outlawed. There are still 25 different editions of this condemned journal in print. Send 10 cents and get one or $2 50 and get the bunch

R. T LOWERY, Greenwood, B. C.

About Float.

Float is not a periodical. It is a book containing 86 illustrations all told, and is filled with sketches and stories of western life. It tells how a gambler cashed in after the flush days of Sandon; how it rained in New Denver long after Noah was dead; how a parson took a drink at Bear Lake in early days; how justice was dealt in Kaslo in '93; how the saloon man outprayed the women in Kalamazoo, and graphically depicts the roamings of a western editor among the tenderfeet in the cent belt. It contains the early history of Nelson and a romance of the Silver King mine. In it are printed three western poems, and dozens of articles too numerous to mention. Send for one before it is too late. The price is 25 cents, postpaid to any part of the world. Address all letters to

R. T. Lowery

GREENWOOD, B. C.

THE LEDGE

Is published every Thursday at Greenwood, B. C., and the price is $2 a year, postage free to all parts of Canada, and Great Britain To the United States and other countries it is sent postpaid for $2.50 a year. Address all letters to The Ledge, Greenwood, B. C

R. T. LOWERY,

PUBLISHER.

GREENWOOD B. C., MAY 5, 1910.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION LABEL GREENWOOD, B.C.

A blue mark here indicates that your Subscription has become deceased, and that the editor would once more like to commune with your collateral.

THE KING'S HEALTH.

THE death of a king or queen in England usually causes much disturbance in the financial and commercial world, and it is better to be prepared for the coming of such events. The grave condition of King Edward's health is already causing much alarm in London, although the English newspapers say little about it.

The King, according to private letters from authoritative quarters in London, is suffering from what is known as arterio-sclerosis, which is a sort of progressive fibrous degeneration of the arteries and takes the form of attacks of arterial contraction. The blood vessels suddenly reduce their diameter, backing up the blood upon the heart, which is thrown into a desperate spasm of effort to overcome the obstruction.

The patient grows livid, strangles and fights for breath, and will die of heart failure if not relieved by amyl nitrate and chloral. The attacks of contraction are recurrent, appearing, as the disease progresses, at always shorter intervals, while the amyl nitrate and chloral lose their efficacy, until at length an attack occurs which stops the overstrained heart for good and all.

There is no cure for the malady, and it is necessary, especially in the later stages, to have a physician always on hand, since the attacks come without the slightest warning and require instant attention.

MAKE new friends, lest the old ones die.

CAPITAL is the manufactured product of labor.

THE Fernie Free Press calls itself the great masseur of public opinion.

OLD rye has helped to make the fortune of many a politician.

Selfishness, upon one side or the other is the cause of all strikes.

THE delicate, and those who are worn out are inclined to be saints.

IN some of the small towns in British Columbia the bartenders are called wine clerks.

IF we lived more like the birds, calomel would soon be a drug without a market.

NORTH Vancouver has a brass band. Being so close to Vancouver this should not be necessary.

HE lacks manhood who will not pay the friend promptly who has saved him from disgrace.

IN 13 days the comet is liable to back us over the great divide, and, still one or two delinquent subscribers have not yet arrived in camp with their collateral.

THE craze for land makes many strange competitors. In Vancouver there is a Chinese real estate office selling fruit lands, while out on the curb can be seen a lonely turbaned Hindu peddling suburban lots.

IN the early days Jesus Christ healed the sick without carrying a college diploma. In these modern days the Medical Trust would serve him with a blue paper for breaking the rules of their combination.

ANOTHER paper is to be started at Fort George, by E. A. Haggan, of Revelstoke. When the land land notices play out some of the frontier editors in this province will have to live upon ozone, aqua pura, and rosy scenery.

FOR the first time in 17 years, Henry Stege has broken away from New Denver and gone on a trip to the States. It is to be hoped that Henry will return safely, for even with its newest paper the Lucerne would be lonesome without the shining radiance of his genial disposition.

The Same Issue.

A story is going about that a farmer went into a store in a western town to buy an axe. He was told it would cost one dollar. He said he could get it for 95 cents at a departmental store and wanted to know if the storekeeper could could not serve him just the same. The storekeeper said he could and was paid over the 95 cents, when he took up the money and laid the axe on a shelf. The farmer asked for the axe as he wanted it, but was told he could not have it for a week, that being the length of time it would take him to get it from a departmental store and he was promised the same treatment he would get there.—Commercial.

Fred B. Holmes will open his ice-cream parlor on Saturday.

Chasing the Rainbow.

A town where a man lives and makes his money should be good enough for him to invest his earnings or profits. This, however, does not appear to be the rule today. In every town in the interior of the province the people have contracted the coast real estate gambling mania, and the game is being played to the limit. Every month thousands of dollars are being sent out of this city to keep up the monthly installments. Prices for coast real estate are now at their zenith, and when the slump comes the small investor will have gained a little more experience at the cost of many hard-earned dollars. Realty in the heart of any of the coast cities is undoubtedly a safe investment; but this is not the kind the man from the interior buys, because it is beyond his means. His hobby is suburban property. He has not had an opportunity of personally inspecting it. Is may be a dozen miles from the city. It may be located in a swamp, dense forest, on the tide flats. This kind of property is not likely to make millionaires of the speculators during this or the succeeding generation.—Grand Forks Sun.

The restaurant in the Windsor hotel never closes.

A Nice Bovine.

Bill Nye, the humorist, once had a cow to sell, and advertised her as follows:

"Owing to my ill health I will sell at my residence, in township 19, range 18, according to the government survey, one plush raspberry cow, aged eight years. She is of undoubtful courage, and gives milk frequently. To a man who does not fear death in any form she would be a great boon. She is very much attached to her present home, with a stay chain, but she will be sold to anyone who will agree to treat her right. She is one-fourth Shorthorn and three quarters hyena. I will also throw in a double-barrel shotgun, which goes with her. In May she usually goes away for a week or two and returns with a tall red calf with wabbly legs. Her name was Rose. I would rather sell to a non-resident."

In Phoenix N. J. Carson & Co. carry a large stock of gent' furnishings, clothing, hats, boots and shoes. Drop in and have a rubber.

A Four-footed Undertaker.

He's a very real dog, a handsome Scotch collie, living in Saskatchewan. Lest he may become too elated on seeing his adventures chronicled it is wiser to suppress his real name and call him Rex.

Rex does not eat the bread of idleness. A comfortable bed, juicy bones, and many caresses are well repaid by this canine who earns his living—a gruesome profession, too, for Rex is an undertaker.

One of the greatest menaces to the western farmer is the pretty but naughty gopher, whose depredations upon the grain are very destructive. Sentiment for the tameness and beauty of the gopher must necessarily be sacrificed in order to secure good harvests, and accordingly traps are set.

It has always been the duty of Rex to despatch the little victims when caught. One day the collie was discovered busily engaged digging a hole. His master watched him, expecting to see him hide a bone. He was greatly surprised to find that the hidden treasure was to be no other than a dead gopher. Having deposited the body, Rex worked perseveringly at the task of filling the grave. When completed he surveyed his work with disgust; the little gopher's tail was still in sight. He exhumed the body, deepened the excavation, and reburied Mr. Gopher in proper style with an imposing mound.

"And from that day to this Rex attends to all the gopher funerals," relates his master proudly, with the air of relief that one has whose responsibilities are willingly borne by another.—Edith M. Russell.

There are no blanks in a box of K and H cigars. They all draw and omit an aroma that perfumes the ozone when set on fire. It is ever a pleasure to follow a man who is smoking a K and H cigar. Try one and be convinced.

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If You Want the Best in Clothes

GO TO CRAIG'S

The Style, the Materials, and the Fit of your Suit will be Perfect if Craig sells it.

Large Consignment of Trunks and Suit Cases

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Our Reputation Depends upon its Satisfactory Service.

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"Unequalled for Domestic Use."

P. BURNS & CO.

Dealers in Fresh and Salt Meats, Fish, and Poultry. Shops in nearly all the towns of Boundary and Kootenay.

COPPER STREET, GREENWOOD

The Clarendon Hotel

GREENWOOD

Is situated in the heart of the city and within stepping distance of all the banks, restaurants, express, stage, telegraph offices, etc. The building is heated with hot water and has a radiator in every room. The bar contains a large variety of brewed, vinted and distilled beverages suitable to the tastes of a cosmopolitan population. Come in and have something.

J. H. GOODEVE - - - PROPRIETOR

The Hotel Ladysmith

Greenwood, is the home for workingmen of all nations. It is convenient to the smelter on the hill. The dining room is supplied with tasty and substantial food, while the bar contains the best wet goods in the market. Electric lights all over the premises. Hot and cold baths.

Ola Lofstad, Proprietor

Invest At Home

Far away fields are usually thought to be green. This is probably why so many people in the Boundary are constantly buying real estate and stocks far from the district in which they live. Why not put some of your speculating money in ventures within a few miles of your own door, and benefit yourself and the country in which you reside and make money?

The Argo Mining and Tunnel Co. of Greenwood is organized under the laws of British Columbia, with a capital stock of $125,000, divieed into 500,000 shares at 25 cents each, non-personal liability. Adjoining Greenwood the company own a large number of valuable claims, with high-grade gold and copper ore showing on the surface. The company is now engaged in running a 3,000-foot tunnel to tap all these leads at great depth. Every indication is favorable to the striking of valuable deposits of ore, and the time to invest is now. Soon as ore is encountered at great depth the price of stock will ascend rapidly and the chances of making big money out of a small investment will not be so good. The time to speculate is when things are beginning. The success of this big tunnel means great wealth for the investors and increased prosperity for the entire district

Investors and visitors to the district are cordially invited to inspect the properties and view the work being done in the tunnel. For further particulars address the president or secretary.

OLA LOFSTAD, President. A. S. BLACK, Secretary.