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Paine's Celery Compound makes the  
blood bright and red, it increases its  
volume in the arteries, quickens its  
circulation and gives it more power in  
its work of health-building.

There are no long and tiresome  
waitings for good results when People  
use Paine's Celery Compound. After  
its work of refining and enriching  
the blood is in full force, the bloom  
of health is seen in the face, the  
eyes sparkle with vigor and the limbs  
are supple and active; and the old  
feel rejuvenated and energized.

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matism, neuralgia, lumbago, headache,  
backache and sideache should remem-  
ber that these conditions often result  
from slow accumulations of waste mat-  
ters. All troubles are corrected and  
permanently banished by vigorous  
cleansing the blood with Paine's  
Celery Compound, the world's best  
and greatest of invigorators and clean-  
sers.

**News of the Week.**

**NEW BRUNSWICK.**

The Westmorland Co. smallpox bills  
will amount to about \$12,000. It is  
supposed the Provincial Government  
will bear part of the expense.

The shipments for the month of  
December of smelts and tom-cods from  
the two chatham stations of the Canada  
Eastern Railway, were 1,971,740 lbs.  
The shipments for January were 1,-  
722,750 lbs.

There were thus, in the two months  
more than 1,842 tons of those two  
kinds of fresh fish shipped, besides a  
large quantity of frozen salmon, mack-  
eral, eels, etc.

The store of George I. Theriault,  
Burnsville Gloucester Co. with ware-  
houses and blacksmith shop, was  
totally destroyed by fire a few days  
ago. The post office and telegraph office  
were in the store and lost nearly  
everything. Loss three thousand  
dollars; partly insured.

It is estimated that the lumber cut  
on the North and South west Mira-  
michi will this season be 50,000,000  
feet which is about one third less than  
the cut of last season. The season  
has been a favorable one, cut on the  
Restigouche will be but little over half  
the quantity of last year, when 47-  
000,000 feet were brought out.  
Practically no cedar will be cut on  
the Restigouche this season.

A C. P. R. freight van was burned  
at McAdam Wednesday evening, and  
the crew, Conductor Fleming and  
brakemen Hoben and Burns, who  
were in the car, had a narrow escape.  
All their clothing and effects were  
destroyed.

**SPECIAL OFFER**

We will mail to any address a  
Large Sample of the  
Wonder Working  
receipt of ten cents. Test K. D.  
and be convinced of its great merits  
any form of



**INDIESTION**

Mention this paper.  
D C Co. Ltd, New Glasgow  
No 127 State St.  
Boston Mass.

Robert Nobles, an inmate of the  
Fredericton Alms House, choked to  
death Thursday afternoon. A piece  
of beef lodged in his throat while he  
was eating his dinner.

On Thursday a two year old child  
of Geo. A. Noble, St. John, got hold  
of a bottle of carbolic acid and drank  
some of it, and died before the doc-  
tor arrived.

Bayard Crawford, who has been  
curing people by the laying on of his  
hands, in north end St. John for a  
short time past, had an epileptic fit  
in the early part of last week and a  
regular physician had to be summoned.

John McIntyre's dwelling house at  
Mountain Brook, 14 miles from Dal-  
housie was burnt Tuesday night and  
Mr. McIntyre's three months' old  
child perished.

**A POCKET PHYSICIAN**

Is something unique. To be had in  
a Catarrhzone Inhaler. This wonder-  
ful, convenient little instrument is very  
versatile, it actually kills those nasty  
colds in the head in half an hour, and  
relieves sore throat in about five  
minutes. Patients recovering from  
pneumonia find Catarrhzone a valu-  
able aid, as it strengthens and improves  
the lungs. For the voice nothing is  
half so good, and great singers, public  
speakers use Catarrhzone and say  
they would not be without it because  
it prevents hoarseness and renders the  
voice capable of greater endurance.  
As for Catarrh, Asthma and Bronchitis  
Catarrhzone alone is the only posi-  
tive cure for these diseases. Ladies  
affirm that for sick headache and tired  
feeling across the eyes nothing is so  
helpful as Catarrhzone, which also  
restores impaired hearing that is caused  
by catarrh. Catarrhzone prevents and  
is guaranteed to cure all diseases  
of the respiratory organs, and you  
can get it from any druggist, large  
size, \$1.00; small size, 25c. A trial  
sent for 10c. by N. C. Polson & Co.,  
Kingston, Canada, or Hartford, Conn.,  
U. S.

**NOVA SCOTIA.**

At Halifax Wednesday night, fire  
broke out in Pickford & Back's  
steamer Beta, as she lay at the wharf,  
and it took the fire engines an hour to  
extinguish the blaze. The steamer  
was loading for the West Indies.

Fire in Yarmouth Thursday night  
damaged a house in Queen's Row.  
Believed to be incendiary.

There died at Halifax last week  
an elderly lady, Mrs. Margaret Sullivan,  
aged 96 years who had never during  
her life, been ill enough to have a  
physician called in.

The Halifax city council has recon-  
sidered the decision to do its own  
electric lighting and will more care-  
fully investigate the matter.

Wednesday night a freight train  
smashed into a light engine standing  
on the track in the Truro yard.  
Both engines were damaged.

Fire destroyed the home and  
contents of Mr. Gordon Forest at  
Amherst Point; loss about \$1,000.

The residence of Edward Archibald  
situated between North Sydney and  
Sydney Mines, was destroyed by fire  
Tuesday, Mr. Archibald lost every-  
thing; his family barely escaped with  
their lives. Partial insurance.

A deaf mute named McLeod, was  
struck by a train at North Sydney on  
Wednesday and had both legs broken  
and his back and face badly injured.  
It is feared he will not recover.

A scheme is on foot in Annapolis N.  
S. to establish iron works in that town.  
A provincial directorate has been  
formed and a charter applied for.

The People's Bank of Halifax shows  
that a very good year's business was  
had, the net profits being \$68,430.55,  
out of which \$42,000 was paid in di-  
vidends (6 per cent. on the paid-up  
capital) and \$20,000 transferred to  
the Reserve Fund which now stands  
at \$260,000.

**No Excuse**  
For People Who Wear  
Rusty or Faded  
Clothes.

**Diamond Dyes**

Will Make the Old Things  
Look as Good as New.

If the majority of people cannot af-  
ford to buy new dresses, jackets, capes  
waists or suits of clothes every three  
or six months, the use of Diamond  
Dyes will enable them to renew at  
trifling cost their faded or rusty gar-  
ments, making them as handsome as  
new ones. Mrs. W. L. Woodward,  
of Creswell, Ont., says:

"I have always used Diamond Dyes  
with the best results, but my last  
trial of them has exceeded all previous  
efforts. I have just dyed a dress of the  
very finest brown Henrietta Cloth with  
Diamond Dye Fast Black for Wool,  
making it look as well as new  
goods from the store. There is no  
excuse for anyone wearing old clothes  
while Diamond Dyes are sold

**OTHER PROVINCES.**

Sixty men are entombed as the re-  
sult of an explosion at the Union  
mines, in the village of Cumberland,  
B. C. The explosion took place  
Friday forenoon in No. 6 shaft. The  
explosion ignited the mine, wrecking  
the shaft from midway to bottom,  
filling it with a mass of rocks, earth  
and timbers.

The published details of the Mani-  
toba government's arrangement with  
the Northern Pacific and Canadian  
Northern Railway Company show that  
the government leases for 999 years  
all the lines owned and operated by  
the Northern Pacific in Manitoba at a  
yearly rental of \$210,000 for the first  
ten years, \$225,000 for the second  
ten years, \$275,000 for the third ten  
years, and \$300,000 for the remainder  
of the term, the government having  
the option of purchase at any time  
for \$7,000,000. This lease and the  
option of purchase the government  
transfers to the Canadian Northern  
line, the latter in return giving over  
to the government absolute control,  
vested in the lieutenant governor, of  
all local freight rates in Manitoba and  
of all through rates between Mani-  
toba and Port Arthur. The govern-  
ment on its part agrees to guaran-  
tee the new Canadian Northern  
branch, from Port Arthur to Rainy  
River, to the extent of \$20,000 per  
mile.

In Montreal, on Tuesday, Judge Des-  
noyris sentenced an entire family to the  
penitentiary, reform school and jail,  
Ludger Dastous, the eldest son of the  
family in question, was arrested for  
stealing some \$1,600 worth of goods  
from a dry goods store. The other  
members of the family were arrest-  
ed for disposing of the goods. Ludger  
Dastous was sentenced to five  
years in the penitentiary. His father  
and two brothers received two years  
each in the penitentiary. The mother  
was sentenced to twenty-three months  
in the common jail, and the youngest  
son will spend three years in the re-  
formatory school.

There now appears to be little  
doubt that the steamer lost on the  
Newfoundland coast was the Lucerne  
and that 30 persons on board  
perished.

**PAIN MUST GO**

Where Polson's Nerviline is used.  
Composed of the most powerful sub-  
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not fail to give prompt relief in rheu-  
matism, neuralgia, cramps, pain in  
the back and side, and the host of  
painful affections, internal or external  
arising from inflammatory action. A  
bottle of Nerviline will give efficient  
proof of its superiority over every  
known remedy. Try Nerviline.  
Large bottles 25 cents. Druggists  
sell it.

**UNITED STATES.**

At Appleton, Wis., Wednesday  
night, fire in the mills of the Kim-  
berly & Clark Paper Company destroyed  
the print mill, three machines, and  
the finishing room. The loss is from  
\$400,000 to \$500,000.

In Boston, Wednesday evening fire  
did much damage to the six-story  
building, 105 to 109 Essex street, and  
to the stocks of the several dry goods  
concerns that occupy it. The loss  
will be \$100,000. Nine firms are  
affected.

An iron safe belonging to the United  
States Express Co., and said to  
have contained \$40,000, was stolen  
from a track on the platform of the  
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul de-  
pot at Manila Friday night. Three  
men supposed to have been implicated  
in the theft were arrested.

Six robbers broke into the residence  
of John Duncan, a wealthy farmer, in  
Ashland county, Ohio, bound and  
gagged Mr. Duncan and four other  
members of his family, and stole \$450  
and valuables. Light-d matches were  
applied to the feet of Mr. Duncan and  
he was tortured until he disclosed the  
hiding place of the money.

In Chicago John F. Kerr and  
Alfred L. Foley are under arrest on  
the charge of embezzling \$10,000 from  
Fleming H. Revell & Co., book pub-  
lishers. Both men confess to the  
crimes with which they are charged  
and to other offences.

Monday, the Rochester tumbler  
works of the National Glass Company,  
the largest in the world, located at  
Rochester, Pa., was destroyed by fire.  
The loss will amount to about \$500,-  
000. An area of 300 by 1,500 feet  
was burned over, and the greatest de-  
partments in the works destroyed. In  
all eight buildings were burned.

**BRITISH AND FOREIGN.**

Former King Milan, of Serbia is  
dead.

An explosion occurred Wednesday  
in the Chilworth Gunpowder Works,  
near Guildford. Six men were blown  
to pieces.

It is stated that the son of an official  
of the Russian secret police lately  
committed suicide to escape carrying  
out an attempt on the life of the Czar  
for which he had been delegated by a  
band of conspirators to which belong-  
ed. He left a confession implicating  
several persons, who have been ar-  
rested.

A passenger train was derailed  
near Sydenham N. S. W. and  
rolled over an embankment. Seven  
persons were killed and twenty-six  
injured.

The London, Eng., Daily Mail,  
states that the outbreak in Russia of  
what was first called "hunger typhus,"  
is now admitted to be bubonic plague  
in the Kirghiz Steppes of Western  
Siberia.

Many thousands have died in the  
districts between Semipalatinsk and  
Orenburg. The government is send-  
ing large quantities of wheat to be

distributed to the starving population  
and is organizing travelling medical  
services to locate the outbreak.

Were it not for the ravages of in-  
sects, New Zealand would be a terri-  
ble competitor of California in the  
European fruit markets. The New  
Zealand authorities are now offering  
large rewards to any one who will de-  
vise some means of eradicating the r-  
chard pests.

**EXPERIENCED CORNS AND WARTS.**

Your unsatisfactory experience with  
other preparations should not  
influence you against "Put-  
nam's." It was the first, the  
best, the only painless corn cura.  
Give it a trial. A corn treated with  
other remedies wouldn't do so again  
if it could help it. Give your corn a  
chance. Druggists who sell only the  
best always sell Putnam's Painless  
Corn Extractor.

WHAT IT COSTS.—The St. James  
Budget (London) furnishes some in-  
teresting figures about the national  
expenditure—which the Union Jack  
costs the Empire. It will surprise  
many people to know that the United  
Kingdom only has an individual expen-  
diture of two pence a day to contribute  
towards the maintenance of the British  
Empire. That is what the Britons  
pay per head for the Union Jack. The  
Navy and the Army, which are chiefly  
responsible for the expenditure, costs  
them rather more than half a penny a  
head, or a sovereign a year. The civil  
service costs about the same, and the  
per capita charge for education is five  
shillings a year. The royal Family  
and monarch cost the nation, per  
capita, the mere trifle of thirteen  
farthings a year. The M. P.'s cost a  
penny a year. Cabinet Ministers a  
half penny, and policemen half a  
crown. Taking the whole Empire,  
we find that it is carried on at the rate  
of three pence a week for every subject  
of the King, and nobody can say that  
it is very extravagant.

HONEST BUSINESS MEN.—Are there  
ten per cent of honest men in the  
American business world? Does the  
wealthy, successful business man often  
sacrifice his moneyed interests to a  
high moral principle? Would his  
conscience keep such a man from un-  
loading stock that he knew, from in-  
side information, was going to tumble  
in value? The Pessimist has a ready  
answer to these questions. Robert C.  
Ogden, the head of the famous Wana-  
maker store in New York has another  
answer. And he backs up his opinion  
with a series of striking, eye-opening  
incidents out of real life,—the life of  
the every-day business world. Mr.  
Ogden's article is going to make a  
sensation among some people. He has  
written it exclusively for The Sunday  
School Times, where it will appear  
February 23.

—Tibet is larger than France,  
Germany, and Spain combined, and  
has a population of 6,000,000. It is  
ruled over by Dalai Lama, who ac-  
knowledges only a nominal allegiance  
to China. He is the head of Lamaism,  
which is the oldest and strictest sect  
of Buddhism. Nearly all Mongolia is  
of the religion of the Dalai Lama of  
Lassa, and an ambitious man in the  
place would make trouble for China.

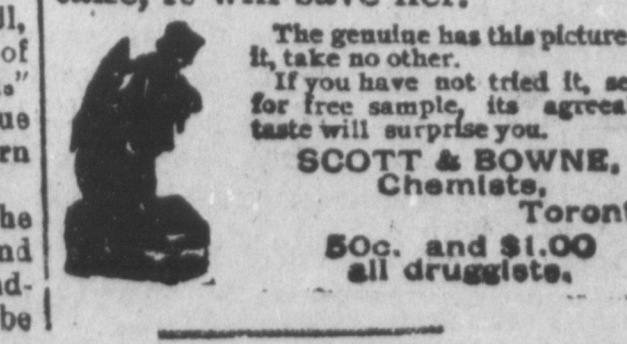
**Pity and Beauty**

The most beautiful thing in  
the world is the baby, all  
dimples and joy. The most  
pitiful thing is that same baby,  
thin and in pain. And the  
mother does not know that a  
little fat makes all the differ-  
ence.

Dimples and joy have gone,  
and left hollows and fear; the  
fat, that was comfort and  
color and curve—all but pity  
and love—is gone.

The little one gets no fat  
from her food. There is some-  
thing wrong; it is either her food  
or food-mill. She has had no  
fat for weeks; is living on what  
she had stored in that plump  
little body of hers; and that is  
gone. She is starving for fat;  
it is death, be quick!

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Liver Oil is the fat she can  
take; it will save her.



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each of them commends the McShane  
bells. All McShane cast bells are of re-  
wring copper and imported black tin  
carefully proportioned and carefully  
milled to secure a quality and  
lasting quality. They are made  
very carefully and solidly for ease of  
ringing and neatness of design. Every-  
thing that conduces toward satisfaction  
is part of the McShane endeavor. The  
McShane Company will send catalogue  
free to persons contemplating purchase.

—With the exception of Tibet and  
some parts of Central Africa, the  
whole world has heard the Gospel,  
and about 500,000,000 of its total  
population of 1,500,000,000 are now  
nominal Christians.

—There are eleven hundred hospi-  
tals connected with Protestant mis-  
sions in foreign lands, treating over  
2,500,000 patients yearly. Miracles  
of healing are again being performed  
on earth.

—Missionaries in the famine dis-  
tricts of India saved from death about  
25,000 children who are now under  
the care of the various missionaries  
and who must be fed and clad, and  
trained for lives of usefulness. The  
missionaries have the courage to under-  
take the task of caring for this great  
army of little ones. Churches at home  
will surely give all needed support.

Mr. Huxley, being questioned about  
the use of alcohol as a stimulus for  
brain-workers, replied that he would  
as quickly take a dose of arsenic as a  
dose of alcohol for that purpose.

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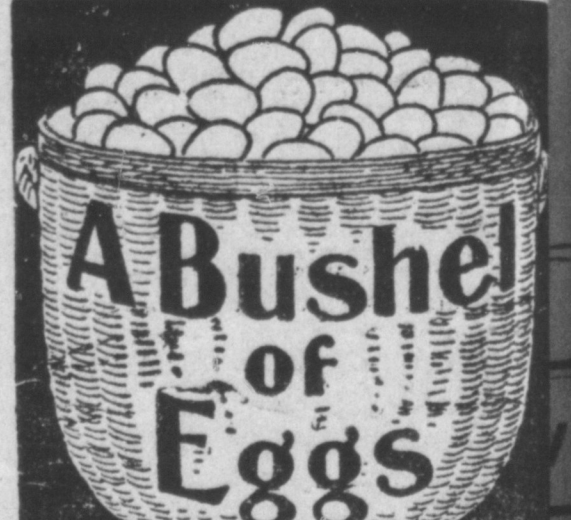
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mending it to my friends."

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