

**"THOUGHT MY HEAD  
WOULD BURST."****A Fredericton Lady's Terrible  
Suffering.**

Mrs. Geo. Doherty tells the following remarkable story of relief from suffering and restoration to health, which should



clear away all doubts as to the efficacy of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills from the minds of the most skeptical:

"For several years I have been a constant sufferer from nervous headache, and the pain was so intense that sometimes I was almost crazy. I really thought that my head would burst. I consulted a number of physicians, and took many remedies, but without effect. I noticed Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills advertised, and as they seemed to suit my case, I got a box and began their use. Before taking them I was very weak and debilitated, and would sometimes wake out of my sleep with a distressed, smothering feeling, and I was frequently seized with agonizing pains in the region of the heart, and often could scarcely muster up courage to keep up the struggle for life. In this wretched condition Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills came to the rescue, and to-day I state, with gratitude, that I am vigorous and strong, and all this improvement is due to this wonderful remedy."

**Notice of Sale.**

To Coles Wilcox of the Parish of Wakefield in the County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, Blacksmith, and Eleanor Wilcox his wife, and all others whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE that there will be sold a Public Auction in front of the office of Wendell P. Jones, Barrister-at-Law on King Street, in the Town of Woodstock in said County of Carleton on TUESDAY the TWELFTH day of APRIL next at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon the following lands and premises namely:—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Parish of Wicklow County of Carleton and fronting on the road leading to River-de Chute and being a portion of land originally granted to H.M. Campbell, commencing at a post standing on the North easterly corner of Lot number (3) three, then owned by Thomas H. Welch thence North 3 degrees, East 10 chains, thence North 87 degrees, West 95 chains and 50 links or to American Boundary line, thence South 18 degrees and 20 minutes, West 10 chains and 40 links or to Lot number 3, thence South 87 degrees East 98 chains and 30 links or to place of beginning, known as Lot number 4 containing ninety seven acres more or less as surveyed by Deputy Charles Garden in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and seventy four (1874), together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

The above sale will be held under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the twenty-fourth day of May A. D. 1879 and made between said Coles Wilcox and Eleanor Wilcox, his wife, of the one part, and George H. Connell of the Town of Woodstock, County and Province aforesaid, Gentleman, of the other part which said mortgage is registered in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds for said County of Carleton in Book V number Two of records on pages 271, 272, 273 and 274, default having been made in the payment of the monies thereby secured.

Dated this 26th day of February, A. D. 1898.  
JAMES W. BOYER,  
Assignee of Mortgage.

**In The Matter of The Estate  
of Narcisse Marquis.**

Narcisse Marquis of Edmundston, in the County of Madawaska, and Province of New Brunswick, Merchant, having on the twenty first day of February A. D. 1898, in pursuance of the provisions of 58th Victoria, Chapter 6 and the amending Acts, made a general assignment to me for the benefit of his creditors, I do hereby call a meeting of the creditors of the said Narcisse Marquis to be held at the court house in Edmundston in the said County of Madawaska, on Thursday, the third day of March next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon for the appointment of Inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of his estate. All creditors are required to file their claims, duly proven, with me within three months of the date of this notice, unless further time be allowed by a Judge of the Supreme County or court; and all claims not filed within the time limited or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the estate; and I shall be at liberty to distribute the proceeds of the estate as if any claim not filed as aforesaid did not exist, but without prejudice to the liability of the debtor therefor.

Dated the twenty second day of February A. D. 1898.  
J. FRANCIS RICE,  
Sheriff of Madawaska County Assignee.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Summerside March, 1898, inclusively, for the construction of a breakwater at Summerside, P. E. I., according to plans and specification to be seen at the office of Mr. J. B. Hogan, at Charlottetown, P. E. I., at the office of Mr. C. E. W. Dodwell, Resident Engineer, Halifax, N. S., at the office of Mr. W. J. McCordock, Supt. of Dredging, Custom House, St. John, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers. An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, for ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,  
B. F. E. ROY, Secretary.  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, 21st Feb. 1898.  
Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

**THE FIRST CAMPAIGN.****How Gladstone Became Member of New-  
ark When 22 Years of Age.**

A correspondent of the Daily News writes: Mr Gladstone became member for Newark in December, 1832, when he was 22 years of age. There are not more than two or three living in the old borough who remember his introduction to it under the auspices of the Red Club, which was in fact only another name for the Duke of Newcastle, whose influence was all powerful. One of these old inhabitants is Mr. W. Newnam Nicholson, formerly a Conservative member for Newark and another is the oldest tradesman in the Market place, Mr. Hadfield, a chemist aged 85. On the authority of the dean of Lincoln, Mr. Gladstone never worked so hard, and never was so excited in his life, as during this first contest. The dean, in addressing an audience at Newark a short time ago, said that Mr. Gladstone had told him that not even in his cabinet makings and in deciding momentous issues of peace and war was he so much engrossed and exercised as in his first political campaigns. It was the custom in those days for a candidate to go into every house in the town whether the occupiers were voters or not, to ask those who were not for their influence.

Even the houses of paupers were included in the visitation. And there were 2000 houses in the borough, and Mr. Gladstone was elected five times, he made 10,000 visits in Newark, and although it is some years since he was in the place, the dean added that Mr. Gladstone thought he could still find his way about the principal thoroughfares and by streets. His opponents at the first election were Mr. Handley, a local banker, and Sergeant Wilde, afterwards Lord Chancellor Truro. The latter was not returned, which was a great disappointment to the blues, as the Radicals of these times were called, who were much concerned about the slave trade, Catholic emancipation, the abolition of the test and corporation acts, and the abolition of capital punishment for minor offences.

On his numerous visits to Newark, political and otherwise, the budding premier used to be fond of taking part in Parcell's duet, "Could a Man Be Secure," with Mr. Ellis, then verging at the parish church. His interest in things musical was such that he presented an organ to Christ Church in 1835, and it did duty there up to a few years ago, when it was removed to a village church hard by. One of the earliest—perhaps the earliest—portrait in oils of Mr Gladstone was painted by a Newark artist—Mr. W. H. Cubley—who was a magistrate for the borough, and died not long since. The sittings were given at Carlton House terrace about the year 1841. The portrait is now a choice possession of Mr. Branston of the Friary, Newark, who also has the companion painting of Mr. Thesinger, another member of the town, who became lord chancellor. One incident well-nigh checked Mr. Gladstone at the outset of his career. The polling used to extend over two or three days. At the end of the first day in the 1832 election he was addressing a crowd from one of the windows of the Clinton Arms Hotel when a ruffian hurled a large stone at him, which just missed his head and went through the window. The offender having been seized made a compromise by the next day voting for Mr. Gladstone.

The right honorable gentleman remained member for Newark till January, 1846, when both he and his friend, the Earl of Lincoln, having espoused the principles of free trade, they incurred the displeasure of the duke, and had to seek pastures new, the duke being especially angry with his son, the earl, ousting him from his seat for South Notts. The two friends were very different men from the stern, proud Henry of Newcastle; they found seats in Parliament elsewhere, and on the death of the earl, who had in the meantime succeeded to the dukedom, Mr. Gladstone became one of the trustees of the Clumber estates, and so continued for many years, a responsibility in itself weighty enough to occupy the attention of most men, let alone the cares of the premiership, which rested upon him during part of the time. In his capacity as trustee he was occasionally to be met walking about the streets of Newark on the business of the dual estates. About this time when he gave up this responsibility one of his best little acts of kindness was to send a plum pudding from Hawarden to a dinner to the remaining old "Scot and lot" voters who had votes at his first election. With the changing order of things these have now all passed away, the one great link with the old electioneering days of Newark, when a contest has been known to cost a candidate £10,000 is the grand old man himself.

**QUEER HEART FEELING.**

Queer feelings in the heart are daily complained by multitudes of people—don't know the cause, but it makes them nervous, irritable and unfit for either work or pleasure. Mr. B. A. Ross, Ailsa Craig, Ont., explains it. He says: "It came from la grippe. I was irritable, worried, dizzy, short of breath and had such a queer feeling in my heart that I thought I would give up the ghost. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills changed all this, and I am free to-day from all these troubles."

**Disordered  
Kidneys.**

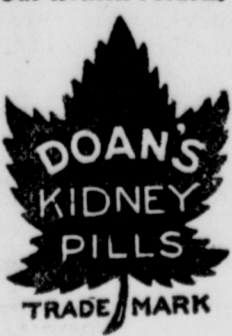
Perhaps they're the source of your ill health and you don't know it. Here's how you can tell:—  
If you have Back Ache or Lame Back.  
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**About Men Of War.**

The cost per ton of building a battle-ship varies between £49 and £67.

Her Majesty's ships Powerful and Terrible are the largest cruisers in the world.

Nearly half the crew of a modern war-vessel are composed of the men connected with the engineering department.

The only officers in the army allowed to wear shirt collars when in undress uniform are those of the 7th Hussars and Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

Many British warships can cross to New York and back twice without recoaling. To do this they would only be able to steam at ten knots, that is, nearly twelve miles an hour.

The tallest man in the navy is a stoker now engaged in a recruiting duty at Portsmouth. His height is 6 feet 4 inches, about 5 inches less than the Grenadier who holds the record in the army.

Forty-eight warships were launched in the United Kingdom last year. Thirty three of them were British, and the remaining fifteen were built for foreign governments. Only four were constructed in the Royal dock-yards.

The Royal Militia of Guernsey is the oldest military organization in the world. The system of compulsory militia service in force in Guernsey to day is a survival of the feudal system. Every male inhabitant of the island has been held liable to serve since the thirteenth century.

Amateur theatricals is one of the most popular forms of entertainment in the British navy, especially when the ships are on foreign stations and time hangs heavily on the heads of both officers and men. The plays enacted are usually written by one of the officers, and the most intelligent members of the crew constitute the cast.

Her Majesty and other members of the Royal family are entitled to an artillery salute of twenty-one guns. The same salute is extended to foreign Kings and Queens or members of their families, as well as the President of a republic. There are twenty-one stations where these salutes are fired, St. James's Park and the Tower being two of them.

Armored motor cars are the latest things to have been impressed into the service of the sons of Mars. It is proposed to have carriages running on solid tires, protected with Harveyized steel plates, and armed with Maxim blaze away until all their ammunition was exhausted, and then return for more. There are to be fitted with a ram-like arrangement for cutting their way through hedges, etc.

Although the sashes worn by military officers nowadays are mere badges of distinction, in the old times they were used to carry the wounded off the field of battle. In only one regiment, the 13th. Somersetshire Light Infantry, are the sergeants allowed to wear their sashes over the same shoulder as the officers. This distinction was won at Culloden, when sergeants had to take the place of the officers, who were nearly all killed.

What would seem to be an almost impossible occurrence took place in the recent fighting on the northwest frontier of India. A Sepoy of the 36th Sikhs felt something hit his rifle, but seeing no mark thought he was mistaken. However, on reaching camp he found that a bullet, fired by the enemy, had entered the muzzle. Fortunately for him, he did not have occasion to fire his rifle before he discovered this, or it would have undoubtedly burst.

The costliest warship ever built for the British navy is now in contemplation, and will shortly be commenced. It will cost considerably over a million sterling, which is more than has ever been expended on a battle ship in this country, the nearest approach to it being £971,783, the cost of the Victorious.

A Running Sore Pronounced Incurable by Eight Doctors—Cured by Dr. Chase.

Mr. R. D. Robbins, 148 Cowan Ave., Toronto, says: "I had a bad leg, which was simply unsightly. From below the knee to the ankle was one great sore. Eight doctors treated me without benefit. I was induced to try Dr. Chase's Ointment which cured me, and all that remains to be seen are the scars."

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Some men work for wealth and fame  
Some men strive for women's praise;  
Some men just enjoy the game  
And work away like blazes.

Some men strive because that they  
Seem to think they ought to;  
But most poor mortals work away,  
Just because they've got to.

—Cleveland Leader.

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Blood that is bad makes the whole body sick. Blood that is good makes the whole body healthy and vigorous. **BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS** makes good rich, ruddy blood. "I regard B. B. B. as the best medicine in the world to make rich, red blood. It cured me after two years suffering from weak, thin blood."—JENNIE A. GLEASON, Centreton, Ont.

**Persistent Advertiser.**

The constant drop of water  
Wears away the hardest stone;  
The constant gnaw of Towser  
Masticates the toughest bone;  
The constant cooing lover  
Carries off the blushing maid;  
And the constant advertiser  
Is the one who gets the trade.

—Tid-Bits.

**A Banker's Experience.**

"I tried a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for a troublesome affection of the throat," writes Manager Thomas Dewson of the Standard Bank, now of 14 Melbourne Avenue, Toronto. "It proved effective. I regard the remedy as simple, cheap and exceedingly good. It has hitherto been my habit to consult a physician in troubles of this nature. Hereafter, however, I intend to be my own family doctor."

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