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### Improved C. P. R. Train Service for Fredericton.

Mr. Downie made an announcement to the Fredericton Board of Trade, which promises a much better train service for the Capital when the Summer Schedule comes in force. Woodstock will be interested in the official statement that:

"On the Gibson branch a new train is to be run from Woodstock to Fredericton on three days a week, thus giving on these days a train both ways on the line. The new train will leave Woodstock at 7 a. m., arriving at Fredericton between 10 and 11 o'clock and returning, will leave that city at 5 o'clock in the evening. This train will be run on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and will give the people along the line an opportunity to spend several hours on business in the Capital on either of the three days and return home in the evening. The present train service on Gibson branch will also be continued in its entirety."

### Meductic has a Plan to Found a Colony

Alex Gibson, of Green Bush, had his house and barns destroyed by fire last Friday. The men were all away, rafting, and scarcely anything was saved. A little girl, a member of the family, was badly burned. There are hopes of her recovery. The cause of the fire is not known.

A very old and respected citizen, of Lower Woodstock, Mr. Franklin, died very suddenly at his son's, Ansel Franklin's, house last Friday. He had reached the ripe age of eighty-nine.

People interested in the prompt delivery of their mail will be pleased to learn that Mr. Wilkinson has bought the stage route between Meductic and Fredericton.

George P. Oils has near completion a large and commodious barn and warehouse. He intends to build a large store to meet the requirements of his growing business.

The real estate owners of Meductic are working out a plan for the colonization of a tract of land lying back of the village. A new road will be run from the Canterbury station road across the centre of several properties, opening up a tract of land in every way, well adapted to agriculture, and this will provide homes for ten families of fifty men. This colony will be within two miles of the village, and will have within easy reach schools, churches and stores. When the details of this plan are completed application will be made to the department of immigration for ten families having not less

than \$1,000 each. This amount will insure them 100 acres of land and enough left to start a farm with buildings. This will no doubt be one of the best offers for settlers that will be found in New Brunswick. In the event of the department not being able to supply this demand for settlers the parties interested will send a man to England and Sweden to secure the colony.

### FELL ON THE STOVE.

#### BABY IS BADLY BURNED.

The young daughter of Mrs. T. S. Dougall, 523 Flora Avenue, Winnipeg, was arranging some of her doll's washing on a clothes rack, beside the stove, when she fell and her hand, being thrown out to try to save herself, came in contact with the side of the stove. She sustained a serious burn and her screams brought her mother quickly to the spot.

"I sent to the druggist for the best remedy he had for burns," she says, "and he sent back a box of Zim Buk. He said that there was nothing to equal it. I applied this, and it soothed the pain so quickly that the child laughed through her tears. I bound up the hand in Zim Buk, and each day applied Zim Buk frequently and liberally, until the burn was quite cured."

"The little one was soon able to go on with her play, and we had no trouble with her during the time the burn was being healed. I would recommend all mothers to keep Zim Buk handy for emergencies of this kind."

All druggists and stores sell Zim Buk at fifty cents a box. Post free from Zim Buk Co., Toronto, for price, and you are warned against harmful imitations.

Thaddeus W. Tyler, the original 'village blacksmith,' is dead. It was while watching him at his work over his forge and anvil that Longfellow was inspired to write:

"Under the spreading chestnut tree,  
The village smithy stands."

Tyler died at his home in Lynn, Mass., at the age of seventy-six years, after an illness of but four days with pleuro pneumonia. He was a blacksmith for but a few years. Not long after he had been immortalized by the poet he went into the shoe manufacturing business which he continued to his death. Mr. Tyler was a close friend of Longfellow, and a frequent visitor at his home.

Supplementary estimates were brought down at Ottawa last Wednesday, and Woodstock is to get \$1200 for public buildings, pavements and sidewalks on grounds, etc. Also \$5000 for a survey with a view of improving navigation between Fredericton and Woodstock.

### John Wesley in America.

In Harper's for April Nehemiah Curnock writes of the recently discovered Journals of John Wesley, which give, among other details of the great preacher's life, a new view of his visit to America.

"The whole period of Wesley's life from the hour of his embarkation at Gravesend to the day of his return from America is now revealed with a fullness of detail never hitherto attained. New and much fuller versions of his Journal have come to light and have been woven into the versions which he himself printed. These were written for the information of relatives and friends in England. They are complimentary of one another, and are rich in living interest. They describe tragic events Frederica, and clear away all the obscurities that have hitherto enveloped the famous love-story which incidentally brought Wesley's trans-Atlantic career to an end. But to American readers the Diary is a much more interesting and informing document. It is not only a daily record of personal doings and happenings, but, for nearly all the days, an hourly record. It begins with scrupulous exactness at the hour, or rather at the minute, of awakening—four or five in the morning—and continues with unbroken regularity down the yellow page to nine or ten o'clock at night. During the whole of his residence in Georgia Wesley slept on bare boards and fed on the plainest vegetarian food—as a rule on bread. He drank neither wine nor beer. His first act on landing was to smash the rum-casks and to impose upon himself and his comrades—all members of the Holy Club—a vow of abstinence. No trace can be discovered of a single day or hour given to recreation. All his reading, his conversation, his writing, even to the grammars and catechisms he compiled were religious. The nearest approach to recreative reading that I have been able to discover in the diaries is Milton and Plato. The diversions of earlier years—tennis, cards, shooting and the like—are conspicuous by their absence. Even when 'shaving' he 'meditates'."

## Shiloh's Cure

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

### Ladies Light Streets and Put Down Drains

The Provincial Department of Agriculture has arranged for the holding of 570 women's institute meetings throughout Ontario during the coming summer. This is over 50 more than last year and creates a departmental record. All the constituencies will be covered, except a few in eastern Ontario and organization meetings will be held in those districts which were never served before. It is interesting to note that the series includes over 100 meetings in northern Ontario, which indicates the growth of settlement and agricultural effort in the newly-organized districts.

The Women's Institutes are materially extending the scope of their influence and effort, according to the statement of Mr. George A. Putman, Provincial Superintendent to the Globe, and many public-spirited enterprises have been undertaken by their organizations. In Manitoulin they purchased a buggy for the Presbyterian student who ministers to the spiritual needs of the district. In another locality they erected a fine fence around the local burying ground. In two villages they undertook the lighting of the streets at night. At other points they have defrayed the expense of putting in drains and water service, while in a great number of places they have inaugurated and paid for a tree-planting and beautifying campaign. In Parkhill the Institute has entered into a co-operative campaign with the Grand Trunk for the beautifying of the surroundings of the railway yards.

"So it is evident," quoth Mr. Putman with a smile, "that the ladies tackle more than home problems, food topics and the exchange of recipes."—Toronto Globe.

### The Toronto Saturday Night.

President Taft doesn't present the besting front he did a year ago. The famous smile has been almost worn smooth by the daily friction of his exalted office, and care has begun to dig deep furrows in the once serene brow. The countenance still shows boundless good nature and benignity, but the expression is subdued, weary, and even nonchalant. His public words, too, bear out the impression of weariness. They are neither happy nor fortunate, and a "peevish" tone shows the effect of constant criticism of his administration. Hostility always roused Roosevelt to his best. The more sensitive Taft needs the sympathetic response. The occasion of his visit to New York this week was the banquet of the American Peace and Arbitration League. He came on direct from the Albany conference with Earl Gray and Hon. W. S. Fielding, Canadian Minister of Finance, on tariff matters. That conference, as everybody knows, was a last effort to save his own face and the face of the Washington tariff tinkers. And it is also an open secret that the result was not flattering to the Washington view point. This may have had some effect on his frame of mind. In the afternoon he addressed the Press Club, and in a spirit of good fellowship that is characteristic of the press "off-duty" he was given a jolly hour. Parodies on popular songs were rendered setting forth in humorous vein the current political happenings. To the air of "Rings on her fingers" we had:

Smiles for the Reg'lars,  
Grins for his foes,  
Sunny words for every one,  
Everywhere he goes;  
Stands for no nonsense,  
No use for graft,  
Our handy, dandy, candy  
President Taft—Bill Taft!

"Has anybody here seen Kelly" was transposed to:

Has anybody heard from Teddy?  
T—E double D—Y,  
Has anybody heard from Teddy,  
Anybody seen the child?  
Oh his face is tanned and his clothes are weird

And they even say he has grown a beard.  
And has anybody heard from Teddy,  
Teddy from the jungle wild?

The fallen Czar of the House, "Uncle Joe" Cannon, was lamented in the doleful strains of "Old Uncle Ned":

Oh there was an old speaker and his name was Uncle Joe,

And he liked nothing more than a scrap;  
And the rules that he made filled insurgents full of woe

Till they wiped Uncle Joseph off the map.  
Chorus.

Hang up the gavel and cigar,  
Close up the House and Senate bar;  
There is trouble and woe for poor Uncle Joe,  
Cause he went just a little too far.

### \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative power that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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### Casualties on American Roads Worse Than War

Washington, D. C., April 20—A large increase in the number of casualties on American railroads is shown by the report for the quarter ended December 31, 1900, as compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year. A bulletin issued today by the interstate commerce commission shows an increase in the number of persons killed of 301 and in the number of injured of 5,645, as compared with the corresponding quarter of 1900. The total number of persons killed was 1,099 and the total injured 22,491.

### A Blue Rose Developed at Last.

The long sought-for novelty, the blue rose, has been developed at last, and to the intense interest of the gardeners and flower lovers who visited the spring flower show of the Pennsylvania Agricultural Society and the National Association of Gardeners at Horticultural Hall recently. Three plants have been put on display. The color obtained is the best blue that has ever been produced. It is on the violet shade, and the rose is a Rambler variety. The tiny buds in heavy clusters are of bright red hue and show the blue only on blooming.—Philadelphia Record.

## "Expected to Die"

Biliousness, Dizziness, Vertigo, and Pain in the Back.

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Lack of exercise and overwork were the causes that combined to almost kill Samuel S. Stephens, Jr., one of the best-known and most influential citizens in Woodstock. In his convincing letter Mr. Stephens says:

"A year ago I returned home after a long trip, completely worn out. I was so badly affected by chronic biliousness, so much overcome by constant headaches, dizziness, that I despaired of ever getting well. I was always tired and languid, had no energy and spirit, found it difficult to sleep for more than five hours. My appetite was so feeble that I ate next to nothing and in consequence lost weight and strength. I was pale and had dark rings under my eyes that made me look like a shadow."

"It was a blessing that I used Dr. Hamilton's Pills. In one week I felt like a new man. The feeling of weight and nausea in my stomach disappeared. My eyes looked brighter, color grew better, and, best of all, I began to enjoy my meals. The dizziness, languor, and feeling of depression passed away, and I fast regained my old-time vigor and spirits. To-day I am well—thanks to Dr. Hamilton's Pills."

The regular use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills keeps the system clear, healthy, and thereby prevents all manner of sickness. 25 cents per box, or five boxes for \$1, by mail from the Catarrh-ozone Company, Kingston, Ont.

Wm. Sewell who has been manager of the telephone exchange at Glassville for the past two years, was presented with an address and a suit case Saturday week. Mr. and Mrs. Sewell and two daughters, intend leaving for Enderby, B. C. within a few weeks.

Prof. L. T. Townsend recalls a story telling where Daniel Webster's money sometimes went. After considerable provocation he wrote to the editor of a newspaper referred to Mr. Webster's private affairs, and especially to his not paying his debts, saying: "It is true that I have not always paid my debts punctually, and that I owe money. One cause of this is that I have not pressed those who owe me for payment. As an instance of this, I enclose your father's note, made to me thirty years ago, for money lent him to educate his boys."

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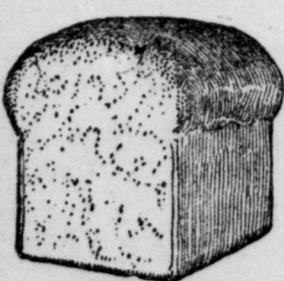
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