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Woodstock, April 1, 1901.

There are 17,000,000 children in Russia between the ages of 6 and 14 receiving absolutely no education.

### General News Items.

Minneapolis is the second largest Scandinavian city.

Fully 2500 persons commit suicide in Russia every year.

Rice is estimated to be the staple food of nearly one half of the human race.

Ninety per cent. of the wealth of the United States is held by 10 per cent. of the people.

Insurance companies claim that cycling is more dangerous than travelling either by railway or by ship.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.  
The Irish Viceroy, or Lord Lieutenant, exercises the Royal prerogative, and can reprieve a criminal from the gallows without referring to King or any one else.

Strength and vigor come of good food, duly digested. "Force," a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates.

The chinaware belonging to King Edward is valued at £400,000, and is guarded with the most scrupulous care.

For pimples, blotches, bad complexion, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine to take—it has established this fact.

Preliminary returns to the statistician of the American Department of Agriculture on the acreage of spring wheat sown indicate an area of about 17,257,000 acres, a decrease of 364,000 acres, or 2.1 per cent. from the revised estimates of the acreage sown last year.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.  
England spend \$155,000,000 a year on her navy to hold the supremacy of the sea. We spend nearly that sum on pensions.

For the Little Ones Painkiller comes with quick relief. The bumps and the bruises, the pains from green apples are quickly cured by its use. Avoid substitutes. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis.

A great obstacle to missionaries in Africa is caused by the fact of that country having no less than 700 languages.

A Purely Vegetable Corn Cure.  
Putnam's Corn Extractor contains no acids, but is entirely vegetable in composition. Putnam's never stings or causes discomfort. It cures quickly, painlessly, permanently.

Some of the postage stamps shown at an international stamp exhibition at Muehlhausen, Alsace, are priced at \$25,000 each.

Cannot Do Without it.  
Once Dr. Chase's Ointment becomes known, it is indispensable in the home because of the scores of ways in which it can be used. While this Ointment is best known as a positive cure for eczema, salt rheum, itching piles, and the most torturing diseases of the skin, it is also unsurpassed as a treatment for chafed, irritated skin, pimples, blackheads, poisoned skin, scalds, burns and sores of every description.

A strange sort of Enoch Arden case has been reported in Missouri. A man went away some years ago, and was later reported dead. His wife married, her second husband died, she married again, and the third went the way of the second. Then the first husband turned up, and now claims his wife, who has legally never been a widow.

Gas on the Stomach.  
Result of imperfect digestion pressing against the heart, it excites alarming symptoms. Instant relief is afforded by taking half an hour after the meal, ten drops of Peppermint Nerveine in a little sweetened water. Nerveine aids digestion, expels the gas and imparts a sense of comfort. Nerveine is good for lots of other things, and wise people keep a 25c. bottle in the house for rheumatism, cramps, neuralgia, toothache &c. Try it.

London, June 19.—The correspondent of the "Times" cables from New York a comment on Mr. Chamberlain's tariff policy and says Americans well know that Canada with Great Britain at her back is a greatly more difficult neighbor to deal with than if she stood alone.

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### ONTARIO'S FINANCIAL WRECK.

DEPOSITORS AND STOCKHOLDERS HEAVY LOSERS.

When the statement of the affairs of the Atlas Loan Company, is issued, the details are likely to be sensational.

Enough has leaked out, to indicate that the estate is not likely to pay much more than one per cent on the dollar even to depositors. To the shareholders, the present crisis means a double loss, for most of them being personal friends of Mr. Wallace, were speculating through his agency also.

The suspension of the company took place on June 3, and the liabilities certainly exceed one million dollars, with about \$14,000 cash, consisting of deposits made within a day or two of the suspension the only sum in sight with which to meet them.

On the very day of the suspension there were registered here to Mr. F. W. Baile, of the Metropolitan Bank, what are believed to have been the remnants of all the assets and securities of the company.

ATLAS LOAN COMPANY.  
Liabilities to depositors... \$460,000  
To debenture holders... 310,000  
To shareholders—pd-up stock 300,000

Total... \$1,070,000

ELGIN LOAN COMPANY.

Liabilities to depositors... \$193,007  
To shareholders... 239,688

Total... \$432,695

This is the record of the two "busted" loan companies at St. Thomas, Ontario, financial wrecks which have brought ruin to hundreds of depositors and stockholders.

A St. Thomas telegram of Wednesday says: "Though the haste to get rich is said to be at the root of much that is evil, it is seldom that the saying has been so completely exemplified as at St. Thomas. The craze for making money, whether by speculation or by financing that was shunned by those who had weathered many a gale, took possession of the town. One evidence was the existence of five loan companies to a population of 12,000 or 14,000. The ordinary banker, trained in finance, says now, 'I told you so,' but he must have the credit of having given the warning long ago.

There can be no doubt that loan companies have been a drag on the town. Instead of putting their money into industrial enterprises, which would benefit the town, the savers and makers preferred a loan company, with alluring prospects of 5 per cent. and 6 per cent. There was plenty of money here, for St. Thomas is a big railway centre, surrounded by one of the richest farming districts in the country. So far did it go that one company tried to make money out of another. Mr. Baird, President of the suspended Elgin company, frankly admits that the reason his company put \$31,000 with the Atlas Company, also suspended, was that he was offered 5 per cent., which he could not get elsewhere. Both of these companies will disappear, and a brighter day will dawn for St. Thomas.

Manager Rowley of the Elgin Company, who is missing, was also manager of the G. N. W. Company, and Inspector Duckworth has been sent up to investigate his accounts. There was a rumor that he was in hiding in the city, but this is unfounded, for a cabman drove him to the Michigan Central Station after midnight on Monday morning, and he is understood to have taken the train for the east, Buffalo or New York. This is one of the sad features of the affair, for he was a devoted family man, worshipped by a family whose sorrow is affecting.

A scapegoat must be found, and, rightly or wrongly, Mr. Wallace, president of the Atlas Loan Co., is blamed for everything. He persistently refuses to make any statement until Ames & Company do so to enable him to know where he stands. He, however, was induced by his neighbors, Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, the evangelists, to come down to the office to-day to assist the liquidators. He is in a very bad condition physically as well as mentally. He characterized as absurd the statement of Ames & Co. that his company would not have failed on their account if it had been strong otherwise, and names a lot of gilded securities which he had with that firm, of which Dominion Steel alone is weak.

Mr. Wallace admitted that he had made an egregious mistake which had involved himself and his friends but that he was determined to do right, and that he would never be worth a dollar himself until he had paid everybody one hundred cents on the dollar. Although the company was forbidden by charter to speculate in other than Canadian securities, he speaks of his investments in Twin City and Sloss Sheffield, and the supposition is that he was not doing this on his personal account.

One of his curious methods of financing is seen in his scheme to make a surplus or reserve fund. The Atlas Co., a couple of years ago, had a paid up capital of \$300,000 and a surplus of \$78,000. He then proposed to make this surplus equal to the paid-up capital by adding \$222,000. Those who had subscribed but not fully paid up, were asked to pay up in full and then were urged to subscribe to the reserve fund in order, as he alleged, to increase the value of their stock. Considering the risk, he asked for security of 20 per cent. beyond the loan, which was agreed to. He made the loan and received debentures of the company to an amount of 20 per cent. in excess of the loan. After the failure he learned from a private statement of the company that he figured as a creditor for the actual amount loaned and not for the amount of the debentures issued. Whether more of this financing was indulged in will also be disclosed when the winding-up is completed.

Mr. Rowley, the manager of the Elgin Co., who has disappeared, was born in London, Ont., fifty eight years ago, and learned the profession of a telegraph operator. He was appointed manager of the St. Thomas office of the G. N. W. in 1887, and had retained that position ever since, bringing both to that office and his charge of the affairs of the Elgin Loan, remarkable powers of application and industry. He was one of the leading spirits in the organization of the Elgin Loan, and was chosen as manager. He was very prominent in church circles, being treasurer of the First Methodist church. He was a member of several different orders, though never taking a prominent position in any. He owned his own handsome residence on Wellington street, and a couple of other real estate properties beside.

### ANOTHER VICTORY FOR FERROZONE.

Life of a Lindsay Lady Saved By Its Timely Use.

Remarkable Cure of Female Trouble That Doctors Gave Up as Incurable.

Lindsay, April 18.—Owing to the great number of wonderful cures performed by Ferrozone in this town, its reputation is now second to none. Many leading citizens have testified to its merits, and scarcely a day passes but someone proclaims the untold benefit derived from this great tonic.

Mrs. J. J. Perry, of No 4 Peter street, makes the following statement which will be of interest to every reader:—"About ten years ago I was confined to my room for five months under the constant care of a doctor, suffering from weakness and female trouble, since then I have scarcely been able to get around, being all ways run down in flesh, nervous and hysterical. My appetite and digestion became so poor that my strength failed entirely. A constant headache, palpitation of the heart and sores at the corners of my mouth added to my burden.

"My druggist, Mr. Dunoon, advised me to try Ferrozone. I used three boxes at first, and noticing an improvement bought six more. I improved steadily and grew stronger each day. Finally Ferrozone cured me. I am twenty pounds heavier, I have a splendid appetite, and my complexion is everything that could be desired. My heart trouble is gone, and to-day I am a strong, healthy woman, just what Ferrozone made me. My life was saved by Ferrozone, and I am glad to testify to its great merits.

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Pale, weak women, who are despondent and ailing, will find hope and new health in Ferrozone. It makes rich blood, braces the nerves, strengthens enfeebled organs. Ferrozone corrects stomach trouble, improves the appetite and brings color to the cheeks. Price 50c per box or six boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers.

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It has been estimated that the Weather Bureau warnings in this country effected a saving of \$4,000,000 worth of perishable freight in the February cold wave.

## Hump Back

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According to a Blue Book just issued India and Australia are Great Britain's best customers in the markets of the world—India's total with Great Britain being £73,000,000, Australia's £50,000,000 and Canada's £30,000,000.

The value of diamonds in the United States is estimated to be \$500,000,000. Of this amount \$170,000,000 worth are owned by residents of New York.

### LEARN FROM OTHERS

That Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are a Sure Cure for all Stomach Troubles—Henry A. Cole's Experience.

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"I can heartily recommend Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets to any sufferer from stomach troubles. And others in this neighborhood who have used them speak just as highly of them as I do."

### Trading on the Niger.

A recent traveler on the Niger writes: "I was anxious to buy some fruit from a native woman who came down to the ship, and to this end I produced a handful of coppers, which I had brought out from England. I first showed her five, then six, seven and eight, but she pushed them all aside in a most unceremonious manner. More by way of a joke than anything else, I then produced a three penny piece, which she at once accepted, giving me in return just twice as much as I had asked for my eight coppers. I also discovered that she had a great partiality for white glass bottles. I happened to have about half a dozen empty soda water bottles, for which she gave me the same number of eggs. I afterward found that any white glass bottle had this purchasing power all over Nigeria. The natives send them to Bida, where they are melted and made into rings about three or four inches in diameter, to be worn either as armlets or anklets."

Statistics just issued show that the total number of Scotsmen in London is 28,576. There are 28,028 Scotswomen. In the whole of England and Wales the number of people of Scottish birth is 316,838, as against 426,565 Irish folk, and 247,768 foreigners who are not naturalised British subjects.

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