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General Dry Goods

A VERY NICE LINE OF

WOMBAT COATS

That we are selling at Right Prices.

Our CLOTH CAPS for Men, Youths and Boys will be found up-to-date in all the styles, and we feel sure that we can give good satisfaction in these lines of goods.

We also claim that we can give a Better Suit of TAILOR MADE CLOTHES for the money than any other dry goods firm in town.

Call and Examine.

The Saunders Co., Ltd.

HOLIDAY GOODS!

A Few Hints to Gift Givers:

Our stock of Novelties is very large and inviting. Have you seen our handsome line of waist Materials, bought especially for the Xmas Trade. Our stock of Fancy Collars and Ties is the largest and best to be found in the town. You know our reputation as Fur Traders. Won't you investigate our holiday equipment: Coats, Capes, Collars, Ruffs, etc. Our stock of Linens, Roman Cut Work and Table Covers forms a department in itself. Inspect our window for the handsomest line of Rugs on the market.

G. W. VANWART, - King St

Cash works wonders. A little money goes a long way at the store of Hugh Hay & Son.

'She's broken our engagement,'
'The jilted lover spoke,
But not till she had managed
To see that I was broke.'

At Home KEEP OR TRAVELING STANTON'S PAIN RELIEF

HANDY.
It is a Never Failing Remedy for INTERNAL and EXTERNAL Use—Immediate in its Action and Safe to Take.
Rheumatism, Cramps, Colic, Neuralgia, Diarrhea, Toothache, Sprains, Bruises, Faceache, Chills, etc., &c.
When purchasing STANTON'S PAIN RELIEF do not fail to ask for, and see that you get STANTON'S. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cts per bottle.
McGILL'S BUTTERNUT PILLS
FOR FAMILY USE.
For sale everywhere, 25c per box or by mail on receipt of price.
Sole proprietors, THE WINDGATE CHEMICAL Co. Limited, Montreal, Canada.

Mr. Penny's Yellow Dog.

Erastus Penny, who accumulated a modest fortune years ago in the town of Bunker by farming and money loaning on improved real estate, was not renowned for his generosity as a giver.

Two years before the great mortgagee, Death, foreclosed upon him he was the owner of a yellow dog.

This dog had been a tramp, but one day while paying an informal call at the farm it had evidently discovered in Mr Penny some agreeable qualities that had escaped the observation of his neighbors and promptly adopted him. The process of getting something for nothing, even in the case of a yellow dog, invariably appealed with power to Farmer Penny, and he graciously permitted himself to be adopted.

In a few months the yellow dog was the talk of the neighborhood. He worried ducks, killed chickens, stampeded calves and even throttled sheep.

On Christmas morning as the Rev. Abijah Jones, who lived half a mile away, was shovelling a path through the snow between the parsonage and the road, Farmer Penny drove up with the yellow dog tied to his sleigh.

"Merry Christmas, Brother Jones!" he cried cheerily a few moments

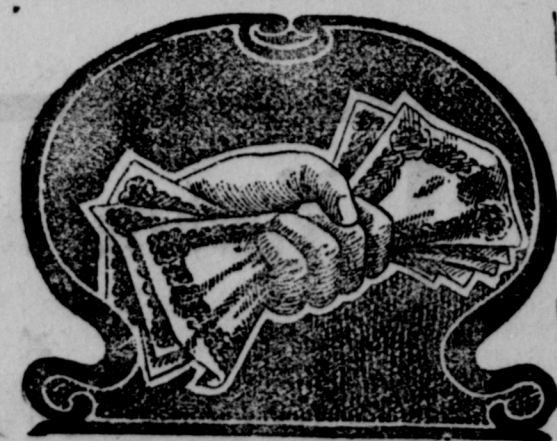
later as he led the dog into the yard. 'The same to you, Brother Penny,' was the hearty reply.

'Waal, parson,' continued Farmer Penny, 'this bein' Christmas I thought I'd remember ye. Knowin' ye was powerful fond of animals, I've brought ye a dog.'

'Thank you, sir; thank you,' cried the astonished and dismayed minister, who knew the yellow dog by reputation. 'This present of yours calls to my mind more forcibly than ever before the truth of the Biblical saying that 'it is more blessed to give than to receive!'

Notable Facts about the Year.

Since Pope Gregory reformed the calendar no century was ever begun on a Wednesday, Friday or Sunday, and the same order of the days are repeated every twenty years. January and October of each year always begin with the same day; April and July same as September and December; and also the same happens with February March and November. Every day of the week is a day of rest with some nation or people:—Christians, Sunday; Greeks, Monday; Persians, Tuesday; Assyrians, Wednesday; Egyptians, Thursday; Turks, Friday; Jews, Saturday. As measured by the unerring sun the error in the Gregorian calendar is one day in every 4000 years.



JUST LIKE BUYING RHEUMATISM.

We put the bills in your pocket and take away the malady. Isn't that just like buying it?

There's the bunch of money you'll pay out to get rid of the rheumatism if you buy prescriptions with it. It's a cure you want, not prescriptions.

SOUTH AMERICAN RHEUMATIC CURE pull the rheumatism out by the roots. No more doctoring, no more medicine, money saved; health saved, life saved.

CURES IN 1 TO 3 DAYS.

MRS. E. EISNER, a trained nurse, of Halifax, living at 92 Cornwallis St., writes: 'I have been a sufferer for six years from rheumatism. Many doctors treated me, but relief was only temporary. I tried South American Rheumatic Cure, and after four days' use of the remedy, was entirely free from the disease.'

SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE rich in healing powers, relieves bladder and kidney troubles in six hours, and in the worst cases will speedily restore perfect health.

Aching Joints

In the fingers, toes, arms, and other parts of the body, are joints that are inflamed and swollen by rheumatism—that acid condition of the blood which affects the muscles also.

Sufferers dread to move, especially after sitting or lying long, and their condition is commonly worse in wet weather.

"I suffered dreadfully from rheumatism, but have been completely cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, for which I am deeply grateful." Miss FRANCES SMITH, Prescott, Ont.

"I had an attack of the grip which left me weak and helpless and suffering from rheumatism. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and this medicine has entirely cured me. I have no hesitation in saying it saved my life." M. J. McDONALD, Trenton, Ont.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Removes the cause of rheumatism—no outward application can. Take it.

General News Items.

Chicago employers have issued a manifesto against the drinking habit. Any of their employees who disregard this are instantly dismissed.

By-the-by, boys, have you seen the Raglan Coats sold by Hugh Hay & Son? They are just the thing and prices are right, too.

The United States furnished \$30,000,000 of the \$295,000,000 worth of gold which the world produced in 1902. Colorado produced \$28,000,000, California \$16,000,000, and Alaska \$8,000,000.

Ladies' wrappers are sold cheap at Hugh Hay & Son's store.

Emigrants have been leaving New York for the last year to such an extent as almost to balance the number of immigrants that are daily dumped into the city from the European steamers.

Ladies' wrappers. We have the kind the fair sex admire. Hugh Hay & Son.

In a number of districts in London and the suburbs branches have been formed where members of the guild invite any who desire social intercourse to musical evenings, tennis parties, excursions, games and conversation. The guild is non-sectarian, and membership is open to men and women over seventeen at a nominal fee.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

There are several men in this town who remind us of the keyhole in the back of a clock—always behind time.

For Dry Goods, the best to be found, patronize Hugh Hay & Son.

When two women are not on speaking terms they usually more than make up for it by what they say about each other.

Zero weather is here. Furs are at Hay's store. You need them. Call and examine.

Don't wait till your friends die to send them flowers. Send them while they are alive and they will appreciate them.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Perhaps most all men aim to speak the truth, but they are willing to make most any kind of a promise and trust to providence to carry it out.

In cases of catarrh Hood's Sarsaparilla heals the tissues, builds up the system, expels impurities from the blood and cures.

The difference between a honeymoon, a honeycomb and a pretty girl is that a honeycomb is a small cell, a honeymoon is a big sell and a pretty girl a dam-sel.

The fact that a fortification is a large fort does not imply that a ratification is a large rat.

Sore and swollen joints, sharp, shooting pains, torturing muscles, no rest, no sleep—that means rheumatism. It is a stubborn disease to fight, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm has conquered it thousands of times. One application gives relief. Try it. All druggists sell it.

If we should always tell the whole truth we would continually be getting into a scrape.

The Verdict of Public Opinion.

Is with the best article every time. That's why Putnam's Corn Extractor has been in the lead for the last half century. It cures corns painlessly in twenty four hours and never fails. Use only Putnam's for corns and warts.

A sage once said: 'I have learned much from my teachers, more from my companions, and most from my pupils.'

People of this Place.

There are people in every town and village of this country who have been cured of itching, bleeding and protruding piles by the use of Dr Chase's Ointment. Ask your friends about this great preparation, they can tell you of its great soothing, healing and antiseptic powers. More reputable people have endorsed Dr Chase's Ointment than any preparation you can mention.

'The wages of sin is death,' and the sinner is not apt to be in any hurry to collect his wages.

It is impossible for those who are engaged in low and grovelling pursuits to entertain noble and generous sentiments.

Are you aware that Hugh Hay & Son keep the best trunks and valises? Call and see them.

JOYS OF CHRISTMAS TIME.

While the Christmas season brings a thrill of joy to all the aged who have lived correct lives, yet it is sometimes saddened by reminiscences of sins of omission and commission. The knowledge that during this blessed time evil spirits are shorn of power to do evil does not always soothe the pangs of conscience. But to the young, to whom life in prospect is all hope and sunshine, the season is one of unalloyed bliss. In addition to health and good digestion, they have two patron saints, "Little Jack Horner, who sat in the corner," and Santa Claus, who, though a Dutchman, is endeared to the infancy of all nations by the boundless profusion he showers on all nationalities. There are trees sufficiently stacked up around the market house to carry all the old gentleman's benefactions this year, and they are selling readily, a testimonial to the improved prospects of the expectant recipients of his bounty.

Numerous, indeed, are the hearts to which Christmas brings a brief season of happiness and enjoyment. How many families whose members have been scattered far and wide in the restless struggle for life are then reunited and meet again in that happy state of companionship and mutual good will! How many old recollections and how many dormant sympathies does Christmas time awaken!

There are thousands of Pickwicks to-day as well as a century ago who enjoy that sacred time as well as he. —Pittsburg Press.

He Was a Sho.

The following notice appears in a western Nova Scotia paper:

BOND A VAY.

Von Ret and Vite Calf mit its to behind legs vas plack he vas a she Calf. Aney potty dot pringes Dot Calf home pays me five Tollar.

HANS BOG
Three Mile Behind de bridge
BEAR CREEK.

Bilious?
Dizzy? Headache? Pain back of your eyes? It's your liver! Use Ayer's Pills. Gently laxative; all vegetable. Sold for 60 years. Lowell, Mass.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE

Ontario Farmers Prosperous.

According to the annual report, just issued, of the Provincial Bureau of Industries, the farmers of Ontario are in an unusually prosperous condition. The Bureau, however, takes a rather round-about way of demonstrating this. Last year there were, it says, 15,684 mortgages recorded, valued at \$10,890,915 to secure existing debts, and 142, valued at \$1,099,168, for future endorsement, whereas seven years ago 21,789 mortgages were registered. Similarly the number chattel mortgages issued against farmers last year was the smallest in ten years, being only 7235, and aggregating in amount \$2850, while in 1895 they numbered 12,288 and aggregated in an amount \$3,767,646.

The total values of farm property in Ontario last year is thus stated in the report:—Land, \$504,860,063; buildings, \$237,289,668; implements, \$62,199,787, and live stock, \$140,544,814; total, \$1,044,894,332. There were 1127 cheese factories, which manufactured cheese valued at \$14,792,924, and paid \$13,153,255 for milk. The total value of the live stock sold last year was \$53,083,396.

The total acreage of assessed land in the Province in 1902 was 23,727,010, of which 57.2 per cent. was cleared. The ratios of areas under crop totalled 639.5. The average value of land per acre was \$25.49; while the average rental for cleared land was \$2.47 per acre.

St. John Business College.

Great preparations are being made for next year's work. The latest and only up-to-date system of actual business practice is being added to the already most excellent course of study, a system that gives practice in the most modern features of office practice, including duplicating and triplicating of invoice, shipping bills, etc., the keeping of department ledgers, and the most up-to-date methods of classifying and systematizing. The year now closing has been the most successful in the thirty-six years of history of the college, and the prospects are that next year will be still better.—Telegraph.

Furs, Furs, Furs. We have them for ladies and gentlemen. Hugh Hay & Son.

CONSUMPTION

Do not think for a single moment that consumption will ever strike you a sudden blow. It does not come that way. It creeps its way along. First you think it is a little cold, nothing but a little hacking cough; then a little loss in weight; then a harder cough; then the fever and the night sweats. Better stop the disease while it is yet creeping. Better cure your cough today. You can do it with

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

The pressure on the chest is lifted, that feeling of suffocation is removed, and you are cured. You can stop that little cold with a 25 cent bottle; harder coughs will need a 50 cent size; if it's on the lungs the one dollar size will be most economical.

"I confidently recommend Ayer's Cherry Pectoral to all my patients. I am using it now in my own family. Forty years ago I feel sure it saved my life." A. S. EMMETT, M.D., June 4, 1898. Fort Madison, Iowa.

Write the Doctor at any time. Address, Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

The man who thinks he was born to command is pretty apt to discover his mistake when he gets married.

Walk in and see us. We have the goods. Hugh Hay & Son.

Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, G. C. M., K. C. S. I., K. C. I. E., the new British Ambassador to the United States, arrived last week on the Etruria.

She pressed her ruby lips to his in one ecstatic kiss; They seemed at peace with all the world, Enrapt in holy bliss, But with the osculation o'er, It was not hard to find That, though she took her lips away The ruby stayed behind!

Gentlemen, we want to see you. We have the best furnishings to be had anywhere. Hugh Hay & Son.



Don't forget the old man with the fish on his back.

For nearly thirty years he has been traveling around the world, and is still traveling, bringing health and comfort wherever he goes.

To the consumptive he brings the strength and flesh he so much needs.

To all weak and sickly children he gives rich and strengthening food.

To thin and pale persons he gives new firm flesh and rich red blood.

Children who first saw the old man with the fish are now grown up and have children of their own.

He stands for Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil—a delightful food and a natural tonic for children, for old folks and for all who need flesh and strength.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto, Ontario. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

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RIVERSIDE HOUSE.
THIS House situated at the foot of Regent Street, is now open to the public. The proprietor, Colin Campbell, who ran so successfully for thirteen years the Newburg Junction Eating House, also for two years the McAdam Junction House and six years the Havelock Junction Restaurant, is so well and favorably known to the travelling public that further recommendation is not necessary. He guarantees to sustain that reputation in his new quarters.
The Riverside House will be found as good a DOLLAR A DAY HOUSE as can be found in the Province.
No charge for conveying baggage to and from the House to the Station.
Open for transient or permanent boarders.
COLIN CAMPBELL.
Woodstock, April 17, 1901.—16.