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"With very great pleasure and satisfaction I wish to add my testimony to what has already been said in favor of Paine's Celery Compound. For a very long time I sufferer from general debility and run down system. Having heard of Paine's Celery Compound, I determined to give it a trial, and I am happy to say it has done for me more good than I can express. For ten years I doctored with other medicines without any good results; but after using Paine's Celery Compound I am perfectly restored to health, can eat well, digestion is good, and my sleep is good and sound. Altogether, I am a new woman. I always recommend Paine's Celery Compound to my friends."

Bicycles as Baggage.

OTTAWA, May 20.—The railway committee of the Commons this morning was crowded. The bill of Mr. W. F. MacLean compelling the railway companies to raise the upper berth in a sleeper when the lower was occupied and the upper one empty, and compelling railway companies to make annual return of passes and reduced passenger rates, with the reasons for issuing the pass, was thrown out after a long discussion.

Mr. Casey's bill respecting drainage across railway properties was taken up, when Mr. Blair said that the whole question of railway construction would shortly occupy the attention of the government. The bill should be dropped.

Mr. Casey—Do I understand that the government intend to recast the railway act?

Mr. Blair—That would doubtless form a part of the government plan.

The bill was dropped.

Mr. Casey's bicycles bill caused a long and spirited debate. It compelled the railway companies to carry bicycles free of charge when the owner was a passenger.

Mr. Wainwright, general agent for the G. T. R., and Assistant Manager Tait and Chief Counsel Clark, for the C. P. R., opposed the bill. E. B. Ryckman, Toronto, represented the wheelmen of the Dominion and made a strong speech in favor of the bill. He told the committee that the States of New York, Michigan and Ohio and a half dozen other states had passed legislation of the kind asked for by this bill.

Sir Charles Tupper opposed the bill, although he knew it was a very popular bill.

When the vote was taken it stood 46 for and 21 against. The bill was therefore passed.

The following section is, on the motion of Mr. Blair, being added to all railway bills in the committees before they pass a third reading:

Any act which may hereafter be passed for the purpose of controlling railway companies incorporated by or subject to this Parliament as to the issuing of stocks and bonds and as to its rates and tolls and the regulation thereof, and as to running powers over or other rights in connection with the railway of any company by any other company, and the exercise of powers conferred upon railway companies, shall apply to the company hereby incorporated from the time such act goes into effect.

This discloses a policy by Mr. Blair much more important to the country than a seven-hour speech.

Cancer Can Be Cured.

For six years I suffered from cancer, and got no relief until I used Burdock Blood Bitters. I used seven bottles faithfully when the cancer gradually dried up and finally disappeared. I am now entirely well and rejoice that by using B. B. I have escaped death either from the surgeon's knife or from the cancer itself.

Signed, Mrs. ELIZA J. TUFFORD,
Paris, Ont.

The Cuban Question.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—In the Senate yesterday Mr. Foraker read extracts from a letter by Secretary Olney to the Spanish minister in reference to Cuba. Mr. Olney pointed out the deep interest of the United States in Cuba, sympathetically and commercially. He said his purpose was not at that time to suggest intervention, but that the United States could not contemplate with complacency another ten years of Cuban insurrection. His suggestion looked to finding a way to co-operate with Spain in the immediate pacification of the island on such a plan, leaving Spain her rights of sovereignty, which shall yet secure to the people of the island all such rights and powers of local self-government as they can reasonably ask. To that end the United States offers and will her good offices at such times and in such manner as may be deemed most advisable. Mr. Foraker also read the following extracts from the Spanish minister's (Mr. De Lome) reply which was dated June 4, 1896: "In brief, there is no effectual way to pacify Cuba unless it begins with the actual submission of the armed rebels of the mother country."

Other points from De Lome's letter are as follows:

"When the government of the United States shall once be convinced of our being in the right and the honest conviction shall in some manner be made public, but little more will be required in order that all those in Cuba who are not merely striving to accomplish the total ruin of the beautiful country in which they were born, being then hopeless of outside help and powerless by themselves, will lay down their arms."

"Until that happy state of things has been attained, Spain will in just defence of not only her rights, but also of her duty and honor, continue the efforts for an early victory, which she is now exerting, regardless of the greatest sacrifices."

MADRID, May 20.—A semi-official declaration is issued to the effect that Spain will never agree to the sale of Cuba, nor to foreign mediation in "a question which she regards as exclusively concerning herself."

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Gone Up in Smoke.

TORONTO, May 21.—The John Eaton Co.'s big departmental store, corner of Yonge and Temperance streets, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. When the first reel reached the scene, at 3:30, the building was a mass of flames. The fire threatened to take in the whole block and the firemen directed their efforts to saving the other buildings. The roof of the building fell in a very short time and before long the front wall on Yonge street collapsed. About 30 firemen narrowly escaped being buried under the debris. The loss of the Eaton Company is estimated at \$250,000. All the plate glass on the opposite side of the street was broken by the heat.

The Wonder of the Age.

DEAR SIRS,—I must honestly say that I have tried your valuable medicine B. B. B. for the disease called prairie itch, and have found this remedy to be the wonder of the age. I took only three bottles and to my great satisfaction was completely cured. I can highly recommend it to all who suffer from any skin disease or impurity of the blood.

HAROLD DIX,
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OSCAR WILDE.

Has Been Released from Prison and will Engage in Literary Work.

LONDON, May 19.—Oscar Wilde, who was sentenced in May, 1895, with Taylor, a companion, to 2 years' imprisonment with hard labor, was released from prison this morning. Wilde, who seemed to be enjoying robust health, goes to Paris immediately, but he proposes to return to this city and engage in literary work. He says he does not intend to hide, and that he will write over his own signature.

The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon says that one of the first acts of Oscar Wilde on regaining freedom was to refuse £1,000 for a story of his prison experience.

A war correspondent who saw Stephen Crane at the battle of Velesino says he followed the young man up a steep hill enveloped in the smoke of battle, and watched the pale face of the intrepid novelist as he seated himself on an ammunition box, amid a shower of shells and casually lighted a cigarette. This hasn't been equalled for real bravery since Artemus Ward took up his lodgings in a powder magazine and picked his teeth with bayonets, just to show that he was willing to die for his country.

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At Hoboken, N. J., on Thursday night, a big factory building and a block of tenements were destroyed by fire. Loss over \$400,000. While the fire was at its worst another broke out in the big dry goods store of Tietjen and Lang and the property loss is estimated at over half a million dollars.

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