

Address to Rev. Mr. Hamilton.

Brother Rev. Wm. Hamilton:

At the last regular meeting of the Kingston Division Sons of Temperance, a communication was read in which you expressed yourself, that in view of your contemplated early removal from the County you desired a withdrawal card which would in effect sever your connection with the Division as far as being an active member was concerned. The Division heard the intelligence with feelings of deep emotion and profound regret and unanimously resolved to convey to you their appreciation of the valuable services you have rendered this Division in particular, and the cause of Temperance in general by your active and zealous advocacy of the principles of Temperance fortified and illustrated, both by example and precept. The encouragement you have ever given to those seeking to promote the noblest of all causes "save one," was calculated to elevate the character of the order and raise it to the dignified position it so worthily deserves, cannot fail to leave a lasting impression upon the minds of those members of the order who have had the advantage of belonging to and attending the meetings of Kingston Division, at which your presence in the Chaplain's chair afforded a guarantee that good order, cheerfulness and harmony would prevail. We would not be doing justice to our own feelings as a Division, if we omitted to mention in an especial manner the high esteem in which the female members of your family attending the meetings, have been held by all, for the excellent and efficient manner in which they have filled the offices to which they were elected, all alike expressing the most sincere regret that they cannot longer continue their membership. The members of the Division without exception desire you to accept their assurance, that you, Mrs. Hamilton and your respected family carry with you in your departure from among us, the kindest and warmest feelings of friendship and respect, and all unite in the sincere and earnest hope that wherever your lot may be cast you will be the recipient from the Author of all good, of the greatest of all earthly blessings, health, happiness and prosperity, we extend this wish to you, self individually, Mrs. Hamilton and family collectively. Impressed as we are with the solemn conviction that your scholarly attainments, courtesy, correct and gentlemanly deportment, but above and beyond all else, your zealous devotion to, and faithful discharge of the christian obligations and responsibilities that your sacred calling in life has devolved upon you, must eventually ensure for you the largest measure of confidence and success you can possibly desire in the future, as in the past you have obtained and so worthily deserved.

On behalf of the Division,
JAS. J. STOTHART,
B. HUTCHINSON.

Brothers Hutchinson and Stothart:

I have in my own name and in that of the members of my family, most sincerely to thank you for the address which you have on behalf of the office-bearers and other members of the Kingston Division of the Sons of Temperance, been kind enough to present me. I reciprocate most heartily the kindly feelings to which it gives expression, and only wish that I truly merited the encomiums which you are kind enough to pass upon my character and conduct. It is a consolation for me to know, amid the numerous shortcomings of which I am deeply conscious, that my efforts to lead a manly, christian-like life have met with recognition at the hands of those who have some means of forming an estimate of my actions. Like the most of my brethren in the ministry I feel a deep interest in the Temperance cause. I feel, however, that any slight service I have rendered our noble order has met with too much commendation at your hands. True, I had something to do with the organizing of the present Division in Kingston, and I must say that its rapid growth, its great prosperity, but above all the high character and correct deportment of those who constitute its members, have to me been a source of very great pleasure. I heartily wish continued prosperity to your Division and trust that its members individually and collectively, may exert a beneficial influence upon the community, and hasten forward the time when intemperance shall be banished from our land and when a sober industrious and God-fearing populace shall be found in every part of the Dominion. Never, wherever my future lot be cast shall I cease to remember Kingston and its neighborhood. I have received much kindness at the hands of many, and desire again to thank you, Brothers Hutchinson and Stothart, the office-bearers and members of the Division for the address with which you have presented me and to assure you that it shall find a place among my most treasured possessions.

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every
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ONE
INDUSTRY
Which is Not Overdone.

Ask any thrifty housewife regarding the value of the quantity of poultry and eggs used in her family; then multiply that amount by the fourteen million families in the United States alone and you will be astonished at the magnitude and value of the great Poultry industry. While some families may use but a small amount, many others use a very large amount of choice poultry and fresh eggs.

Their use is a question of advanced civilization and knowledge of the hygienic value of foods, as shown by the much greater use of poultry products in large cities and towns by the most enlightened people of the world.

Notwithstanding the enormous quantities of eggs raised in the United States, the amount is not enough for our consumers of them. In the past three years nearly eight million dozen eggs have been imported, paying a duty of three to five cents per dozen for entry.

On the authority of statisticians, the foregoing fact and the much more important one, that the prices for choice poultry and eggs is now higher than ten years ago, shows that the business is not overdone. The value of the poultry products in this country increased from 118 million dollars in 1880 to 343 million dollars in 1895, taken at a valuation of fowls, 50 cents each; turkeys and ducks, \$1.00; eggs, 12 cents per dozen.

Consider for a moment whether these prices are not much lower than families in and near to large towns are paying, and you will admit that the total value named for 1895 could easily be added to one half and still be conservative.

The demand for fresh eggs and choice poultry increases faster than the supply. In European countries where larger proportions of poultry and eggs are used than with us, the supply is furnished not by large farms, but by the multitude of people who live near to cities and towns. There are thousands of suburban families in the United States who may learn a lesson from this. Enough strictly fresh eggs ought to be raised by them for home use. Those having a suburban home with some land can easily raise a goodly number of eggs to sell in town each year and thus add to their income.

One of the best poultry authorities in America says women are the best chicken and egg raisers, simply because of their great care. In every egg and chicken rightly produced and sold there is "pin money for women." The whole secret lies in their patience with small things. Would a man bear all the trying details of caring for a family of small children? Never! So with a lot of tiny chicks, a woman's patience, affection and love for physical weakness win every time. Often a man fails to make hens pay; his wife takes them in hand and wins.

Statistics do not show how many, but it is a fact that a large majority of the successful poultry and egg raisers on farms in city and village suburbs are women. The money which any woman can obtain from poultry and eggs will afford a sure income; will supply many luxuries for herself and children; will lay the foundation for a nice savings bank account, or will help pay for the better education of her children. Of all the pursuits open to women none will yield such a prompt return or large profit—if rightly located—as raising poultry and eggs for market. Fresh eggs, choice chickens for broilers, ducks for roasters, always bring a high price. The supply has never yet equaled the demand.

Success is all a matter of care and attention to details, which are fully explained in the helpful, practical matter published in that true educator, farm-poultry a semi-monthly poultry paper, published by I. S. Johnston & Co., Boston, Mass. It is the very best poultry paper in the world. From it any one can learn how to make money with a few hens or many, whether on the farm or in village or city suburb. Everything that the novice needs to know may be learned by studying its pages, and problems that puzzle the most experienced breeders are explained in its columns. Any person interested to learn more regarding this industry can obtain for 15 cts. in stamps for the publishers as above, postage prepaid, a late sample copy of farm-poultry and a twenty-five cent book, "A Living From Poultry."

A poultry raiser no matter where located cannot afford to be without that valuable paper. It is a practical, helpful guide to success. Edited by men and women who teach facts not theories.

A bright little girl, on returning from school, was asked by her father what she had been learning that morning. "All of us been learning to spell," said she. "What did you learn to spell?" "Learned to spell 'rat'." "Well, how do you spell 'rat'?" "R-A-T-rat." "Now, how do you spell 'mouse'?" "Just the same, only in little smaller letters," said the little maid.

K D C the household remedy for stomach troubles.

DOOMED TO DIE.

Doctors Said Mrs. Ackerman of Belleville Would Never Get Better.

SHE CAN LAUGH AT DEATH

And The Doctors, Too, for Eight Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills Made a Well Woman of Her After Six Years' Illness.

Belleville, Ont., Jan. 11.—If there's any one thing under Heaven that excites a man's pity it is a weak, suffering woman.

If there's any disease on earth that causes weakness and suffering in woman more than another it is Kidney disease.

If there's any medicine between Heaven and Earth that will infallibly cure Kidney Disease, it is DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

And that's no dream. Women rise up by the score and call Dodd Blessed for his wonderful discovery that has made weak backs and backaches unknown where Dodd's Pills have been tried.

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MRS. S. ACKERMAN,
North Front Street.

April, 27.

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Coal Branch.

Jan. 9.—What has happened to our reporter at Coal Branch? It is a long time since we heard from him.

School has opened again at Coal Branch. Who got left on the new teacher?

A firm known as Brown, Little & Co., is doing an extensive business in lumbering this winter.

Mrs. William Kenney is slowly improving.

Mr. Walter Howard is spending his vacation with relatives in Sussex.

Rev. Mr. Johnson preached in the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. A. Wilson, our night agent and Miss Steeves of Birch Ridge were united in wedlock Christmas Eve.

Miss Price has returned to her old school.

Who is sorry James has a housekeeper? We are sorry to lose our friend and teacher Miss Sullivan.

Mr. John Mills is visiting his son David Mills of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairweather were pleased to hear from their son, whom they had not heard from for some years.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. Fred Little is recovering.

CRANK.

The Fact That Lost The Case.

A barrister named Lee was famous for studying effect when he pleaded. Once when on circuit a brief was brought to him at Norwich by the relatives of a woman who had brought an action for breach of promise of marriage. Lee inquired, among other things, whether the woman was handsome. "A most beautiful face!" was the answer. Satisfied with this, he desired that she should be placed at the bar, immediately in front of the jury. When he rose he began a most pathetic and eloquent address, directing the attention of the jury to the charms of the woman before them, and painting in glowing colours the guilt of the wretch who could injure such a beautiful woman. When he perceived their feelings worked up to a proper pitch he sat down, with the perfect conviction that he would obtain a verdict. Great was his surprise when the counsel retained by the opposite side rose and observed that it was "impossible not to assent to the encomiums which his learned friend had lavished on the face of the plaintiff; but he had forgotten to say that she had a wooden leg." This fact, of which Lee had not been aware, was established, to his utter confusion. His eloquence was thrown away, and the jury, who felt ashamed of the effect it had produced upon them instantly gave a verdict against Lee's client.

The following story is from Signor Arditi's *Reminiscences*. "I remember," he says, while treating of his American experiences, "that one man walked twenty miles to St. Louis in the hope of hearing Queen Victoria sing in her Majesty's troupe, and when he was informed of his mistake, he became furious and wanted his money returned to him."

Alizerine Blue---

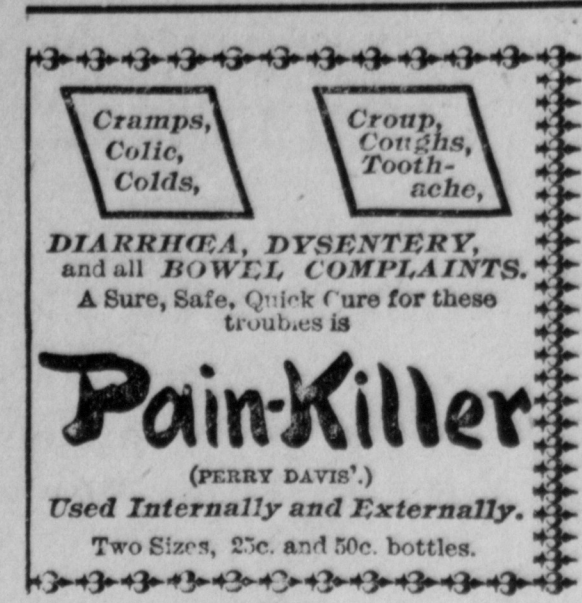
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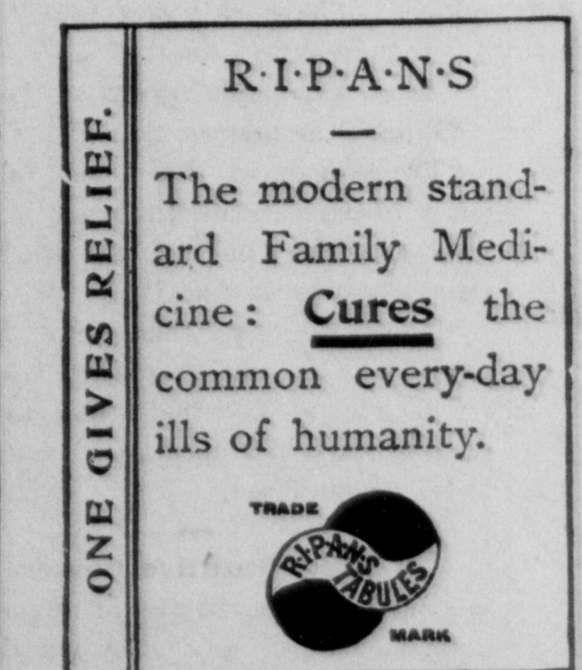
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

TO ANTHONY MCNAIRN, JUNIOR, AND ALL OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a Certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the tenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety three, and made between one John McNairn therein described as of St. Marys, in the County of Kent, farmer, of the first part, and Wm. H. McLeod, of Richibucto, in the said county, accountant, of the second part; there will be sold at Public Auction at the Court House, Richibucto, on FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, next, at twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of satisfying the money secured and made payable under and by virtue of the said Indenture of Mortgage, default having been made in payment thereof, the lands and premises mentioned and comprised in the said Indenture of Mortgage and therein described as follows:—"All and singular that certain lot or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Parish of St. Marys, Kent County, beginning at a stake standing at the western angle of the grant to William Chandler, in the Indian reserve on Buctouche, thence running by the magnet of the year 1850 north 91 degrees and 30 minutes East, 33 chains and 75 links to a cedar stake; thence north 18 degrees and 30 minutes west, 82 chains and 50 links to a stake; thence south 71 degrees and 30 minutes west, 33 chains and 75 links to a stake; and thence south, 18 degrees and 30 minutes east, 82 chains and 50 links to place of beginning, known and described as Lot B, save and except fifty acres heretofore conveyed by one Thomas T. Mills to one Luke Johnson, together with all ways, water-courses mill privileges and mill whatever situate and being thereon. Also all that certain piece of land described as follows:—"Commencing at the north-western angle of grant to William Chandler, dated eighth day of December 1851 and running easterly along the rear line of said grant 13 chains to the north-easterly angle thereof; thence southerly along the west side line of said grant 38½ chains; thence running westerly crossing the Mill Creek stream until it meets the westerly side line of said grant; thence along said line 38½ chains to the place of beginning, containing in the whole fifty acres more or less, together with a saw-mill, being all the lands and premises conveyed to one James McNairn by one George McLeod and Sarah A., his wife, dy deed registered in Kent County records on the seventh day of December, 1860, and by the said James McNairn and Christine his wife, conveyed to said John McNairn by deed dated the sixth day of October, 1893," together with buildings, erections and improvements thereon, being the rights, member's privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging. Dated this twelfth day of January, A. D., 1897.

Wm. H. McLeod.



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Sheriff's Sale

There will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Court House, in Richibucto, in the County of Kent, on TUESDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF JANUARY next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, interest, property, Equity of Redemption, claim and demand, whatsoever, either at law or in equity, of Maurice P. Bourgeois, of, in, to, out of or upon the following land and premises:—all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Parish of St. Paul, in the county of Kent, Province of New Brunswick, east half of lot No. 12 described and bounded as follows:—"On the north by the road leading to Buctouche, east by land occupied by Mary Bourgeois, south by the Buctouche River, west by land owned by Calixte D. Cormier, containing fifty acres more or less, together with house, store, barn and outhouses and appurtenances to the same belonging, and all other lands and tenements belonging to said Maurice P. Bourgeois, situate, lying and being within my bailiwick, the same having been levied and seized under and by virtue of several executions issued out of the County Court of Westmorland against the said Maurice P. Bourgeois.

AUGUSTE LEGER.

Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Richibucto, Oct. 14th, A. D. 1896.

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[No. 7.]

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