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"Skowhegan" leather possesses a pliability, toughness and waterproofness that greatly astonishes those who have never before worn Palmer's "Moose Head Brand" Sporting Boots and Shoe Packs. It pays big to look for the "Moose Head Brand" and get boots made from this superior leather.

The boot illustrated, No. 405, is one of the many popular lines we manufacture.

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Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup contains all the lung healing virtues of the Norway pine tree, which combined with Wild Cherry bark and other pectoral remedies makes it one of the greatest known preparations for Coughs, Colds and all Throat, and Lung Troubles.

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FATAL EXPLOSION IN POWER HOUSE

Fredonia, N. Y., Dec. 15.—With a roar that startled every one within the radius of a mile, two large boilers in the Fredonia power house, exploded tonight, killing instantly L. Burrows, a fireman, and hurling Wm. Bishop, the second fireman, to the top of the Buffalo & Lake Erie Traction Company's house 500 feet away. Bishop was terribly scalded and bruised. Fragments of the boilers were scattered in all directions and possibly 100 people had hair breadth escapes from the flying missiles. Among the buildings damaged were the state Normal School, the post office and the Columbia Hotel. Several street cars on the Buffalo and Lake Erie traction line were damaged. The loss is estimated

Nervous Prostration Makes You Weak Helpless and Miserable.

Wherever there are sickly people who are troubled with deranged nerves they will find that Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will restore the equilibrium of these deranged centres, and bring back the shattered nervous system to a perfect condition.

They do this by their restorative influence on every organ and tissue of the body, and their extraordinary curative power manifests itself immediately they are taken.

Mrs. G. D. Ward, Huntsville, Ont., writes: "I take pleasure in sending you my testimonial in praise of your Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I suffered terribly with nervous prostration, and became so bad I was not able to attend to my household duties, and now I can truthfully say that I owe my life to them. Three boxes stopped my trouble."

HATTIE LeBLANC IN GREAT DEMAND

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 15.—A tub full of mail for Hattie LeBlanc, the little French-Canadian girl, who was acquitted by a jury yesterday of the murder of Clarence F. Glover, was received at the Cambridge jail today.

Hundreds of souvenir post cards, each bearing a message of congratulation, was in this morning's mail, and an immense pile of letters. The letters included many proposals of marriage, and several theatrical managers offered the girl a large salary for a stage contract. One Boston theatrical agent made an offer of \$500 a week.

Hattie remains at the home of her attorney in Cambridge, where she will be quartered until her departure within a few days for her old home in West Arichat (C. B.).

PAINFUL STITCHES IN THE BACK

No one but those who are afflicted with the dreadful Kidney Disease knows what this means and you who are so afflicted will forget all about it in a few days if you are only wise enough to take **FIG PILLS**. Fig Pills are guaranteed to cure you. If not, your money back.

Tailored suits are shown largely in rough materials in mannish effects. Serge and chevrot are more seen than broadcloth except in black.

BIG CANADIAN CONCERN INVADES UNITED STATES

Massey-Harris Company Have Bought Out the Johnston Harvester Company at Batavia---Move Made After Long Consideration---Twelve Hundred Men Employed.

(Toronto Globe.)

A press despatch received yesterday from Batavia, New York, stated that the Massey-Harris Harvester Co. have purchased the Johnston Harvester Co., of that city. A Globe reporter last night asked Hon. L. Melvin Jones, President and General Manager of the Massey-Harris Company, if this report was correct.

"Yes, if you have such a report, it is correct, for we have done so," was the reply.

"May I ask what amount of money is involved in the transaction?" "I cannot say definitely, but, meantime, between two and three million dollars," said Senator Jones.

"That suggests that the company must be quite an important one?" "Yes, the Johnston Harvester Company is one of the oldest and best-known manufacturing harvesting implements."

"Where do they secure their trade?" "About half their business is in the United States; the balance is in foreign countries."

"Are the works now being operated?"

"Oh, yes, very decidedly so. We take it over as a going concern. There are at present 1,200 employees. This number might be increased within the present plant to, say, 1,500, but it lends itself to enlargement to accommodate a considerably greater number of workmen, as the ground area is at least double that of our Toronto works."

"You evidently look upon Batavia as well situated for factory purposes?"

BATAVIA IDEALLY SITUATED.

"Yes, for export and eastern United States trade it is ideally situated, being near the raw material centres and having a comparatively low freight rate to the Atlantic seaboard. It is a very pretty city, typical of New England, having a population of about 12,000; is in the midst of a splendid farming district, and, as compared with Toronto, is a very much cheaper place to live, as regards the necessities of life, rental, fuel, etc. It is, therefore, an ideal city for manufacturing purposes, where the number of employees would not exceed, say, 2,000. Altogether, the city appeals to me as a place where most, or all, of the people are busy and happy. It has not a licensed liquor store or saloon within its limits. The railway facilities are excellent, as it is located on the main line of the New York Central, the main line of the Lehigh Valley, a branch line of the Erie, and two branch lines of the New York Central. Another important feature is its accessibility. There are only two or three independent manufacturing companies making goods to those similar to those we manufacture in the United States, and this one is the most conveniently situated to us. It is almost as convenient to Toronto as our Brantford or Woodstock works, for one can leave here in the early morning, spend some hours in the works, and be home in the evening."

WHAT LED TO PURCHASE

"May I ask you what led you to make the purchase?" "That is a big question. Much would require to be said to answer it fully; for there were many reasons that finally influenced my company to make this purchase. This question has been before us for consideration for four or five years, and we were previously very nearly completing the purchase, but for the time being deferred it. You see, our foreign trade has been increasing rapidly. Additional plant has been a pressing necessity. We have been endeavoring in connection with our present works at Brantford and Toronto, to increase them to the fullest extent possible, and substantially, as we are situated both at Brantford and Toronto, this has been accomplished. For some time past in Toronto we have endeavored to procure additional ground area and we have not been successful, except in so far as we have been able to purchase individual properties extending eastward to Strachan avenue and across Strachan avenue to Stafford street. This has been accomplished under great difficulties. Fifty to sixty private houses have been purchased and demolished to get this additional area, and very considerable difficulty has been experienced in getting under and over the street lines. It became necessary to either build a new plant in Canada, independent of the four plants we are now operating, or build or purchase elsewhere. We have felt, under present conditions, that the

best interests of our company would be conserved by the purchase of the Batavia plant rather than to add so largely to our present plant capacity in Canada. The works there are peculiarly well adapted for foreign trade, and goods can be manufactured and delivered in the various foreign countries for less money than is possible here; in addition there is the fact that in the United States there are possibilities for immense business, the ninety million people there must necessarily offer opportunities for output that gives an added interest and stability to a factory so situated."

"How will this affect the Canadian factories?"

"Really, that is impossible to say meantime. I hope, however, it will have no adverse effect on our present factories."

"You say goods can be made there more cheaply than here. If so, how have you been able to compete with them, abroad?"

"For the simple reason that prices in foreign countries where we do business are higher than in Canada, and therefore we have been able to do a profitable business abroad, where our goods are sold for the highest prices."

ALREADY IN POSSESSION

"When do you expect to take possession of the plant?"

"We have already done so and it is running as busily there as we are here. You see there is no change in the plans for the present; they are well matured for the coming year business as of necessity, they would be, and the active management of the business is not affected by the purchase, except that they are now associated with us for its future management, we taking the place of the various estates, the interests of which we have purchased. To the extent of the interests held by those heretofore responsible for its management and hereafter to be associated with us in the management, the interests are still held at Batavia. It will mean for Batavia no change whatever in the personnel of the company or in the company, unless it should be found desirable, as it probably will be to increase its capacity somewhat more rapidly."

AS TO RECIPROCITY TALK

"Were you influenced in the purchase of these works in the United States and now under consideration city being much talked of by the people of Canada and the United States and now under consideration by the two Governments?"

"I do not think I had better try to answer that question. I can only say that in coming to the decision we have, it has been after the best consideration we could give it as business men."

Will this new departure likely lead to closer relationship or amalgamation with other large American companies?"

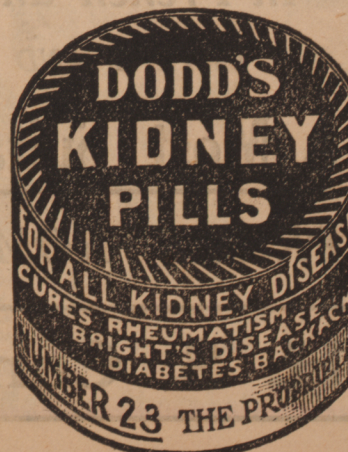
"No, our company is absolutely independent. No other company or companies in the United States or elsewhere have any connection with us, or we with them, nor will there be any change in this regard."

"Will this result in changing the officers or moving any of the members of your company from Toronto?"

"I of course cannot answer for the future. Meantime, no changes are planned for. I fully expect that Toronto will continue to be my home, and anticipate that it will for most of the active officers of our company."

CHRISTMAS CREAM BARS

Take one pound of uncolored fondant white still warm. Chop up some figs, raisins, dates, glace cherries, citron peel and English walnut meats. Knead these into the fondant while still soft adding one teaspoonful of vanilla extract. Press into a flat cake one inch thick, cut into bars and let harden.



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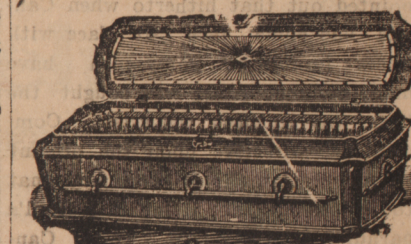
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NOTICE OF SALE

To the Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Assigns, of George Crawford, late of the City of Fredericton in the County of York, Labourer, now deceased, and to all others whom it may in any wise 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 first day of June, A. D. 1899, recorded in the York County Records in Book J-5, pages 343-347, made between the said late George Crawford of the one part, and Henry Montgomery-Campbell, of Apohaqui in the County of Kings, Farmer, of the other part, there will, in pursuance of the said Power of Sale, and for the purpose

satisfying the money secured by the said Mortgage, default having been made in the payment thereof, be sold at public auction on Monday, the nineteenth day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon in front of the Post Office in the City of Fredericton in the County of York, the lease and leasehold lands and premises described in the said mortgage as follows: "All that certain lot of land and premises situated in the City of Fredericton and bounded as follows—Beginning at the south-western side of a reserved street between Blocks E and G. at the most northern angle of Lot No. 1, leased to Richard Owens in said Block G, on the north-west side of York Street, in the subdivision of lots made in the year 1897, thence south-westerly at right angles to said reserved street and parallel to York Street aforesaid 165 feet, thence at right angles north-westerly and parallel to said reserved street 66 feet, thence north-easterly and parallel to York Street 165 feet or to said reserved street, and thence along said reserved street south-easterly 66 feet to the place of beginning, containing one-quarter of an acre, more or less and distinguished as Lot No. 7, in Block G," together with the and the appurtenances to the said premises appertaining, and any and all rights of renewal under the said lease.

Dated at Fredericton, in the County of York, this twenty-second day of September, A. D., 1910.

(Sgd.) H. MONTGOMERY-CAMPBELL

Mortgagee.

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CAUGHT WITH GOODS

Globe.—Mr. T. B. Blair, of the Royal Bank, is more than a good bank manager. He is also an excellent detective. Last week a man appeared at the Royal's agency at Truro, presented a draft for \$150, got the money and left town. The draft was dishonored, and then the bank started to find the man. It was suspected he was in St. John, and Mr. Blair was notified. With a policeman he searched the hotels on Saturday last, but could not find the stranger. The policeman went off, but Mr. Blair kept his eyes wide open, and on King Square saw two men talking, one of whom tallied with the description of the man he wanted. Finding a policeman he challenged the suspected person, who promptly owned up and returned the \$150. The man's Boston trip will not be as pleasant as it might have been if Mr. Blair did not nab him.

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