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It is to intending purchasers' advantage to call or write for quotations before purchasing elsewhere. My staff of clerks are of my own training and not hired in any underhand way from other houses, and will meet you courteously and at all times try their best to please. Prices will be right and as low as any.

James S. Neill

Fredericton's Big Hardware Store

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Lime, Land Plaster, Sydney Coal, Scotch Coal.

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Scotch Furnace Coal in bulk: for sale at a low price.

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Putting in Open Plumbing



in the place of the old plumbing, that hide the germ of disease, is what we are called upon continually now to do.

Why Are We So Busy

Because we have Best Quality Materials, First Class Workmen, and Fair Prices with special attention given to repairs.

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Make a fine business and are sure to give every satisfaction. I have a fine line of these Tweeds in stock, and am always pleased to show goods. PRICES & S. RIGHT.
Get one of Page's Odorless Moth Proof Bags and protect your furs. 2 sizes always on hand. Call and see them.

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100 Assorted English, Scotch, and Irish View for 1 shilling 6 pence.

1000 Assorted Scotch, English and Irish View, Actresses, Songs, Animal, Lover and Comic Cards for shillings.

English and Continental Actresses, cards, tinted and Glossy Photographs, 15 hillings per gross.

Christmas and New Year Cards, well Assorted arcel. 100 Cards for 5 shillings. Value 1d, 2d, 3d, 4d 6d each, 500 Cards for 20 shillings.

BRITANIA POST CARD CO.

45 UNION STREET, GLASGOW.

Remedies are Needed

Were we perfect, which we are not, medicines would not be needed. But since our systems have become weakened, ruptured and broken down through influences which have come on from the early ages, through countless generations, remedies are needed to aid Nature in correcting our inherited and otherwise acquired weaknesses. To reach the seat of stomach weakness and consequent digestive troubles, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pareo's Golden Medical Discovery, a systemic compound manufactured from native medicinal roots—sold for over forty years with great satisfaction to all users. For Stomach, Indigestion, Liver Complaint, Pain in the Stomach after eating, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Retching of food, Chronic Diarrhea and other Intestinal Derangements, the "Discovery" is a time-proven and most efficient remedy.

The genuine has on its outside wrapper the Signature

You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this non-alcoholic, medicine or known composition, not even though the urgent dealer may tempt you with a little higher profit.
Dr. Pareo's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Super-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

A HALF CENTURY APART

Two Sisters, Long Separated, to Spend Holidays Together in Toronto

Marine City, Mich., Dec. 9.—Mrs. W. H. Conley of Marine City has left for Toronto to join her sister, Mrs. Ira Phillips of that city, from whom she has been separated 53 years. The sisters lost all trace of each other more than half a century ago. Through a Toronto acquaintance, who mentioned that she had met a woman who greatly resembled Mrs. Conley, correspondence was begun, which showed that the Canadian lady was Mrs. Conley's sister. Mrs. Conley, accompanied by her son, will spend the holidays at Toronto.

HIS NERVES WEAK.

Poor Memory. Lacked Vigor. Lost Employment.

Another case proving you quickly get bracing health from Ferrozone.

There's a real reason why Ferrozone cures.

It's a true nerve tonic—not a stimulant—it feeds the nerves with nourishment—gives them vital actual activity.

No other tonic in the world like Ferrozone, nothing else is so quick and lasting in its effects on a run-down, nervous system. "I used enough medicine to appreciate an honest one," writes J. B. Beattie, from his home in Newcastle. "From babyhood I was not overly strong and was always nervous. I smoked a great deal, but on the whole my habits were good. My trouble first began with a shortening of the hours of sleep. I would awaken too early, my appetite was poor, and to whip it up I used highly spiced and sweet foods. First thing I knew I had palpitation on doing a little extra work, and then an awful tiredness came upon me, and a strange feeling of dread—almost of fear—made me think I was losing grip of myself. My power of memory weakened and I lost my position. Then I read about Ferrozone. Say, it's awfully good to get a medicine that helps you right off. I don't mind telling you I was badly scared, and every dose was almost like sunshine. At once I began to feel better, and permanently better I really was, for less than a dozen boxes made me a well man. Now I can do my work with any man, and I am grateful to Ferrozone."

Ferrozone corrects all enfeebled conditions of the system, builds up and gives the body great resistive power against disease. To use Ferrozone assures lasting robust health. 50c. per box or six boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers. Try Ferrozone, do it today.

Plaster casts and ornaments can be cleansed by covering with cold starch and brushing the powder off when dry.

"Bronchitis"

Is generally the result of a cold caused by exposure to wet and inclement weather, and is a very dangerous inflammatory affection of the bronchial tubes.

The symptoms are tightness across the chest, sharp pains and a difficulty in breathing, and a secretion of thick phlegm, at first white, but later of a greenish or yellowish color.

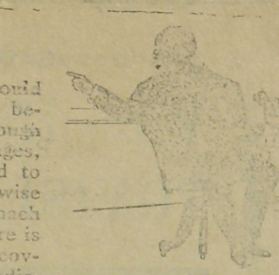
Neglected Bronchitis is one of the most general causes of Consumption.

Cure it at once by the use of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Mrs. D. D. Miller, Allandale, Ont., writes: "My husband got a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for my little girl who had Bronchitis. She wheezed so badly you could hear her from one room to the other, but it was not long until we could see the effect your medicine had on her. That was last winter when we lived in Toronto."

"She had a bad cold this winter, but instead of getting another bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, I used a home made receipt which I got from a neighbor, but found that her cold lasted about twice as long. My husband highly praises 'Dr. Wood's,' and says he will see that a bottle of it is always kept in the house."

It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, the price 25 cts. Be sure and accept none of the many substitutes.



And That's All.

"Mr. Jingle's writings show a great deal of imagination, don't you think?"
"Yes; they show that he imagines as can write poetry."

Susy.

Susy Ethel Jenkins, she lives across in street rum ma. Susy's eyes is awfully black; Sends shivers down your back.

Susy, she knows lots of things— Beats an' ghosts an' pirate kings; Rings at wen you only rub Brings a genie wit a club!

When I think of things she's said I'm jes' scared to go to bed; Seems like some of Susy's oars Was a-grown on in stars.

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Some experiments have been recently carried out which appear to show that the water round the coast of Ireland possesses a richness in radium not hitherto expected. This result has been extended by measurements made in samples of water collected between Madeira and England, and also on water from the Arabian Sea. In a paper recently delivered it is shown that the deep-living sediments of the ocean are exceptionally rich in radium. The materials dealt with were partly from the Challenger, partly from the Albatross collections. Some globigerina ooze from the west coast of Ireland was also treated.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

erred something British that was better than anything they could produce 'across the pond.' His discovery was a fine collie dog, and he at once tried to induce its owner, an old shepherd, to sell it.

Wad ye be takin' him to America? inquired the old Scot.

Ye, I guess so, said the Yankee.

I thought as muckle, said the shepherd. I couldna pairt wi' Jock.

But while they sat and chatted an English tourist came up, and to him the shepherd sold the collie for much less than the American had offered.

You told me that you wouldn't sell him, said the Yankee when the purchaser had departed.

Na, replied the Scot; I said I couldna pairt wi' him. Jock'll be back in a day or so, but he couldna swim the Atlantic.

WHY COUGH SYRUPS FAIL.

They slip quickly over the sore irritated membranes, drop into the stomach and do little else but harm digestion. It's different with Catarrh—hooze—you inhale it. Every breath sends healing balsams to the inflamed tissues. Tightness, soreness and inflammation are cured by healing pine essences. The cough goes away, throat is strengthened, huskiness is cured. Nothing so simple, so convenient, so certain to cure as Catarrh—hooze. Try it. 25c and \$1.00 sizes. Sold everywhere.

ST. PAUL'S WELCOME.

Mr. L. W. Johnston speaking on Behalf of Presbyterian Congregation extended cordial Greetings to Rev. Dr. Smith.

At the reception at Dr. Paul's Presbyterian church in honor of the new pastor Rev. Dr. Smith and his wife, Mr. L. W. Johnston, representing the congregation spoke words of welcome as follows:

Dr. Smith:— Doubtless there are many in this congregation who, with graceful and humorous speech and freedom in expression would more fittingly perform the duty entrusted to me, but I hope you will find sincerity and warmth and feeling a compensation for the oratorical lack. And these words "sincerity and warmth and feeling" best express you may be sure, that which the congregation desires to be manifested in its welcome to you and to your family. At no time in the thirty years of my association with St. Paul's people have I seen them more united and more heartily in accord than in the making of their call to you to be their pastor and in the preparations made for your settlement over them. My words follow their deeds, and both words and deeds are indications of good will that have not been forced in any way, nor had to be developed by diplomatic means, but are the hearty spontaneous manifestations of the joy we all feel over your coming and the delightful anticipation we hold about the future of St. Paul's under your care.

I presume, sir, you await some expressions of mine on behalf of the congregation that your welcome should be made tangible and more valuable by offers of support in their religious and social matters which include our interest in one another, and in hospitals, schools, civic government, and civic improvement, in fact all that wide range of activities that have a direct bearing upon the living conditions of this community. I feel justified in offering this support based not as much upon what we have been doing, as upon what we are capable of doing, and what I know very many of our people have done when called emergent and otherwise have been made upon them.

Probably we, of St. Paul's are apt to feel pride in our congregational history, in the visible things which we have accomplished and the amount of money that we have expended in many ways, but the real test of whether we are justified in our historical pride is to be found in the way we have done and shall continue to do God's work in this city. No sum of money that we can give will balance our obligations to him who gave us the opportunities and talents which enabled us to gather this means to give; that obligation can only be met by personal sacrifice, primarily by missionary work here at home, to try to make the community in which we live to be the better because of our lives and our work.

We hope, Dr. Smith, while under your guidance, to emulate and exceed our best past estate, and further that we shall be responsive to every effort that you may make to weed out against us a vital moral force in this city, it is for that end we are organized and it is upon the record which we shall make in that work by which our value will be judged by these our guests, representatives of the other religious bodies, and by the community at large.

That you shall be heartily welcomed in all our homes at all times and seasons, I beg of you to believe. The students of the Normal School and University of New Brunswick will as joyfully receive visits from you as will those who are deprived of the pleasure of seeing the interest they feel in this event by reason of infirmities which curtail their movements and prevent their being here at this time.

The Sunday School, the Society of Christian Education, the Women's Foreign Missionary Association, the Ladies' Aid, the Brevard Society will all be glad to welcome you and Mrs. Smith at such times and seasons as will be available to both of you to give your uplifting and inspiring aid. We read in our newspapers of the praise bestowed by you upon the Falmouth Street Choir, Sydney Falmouth fully deserved we may be sure. Well sir, we have a choir, which has under the present leadership always been as harmonious in conduct as in melody and if you will attend their choir practices they will welcome you with enthusiasm, and whether you do or not you can depend upon their aid and effort with alacrity and good will with a desire to make the musical part of our service to be helpful to you in all possible ways.

Everybody connected with St. Paul's has in mind at this hour the hearty welcome of yourself and of your wife and family to Fredericton and you to this pastorate, and we all with one mind and of a accord so express ourselves with sincerity and warmth and feeling and with the belief that He who has increased our minds and youths will bless our hearts brought together and make the years that follow to be fruitful of good works.

An new era has opened for St. Paul's, Dr. Smith: the congregation offers you the glad hand in co-operation to make it successful.

GOVERNMENT RECONSTRUCTED

Premier Haszard of P. F. Island has taken in some fresh Blood.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 11.—(Special)—The Haszard Liberal government was reconstructed today as follows:
Premier and Attorney General, P. L. Haszard.
Provincial Secretary and Commissioner of Agriculture, John Richards.
Commissioner of Public Works, J. H. Cumiskey.
Without portfolio, George E. Hughes, Benjamin Gallant, John McMillan, J. D. McInnis, Capt. Joseph Reade, Lauchlan MacDonald.
Speaker, Matthew Smith.

Richards succeeds S. E. Read, defeated at last election. He is a brother of J. W. Richards, Liberal federal member for Prince, a prominent and successful stock breeder and agriculturalist, with a large farm at Bideford. He is the only man to go to the country for re-election. As his majority last time was 525 his return may be taken for granted.

Smith succeeds the late Dr. Douglas as speaker.

New members of executive are McMillan, Read, MacDonald.

Take care of the stomach and the health will take care of itself. If people only realized the soundness of that statement the majority might live to a good old age like Moses, "the eye undimmed, the natural force unabated." It is in the stomach that the blood is made. It is from the stomach that nourishment is dispensed to nerve and muscle. If the stomach is weak it can't do its whole work for each part of the body. If it is diseased the disease will taint the nourishment which is distributed, and so spread disease throughout the body. It was the realization of the importance of the stomach as the very centre of health and the common source of disease, which led Dr. Pierce to prepare his "Golden Medical Discovery." Diseases which originate in the stomach must be cured through the stomach.

The soundness of the theory is proved every day by cures of diseased organs, heart, liver, lungs, blood—by the use of the "Discovery" which is sold and sent a medicine for the blood and organs of digestion and nutrition.

Not a secret or patent medicine because ingredients are printed on the label; contains no alcohol, is purely vegetable.

"I can resign my official position in a minute," replied Captain Stuart, "but I can never resign my mother. My mother is calling me, and she shall not wait nor call in vain."

"I have no time to wait here," gruffly and impatiently exclaimed the captain of the steamer.

"My mother is calling me," quietly said Captain Stuart as he half turned around.

"But I am here on business, and it is your official business to attend to me, and attend to me now," was the loud and angry reply.

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(To be continued.)