

RURAL MAIL DELIVERY

Practical Realization of Great Liberal Scheme for Serving the Public

HAMILTON, Ont., Oct. 10.—Rural mail delivery in Canada along existing stage routes was inaugurated between Hamilton and Ancaster today, on soil rich in historic interest and typical of older Canada in its comfort, wealth and educational advancement. Nearly two and a half centuries ago La Salle wandered up Ancaster way in the journey that resulted in his memorable meeting with Joliet before the latter's discovery of the Mississippi. Later came the foundation of Ancaster and the dreams of future greatness, only to their correspondence, as they are now required to do, may have it delivered either at their very doors or within a short distance of them. It enables the farmer to get his letters, newspapers and periodicals regularly; to be constantly informed of the prevailing market prices generally, and to consequently dispose of his farm products to the best advantage, and at the same time provides him with a means of mailing his correspondence with the greatest possible convenience.

"Too much stress cannot be placed on the prompt and regular delivery not only of letters, but of newspapers and periodicals of a proper kind, which, besides circulating news items and articles of general information, provide the rural classes with a means of education. Among the many publications of special value to the residents of our rural districts I may perhaps be permitted to direct attention to farm bulletins and the valuable reports issued by the Dominion and Provincial governments bearing on questions deeply interesting and instructive to the agricultural classes."

"The plan that commended itself to the Hon. Mr. Lemieux for the immediate extension of the postal service given in our rural communities was that of extending and improving the facilities afforded by the present rural mail routes. A rural mail delivery is in this way being inaugurated

ed which, being the outgrowth of our present postal system, admits of proper regulation from the moment of its inception, and at the same time renders possible a vastly improved service with almost unlimited opportunities for further extensions. I am under instructions from the Postmaster-General to institute a service similar to the one which is being planned in commission to day between Ancaster and Hamilton on every organization will proceed until this has been accomplished.

"I may here observe that the mail contractors on our stage routes are faithful carriers, public servants, impartial officers of the government and besides handling the mail, many of them provide inestimable convenience and a commodious to the people of the rural districts. If we bear in mind the number of errands, missions articles of correspondence, mail packages and merchandise in general to be transported in and out between town and country throughout this vast Dominion of ours, this Canada of which we are so justly proud, we have an impressive picture of the wonderful possibilities from educational, commercial, social and other points of view of our rural mail service."

"I now declare on behalf of the Postmaster-General of Canada the rural mail route between Ancaster and Hamilton as officially in operation for the delivery and collection of mail, and in doing so I will now deposit in the rural mail box (which is officially known as the King Edward) my report to the Hon. René Lapointe, K. C., M. P."

THE RED WAGON COLLECTS.

Mr. Ross' letter having been this posted at the "cross roads," Mr. W. O. Sealey posted another to Mr. Lemieux, congratulating the Postmaster-General on the step taken, and thanking him on behalf of the people of Wentworth White church for Mr. Lemieux's ringing out Captain Eccles' name along in his red wagon and collected the two letters, taking them on to Ancaster postoffice and calling at the other boxes en route.



This woman says she was saved from an operation by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Frank Emsley, Lindsay, Ontario, writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "When I wrote to you some time ago, I was a very sick woman suffering from female troubles. I had inflammation of the feminine organs and could not stand or walk any distance. At last I was confined to my bed and the doctor said I would have to go through an operation, but this I refused to do. A friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After using three bottles of it, I feel like a new woman."

"I most heartily recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all women who suffer with female troubles."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-five cents (\$41.75). Please accept this as a small donation from the Kincardine "Burns Club." Kindly send receipt for same and acknowledge in the St. John "Semi-Weekly Telegraph." If possible the Club will send a donation every year as a small acknowledgement of good service received by some of the people of Kincardine.

Yours sincerely,
WM. MACKIE,
Sec'y Kincardine Burns Club.

WHERE DID IT GO?

All Misery of Indigestion Is Gone Five Minutes After Taking Diapiesin

As there is often someone in your family who suffers an attack of indigestion or some form of Stomach trouble, why don't you keep a case of Dyspepsia in the house handy? This harmless blessing will digest anything you can eat without the slightest discomfort, and regulate your Stomach five minutes later.

Tell your pharmacist to let you read the formula plainly printed on these 50-cent cases of Pape's Diapiesin, then you will readily see why they cure Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn and prevent at once such miseries as Belching of Gas, Eructations of sour undigested food, Nausea, Headaches, Dizziness, Constipation and other Stomach disorders.

Some folks have tried so long to find relief from indigestion with the common every-day cures advertised that they have about made up their minds that they have something else wrong, or believe theirs is a case of Nervousness, Gastritis, Catarrh or the Stomach or Cancer.

This is a serious mistake. Your real trouble is, what you eat does not digest; instead, it ferments and turns to acid. Gas and Stomach poison which will putrefy in the entire digestive tract and intestine and, besides, poison the breath with nauseous odors.

A hearty appetite, with thorough digestion, and without the slightest discomfort or misery of the Stomach is waiting for you as soon as you decide to try Pape's Diapiesin.

One candy-like Triangle taken after eating, will promptly digest a your food, the same as a steaming, healthy stomach would do it.

"Nothing doing?" Is that slang? I thought it was (says a writer in The Wasp) until last night, when I came upon the words in Dickens' "Dombey & Son." In chapter IV old Sol Gillis is explaining to his nephew Walter why the shop must be closed and the business abandoned. "You see, Walter," said he, "in truth this business is merely a habit with me. I am so accustomed to the habit that I could hardly live if I relinquished it; but there's nothing doing, nothing doing." So you see, the phrase had its pathetic fitness half a century ago, and is not slang at all.

MAKES A SAINT SWEAR.

To have his favorite corn stepped on. Don't have corns—cure them with Putnam's Corn Extractor. Takes 24 hours—no pain—costs a quarter. Try "Putnam's."



SEALAD TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Lorneville Wharf, N. B.," will be received at this office until 4.30 p. m., on Tuesday, November 10, 1908, for the construction of a combined Breakwater and Wharf at Lorneville, Reed's Point, St. John County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham, N. B., on application to the Postmaster at Lorneville, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering declines the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
NAP TESSIER,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, October 9, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

Oct. 13, d3i.

SEALAD TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender of Burton Wharf, N. B.," will be received at this office until 4.30 p. m., on Tuesday, November 10, 1908, for the construction of a Wharf at Burton, Parish of Burton, Sunbury County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the office of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John N. B., on application to the Postmaster at Burton, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering declines the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

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SEALAD TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for St. Andrews Wharf, N. B.," will be received at this office until 4.30 p. m., on Friday, November 6, 1908, for the construction of a Wharf at St. Andrews, Charlotte County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham, N. B., on application to the Postmaster at St. Andrews, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering declines the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
NAP TESSIER,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Oct. 7, 1908.

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Oct. 12, d3i.

The Crimp and the Consequence.

is the Title of a Mighty Interesting Little Booklet on Washboards, that has just been issued. It tells the Value of the Crimp in Washboards, the Features of the Ordinary Crimp, and the Features of the Better Crimp.

And tells the Kind of Crimp that is the Better Crimp—AND WHY.

If You are Interested, a Postcard will bring this Bright Little "Eye-Opener" to you At Once.

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Always, Everywhere in Canada, ask for Eddy's Matches.

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Five Roses, Royal Household and King of Patents

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500 bags Peerless Scotch
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MEN AND WOMEN. Use Big G for unusual discharges, inflammations, irritations or ulcerations of mucous membranes. Painless, and not addictive or poisonous. Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper by express, prepaid, for \$1.00, or 2 bottles \$2.00. Circular sent on request.

THE DUTY OF LIBERALS.

Must be Ready to Meet Secret Attacks of the Muck rakers

(Toronto Mlobe.)

During the remaining days of the contest, Liberals in every constituency would do well to be alert and aggressive in meeting the campaign of secret attacks which their opponents have already begun. The scandal-talk and the slanders which have done duty on the platform and in the press of the Conservative party have very largely spent their force. Their attacks on the government's record have been in vain. Their stoutest champions have been unhorsed. The current of public opinion is now running strongly in favor of the Liberals.

The one danger that remains, especially in Ontario, is from the secret meeting in the lodgeroom, and the secret canvass in the shops and along the concessions. Disproved allegations are there repeated, broken-down arguments are used, and false statements are whispered in the ear. In such a canvass no man's record is safe, no man's race is respected, no man's religious convictions are held sacred. Slanders of the grossest kind are being circulated with all the circumstantial detail of truth, and some conscientious electors may be deceived. It is against this whispered attack all Liberals should be on guard.

THE VICTORIA HOSPITAL

Business Transacted at Regular Meeting of Trustee Board—Some Staff Changes

At the meeting of the Hospital commissioners held yesterday considerable business was transacted. The chair was filled by President Thompson. In his report for the last month Messrs. Randolph, Barry Sterling, D. G. J. McNally and Secretary Sampson. In his report for the past month the secretary was able to show that the receipts hugged very closely the expenditure, a most unusual occurrence. From the report of the matron it was shown that forty-seven patients received treatment during September. The deaths numbered five but of these two were aged men, on a child, and two young people whose conditions when received, gave no hope of recovery. Of the diseases treated, four were for typhoid, one being brought from Plaster Rock, one from Stanley, and one from Gibson. Frederickson keeps pretty free from this trying disease ever since the installation of our excellent filter plant.

Miss Arbuckle, who resigned from the staff a few months ago on account of illness is shortly to remove to California where it is hoped her health will be restored.

General regret is felt by the Trustees and staff over the resignation of

Miss Keene, who for some time has efficiently and satisfactorily performed the duties of Superintendent nurses. Miss Keene expects to spend the winter in Seattle and British Columbia.

Miss H. G. Brown, a recent successful graduate has been awarded her diploma.

Miss Annie Letitia Graham has passed her probationary period with credit and is now placed on the regular hospital staff.

A letter was read from the nominating staff nominating Dr. G. J. McNally as its representative to the Trustee Board and this was endorsed.

Dr. Roy McGrath has been appointed secretary to medical staff in succession to Dr. Weaver.

The trustees have under consideration a plan for furnishing heat to the sterilizer and for the purchase of modern instruments for the operating room.

Under supervision of Mr. G. N. Babbitt some repairs have been made to the ex-Ray machine.

Several donations have reached the hospital during the past season.

The stalwart residents of the Kincardine Colony a couple of years ago sent a generous donation to the hospital and another follows it with the following explanatory letter:

Kincardine, Victoria County,
Sept. 21st, 1908

Matron of Victoria Hospital:
Dear Madam—Enclosed please find