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OTTAWA, December 19.—The Grand Trunk solicitors give notice this week in the Canada Gazette of the application to parliament for a charter for a road running from North Bay or Gravenhurst to Port Simpson on the Pacific coast.

**What It Means To You.**

Few People Realize the Importance of Good Digestion Until It is Lost.

Many people suffer from dyspepsia and do not know it. They feel mean, out of sorts, peevish, do not sleep well, do not have a good keen appetite, do not have the inclination and energy for physical or mental work they once had, but at the same time do not feel any particular pain or distress in the stomach. Yet all this is the result of poor digestion, an insidious form of Dyspepsia which can only be cured by a remedy specially intended to cure it and make the digestive organs act naturally and properly digest the food eaten. Bitters, after dinner pills and nerve tonics will never help the trouble; they don't reach it. The new medical discovery does. It is called **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** and is a specific for dyspepsia and indigestion. It cures because it thoroughly digests all wholesome food taken into the stomach, whether the stomach is in good working order or not.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets by digesting the food, instead of making the worn out stomach do all the work, gives it a much needed rest and a cure of dyspepsia is the natural result.

When you are nervous, run down and sleepless, don't make the common mistake of supposing your nerves are in need of treatment and all your stomach with powerful nerve tonics which make you feel good for a little while only to fall back further than ever.

Your nerves are all right but they are starved, they want food.

Nourish them with wholesome every day food and plenty of it, well digested and you can laugh at nerve tonics and medicine.

But the nerves will not be nourished from a weak, abused stomach, but when the digestion has been made perfect by the use of this remedy all nervous symptoms disappear.

Who ever heard of a man or woman blessed by a vigorous digestion and good appetite being troubled with their nerves?

Good digestion means a strong nervous system, abundance of energy and capacity to enjoy the good things of life.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will certainly set your stomach and digestive organs right; they can't help but do it because they nourish the body by digesting the food eaten, and rest the stomach.

You get nourishment and rest at one and the same time, and that is all the worn out dyspeptic needs to build him up and give new life to every organ and an added zest to every pleasure.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a God-send to the army of men and women with weak stomachs, weak nerves and justly merits the claim of being one of the most worthy medical discoveries of the time.

**NEW NAME IN THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD**

It is That of James H. Hyde, Its Country Boys Who Make Who is Only 26 Years Their Mark in New York.

NEW YORK, December 22.—A new man, as yet an unknown quantity, has stepped on the stage in the great Industrial Theatre. His name is James H. Hyde. During the past few weeks he has made an appearance as director in several corporations of the first magnitude. Mr. Morgan has enrolled him as a director in the ship combing; Messrs. Harriman and Hawley, Gould and Osgood representing three different factions have agreed upon him as a director in the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, and last but not least comes the announcement that in the merger of the Western National Bank, the Morton Trust Company, the National Bank of the United States and other financial institutions, he is a vice-president. These positions are not found on the ground. They are not picked up by men who are simply ambitious or simply rich. They are supposed to mean something in the public eye. They are calculated to inspire confidence in the business world.

**SCORES AS A FINANCIER.**

It is believed, some two or three years ago, that Mr. Hyde would not seek to score as a financier, but rather leave business to others and select for himself a life free from care. His ambition, apparently was confined to the breaking of coaching records, and in this lofty ambition he was assisted by young Alfred Vanderbilt. That this was an error it is now self-evident. Another fact, a singular one, in view of his New England ancestry, is the evident desire of Mr. Hyde to be mistaken for a Frenchman. Harvard University has made strenuous efforts in one of its departments during many years to impart a Parisian accent to its undergraduates, organ of speech. With Mr. Hyde it scored an unparalleled success; and as a graceful acknowledgment for services rendered Mr. Hyde made the department a princely donation. But it is not only by speaking French like a Parisian Mr. Hyde's ambition has been attained, or by following the latest fashions in dress as devised by Paris tailors. He is the president of several French societies and I believe was decorated by the French government. In his office force there are several French clerks and secretaries who help him from perching on the languages. But, if so, why not?

HE HAS WISE COUNSELLORS.  
James H. Hyde is a young man of about

six and twenty. He is clever, methodical, careful, persistent. He has wise councilors, enormous resources and possibly, ambitious. It would seem from the enterprise with which he has become identified that his ambitions are leading from the conservative paths of insuring lives to those of "Industrial Development." To do this he is the least known of all the young generation who will soon be face to face with a great economic question, the magnitude of the institutions with which many of these young men of the second or third generation have become intrusted their relation to general weal or woe challenges public attention causes the young men to become more than merely interesting figures.

**BOYS MAKE YOUR MARK AT HOME.**

When one looks about them in this great city it is surprising to see how few native New Yorkers hold great positions and how many country boys do. It is not to be wondered at that thousands of boys throughout the country believe that there is a place for them in this great metropolis. But frequently they err in their method of reaching here. To-day everybody in the financial world is talking of Valentine P. Snyder, president of the National Bank, who is said to be the president of the companies to be merged under a still greater corporation, to be known as the Western National Bank of the United States. He was a country boy. But he did not come to New York until he had made his mark in his native town. It is so with others. Among those who are not native here and yet who have attained the highest positions there are few who came with their fortunes tied up in a pocket handkerchief. Most of the men had made their mark. They had proved their ability, their integrity, their value. They became necessary in the larger field, they were needed for larger performances. It was so with Mr. Snyder. He achieved success because he deserved it. When intrusted with greater responsibilities in the centre of a nation's finances he proved his value and his new honors, dignities and emolument come to him as the reward of successful performance. The moral is obvious. Let those boys in the country who seek a opening in the metropolis do well what is intrusted to them in their native town and if they develop ability the city not only waits for them but wants them.

**DRINK DID IT.**

TRURO, December 20.—Last night a number of young fellows, under the influence of drink, went to a house near McClure's Mills, and as a result, a raw took place between the visitors and the man of the house. One of the visitors threw a bottle at the proprietor which broke and cut his head very badly. The man was in town to-day and reported the matter to the police.

**CAUGHT BY A FRESHET.**

TRURO, Dec. 19.—Word has just been brought to town that yesterday evening the people of Onslow discovered a man wandering up and down on a dyke some distance from the mainland. The place where he was located had been made a sort of an island by the freshet. The man had gone on to the marsh the evening before presumably in search of cattle, and had been caught by the freshet and was unable to return to terra firma. He was rescued in an exhausted condition and only that the weather was mild he would have perished.

**LIGHT KEEPER DROWNED.**

ST. JOHN, December 20.—A telephone message from Black Harbor, Charlotte county, says that Warren Davidson, aged 35, and married, for the past five years keeper of the lighthouse at the Southern Wolves, was drowned on Tuesday, by the upsetting of a dory, in view of his wife and others. The body is not yet recovered. Davidson, some years ago commanded a fishing schooner sailing out of Gloucester, Mass.

**DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE... 25c.**

Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Cleans the throat, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase, Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

**FRANCE WANTS A SLICE.**

CARACAS, Dec. 20.—The French note to Venezuela has absolutely nothing of the character of an ultimatum, though its text is still unknown here, in consequence of delay in its transmission by cable. Therefore Charge D'Affaires Oulevieux has not been able to present it. Its terms are similar to those of Belgium and Spain, asking for the most favored nation treatment in the payment of claims.

We have not advanced the price of our tobacco. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Play chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Snowshoe Tags to January 1st, 1904.

The Empire Tobacco Co., Limited

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CURED IN SIX WEEKS OF CHRONIC RHEUMATISM BY FERROZONE

Hundreds, aye hundreds of cures have been put on the market for Rheumatism during the past few years, but a remedy with power to cure Chronic Rheumatism, Ferrozone excepted, in the estimation of Mr. Cullen, of Sturgeon Bay does not exist.

Mr. Cullen says, "As every one knows I have simply been tortured for years with Macular Rheumatism, not the ordinary kind that bothers most people but the kind that ties one up so that they can't move."

"For six years I hobbled about like a cripple, unable to move without crutches and canes. I used quantities of medicines, special diets and so forth, but they didn't help me very much, and I was in despair. On the advice of a Presbyterian minister I used Ferrozone, gave it a good trial at first and when I saw it was helping, I bought six boxes and took one tablet at the close of each meal. I am perfectly cured and am to-day as spry as a youngster of ten. I am convinced that my recovery is entirely due to the marvelous action of Ferrozone."

Mr. Cullen's case is a fair example of the kind of cures that Ferrozone's effecting every day. In severe cases of Neuralgia, Sciatica, Rheumatism and Lumbago, its acts with inspiring alacrity, and no case is recorded where it failed.

Ferrozone cures these diseases because it is a solvent for uric acid in the blood. It removes all traces of it and other poisons from the blood in from two to ten days. Then it builds up and invigorates the system, and makes such people strong and well enough to resist and ward off disease.

The best Rheumatism remedy that one can buy is Ferrozone. It relieves quickly and cures so perfectly that the disease never returns. After all other remedies fail, it cures. It is the sort of medicine you want. Ferrozone price 50c per box, or three boxes for \$1.25. Sent to your address by mail if price is forwarded to N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston Ont.

**CUT DOG'S TAIL OFF**

TRURO, December 20.—The police are trying to locate the party that cut the tail off a dog and then let the poor brute go howling through the streets with his life's blood streaming from the wound. Chief of Police Green captured the tortured animal and took it to McKinnon's boarding stable, where Mr. McKinnon dressed the wound, and cared for the poor creature.

Messrs. C. G. RICHARDS & Co., Gentlemen—My three children were dangerously ill with diphtheria. On the advice of our priest my wife began the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT. In two hours they were completely relieved, and in five days were completely well, and firmly believe your valuable Liniment saved the lives of my children.

Gratefully yours,  
ADOLPH LEBEVRE.  
Mair's Mills, June 16th, 1900.

Handsome neck wear put up in separate boxes for Christmas presents at D. A. Bruce's.

**Is it any inducement for you to buy your Ulsters or Overcoats here at less than Invoice price.**

If so ours is the store in which to buy them. We are determined to sell every Ulster and Overcoat in our store this season if dispensing with our profits will do it.

If you prefer paying a profit to some other merchants we cannot prevent that. All we can say is, you need not do it here. This is no bluff but a fact. We want the money if you want the goods.

- Dark brown and grey Ulsters \$3.00, 3.75, 4.00, 7.00.
- Black and blue Beaverloth Overcoats \$3.65, 5.75, 7.00, 9.00.
- Grey raglan with velvet collar \$6.50, 8.00.
- Fur coats, Wombat \$15.00 and \$18.00.
- Raccoon coats \$35.00.
- Fur Collars, Fur Caps, Fur lined Gloves.

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**XMAS GIFTS**

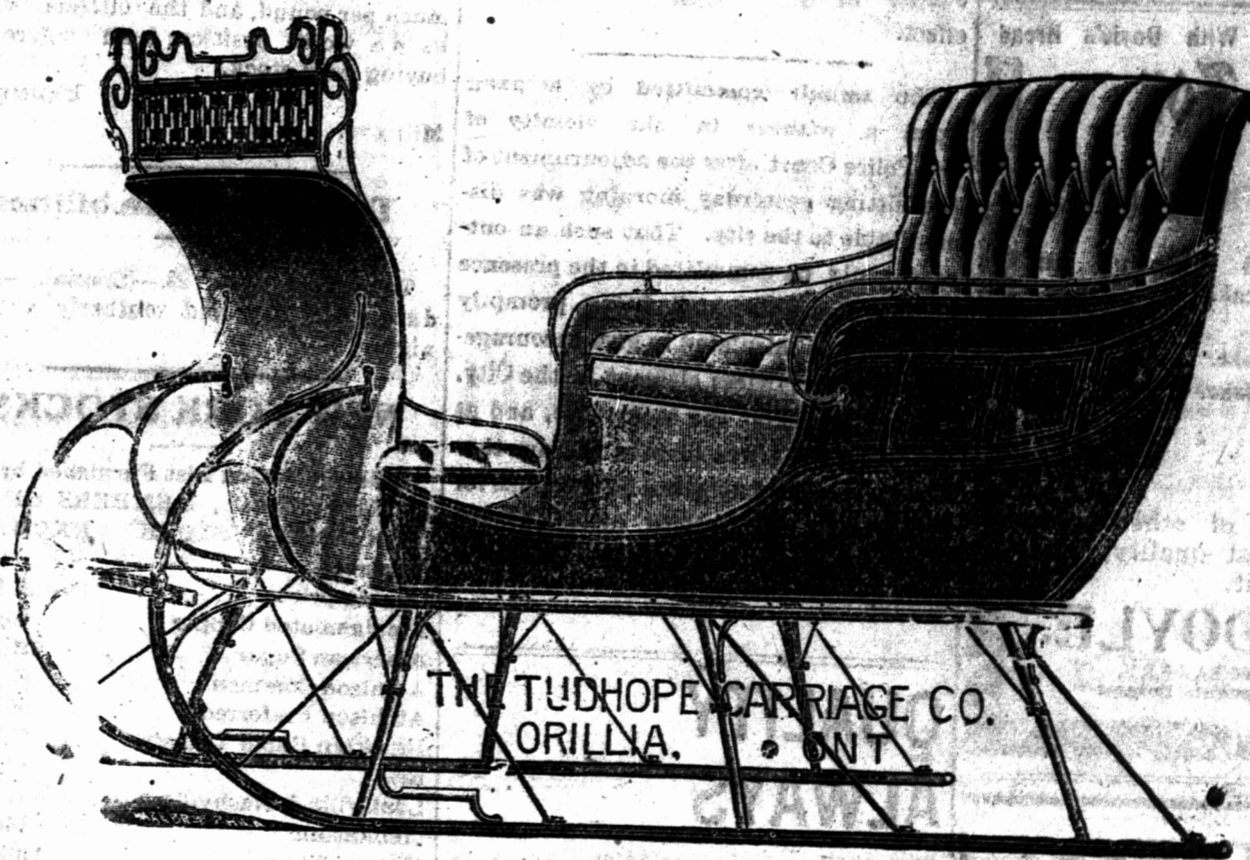
This is the season for giving—We are giving BARGAINS in all lines suitable for presents.—for 3 days only we offer all our XMAS GOODS—in PERFUMERY, DRESSING CASES, TOILET SETS, PIPES, CIGARS etc, etc AT COST.

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Great George Street,  
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**HOLIDAY PRESENTS**

There's no lack of choice for Xmas Gifts at our store where you will find high class goods at moderate prices in the line of gold and gold-filled watches, rings, chains, bracelets, fobbs etc. Our engraving department is fully equipped to turn out first-class work. Goods purchased will be engraved free of charge.

**G. H. TAYLOR, JEWELLER**  
Sunnyside.



**Christmas Suggestions**

- Hockey Boots**  
\$1.35, 1.50, 1.75, 2.25 for Men.  
\$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75 for Boys.
- Snow hoes**  
\$2.75 for Men  
\$2.25 for Women.  
\$2.25 for Boy's and Girls
- Moccasins**  
Oil Tan \$1.50 and \$1.65 for Men.  
Oil Tan \$1.20 and \$1.35 for Boys.  
Buck Skin \$1.25 for Men.  
" 80c. to \$1.00 for Boys.
- Buck Skin 90c. for Women.
- Buck Skin 75c. and 90c. for girls
- House Slippers**  
25c to \$2.25 for Men.  
14c to \$1.50 for Women.  
15c to \$1.25 for Boys.  
15c to \$1.00 for Girls.  
15c to 60c. for children.

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