

Local and Other Items

TOURIST ASSOCIATION.—A tourist association is to be organized in Quebec.

SMALLPOX.—Smallpox is epidemic in Cleveland, O. There were 52 cases on Christmas Day. Steps are being taken to prevent the disease crossing the Canadian border.

THEY'RE HUSTLING NOW.—One of the latest arrivals at Vancouver from Dawson City says everybody is busy there. The 20,000 idlers of the summer all have work. The gold output of this year is expected to double that of 1898.

AN OLD STORY.—In an Atlanta divorce suit the allegation is made by the plaintiff that "he would have lived happily but for his wife's habit of going through his trousers pockets and relieving him of all the cash he had."

NINETY MILES FOR A DOCTOR.—Diphtheria is prevalent at Cape North, Cape Breton. Three children in one family are down with it and to add to the trouble there is no doctor near than Baddeck, ninety miles away.

A SNUG WINDFALL.—By the will of the late Mrs. Corbin L. Macy, of New York, the New York Teachers College is bequeathed \$200,000, and \$5,000 is bequeathed to the Presbyterian Hospital. The estate is valued at upwards of \$1,500,000.

A FIRE AND ITS SEQUEL.—A barn at Banks, Ala., belonging to a white farmer named Green was burned last Wednesday. Suspicion was directed towards Marshall McGregor, a negro in Mr. Green's employ. On Thursday morning his body was found hanging to a tree.

Y. M. C. A. St. James' Church.—Season ticket holders are asked to look at the dates on their tickets and to remember that the next event will take place on Tuesday evening next, the 17th inst, when a "popular concert" will be given under the direction of Professor Mr. Earl.

WHISTLED TO DEATH.—A fractured skull pressing on some delicate convolution of the brain produced the most curious effects in the case of Charles Memberger, who died in the Fitch Hospital, Buffalo, last week. Memberger, who was struck by an engine, began to whistle when he was brought into the hospital, and for 95 hours though unconscious, he kept it up. He died whistling.

AN EXPLANATION.—Concerning the remark of Mr. Stephen Huestis at the Wilmo Valley meeting, as to reduction in pork to make up for loss, we intended to report "9 pounds on the carcass." We make this explanation in case any one has taken a different meaning from the report. It is to be remembered, also, that in those days pork was for the most part fat and heavy, so that the reduction would only amount to about two pounds on the hundred.

AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind, colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

SOME CHEESE.—The bulletin of the Department of Agriculture shows that in the 1,161 cheese factories 1,455,937,148 pounds of milk were used and 137,362,916 pounds of cheese were made. There were 66,104 patrons, and the value of cheese produced was \$11,719,468. This is about \$3,000,000 more than the amount of 1896. The amount paid to patrons for milk supplied was \$9,719,004, as compared with \$7,040,927 the previous year. The quantity of butter produced was 7,708,256 pounds and the value \$1,403,609 the production being nearly three times as much as in 1895.

A NOVEL PROPOSAL.—The citizens of Bridgeport, N. S., are trying to carry out a novel scheme for raising funds for public improvements. Prominent men propose to insure their lives and let the policies be used as security for the payment of debts to be contracted in the interest of the city. But for a provision of the city charter, which prohibits the further bonding of the city for public improvements, recourse to such a novel proposition would be unnecessary. For years the city has had at its disposal only such money as could be provided for from year to year in the annual budget.

Yellow will dye a splendid red. Try it with Magnetic Dyes—10 cents buys a package and the results are sure.

5 cents will go a long way in the basement of the 1st Methodist Church Thursday evening.

Give the Mission Band children a big house on Thursday.

There is to be a "City of All Nations" as a feature of the Paris Exposition.

MAXIMS ON LOVE.

With true love there is trust.—Regnier.
To love is only in the power of the wise.—Epictetus.
If passion drives, let reason hold the reins.—Benjamin Franklin.
Love and religion are both stronger than friendship.—Benjamin Disraeli.
Who has loved well will never seek the loved one's ill.—Calderon de la Barca.
A mother alone knows what it is to love and be happy.—Adelbert von Chamisso.
There is nothing in love but what we imagine.—Charles Augustin Sainte-Beuve.
Love and death are the two great sympathies on which all human sympathies turn.—B. R. Haydon.
Love, like fire, cannot subsist without continual motion, and ceases to exist as soon as it ceases to hope and fear.—Francois de la Rochefoucauld.
Love is the most terrible and also the most generous of the passions. It is the only one that includes in its dream the happiness of some one else.—Alphonse Karr.



MRS. WRIGHT, OF NORVAL, ONT., EXPERIENCES INTENSE SUFFERING FROM ECZEMA IN HER FEET.

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Mrs. Knight says after such a grand success, is it any wonder we recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment?
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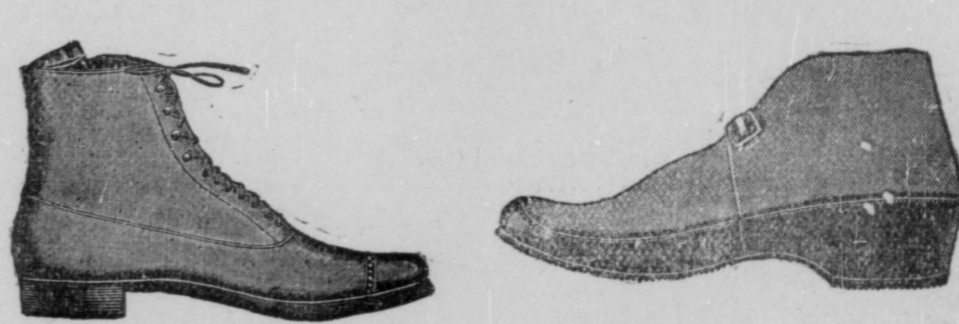
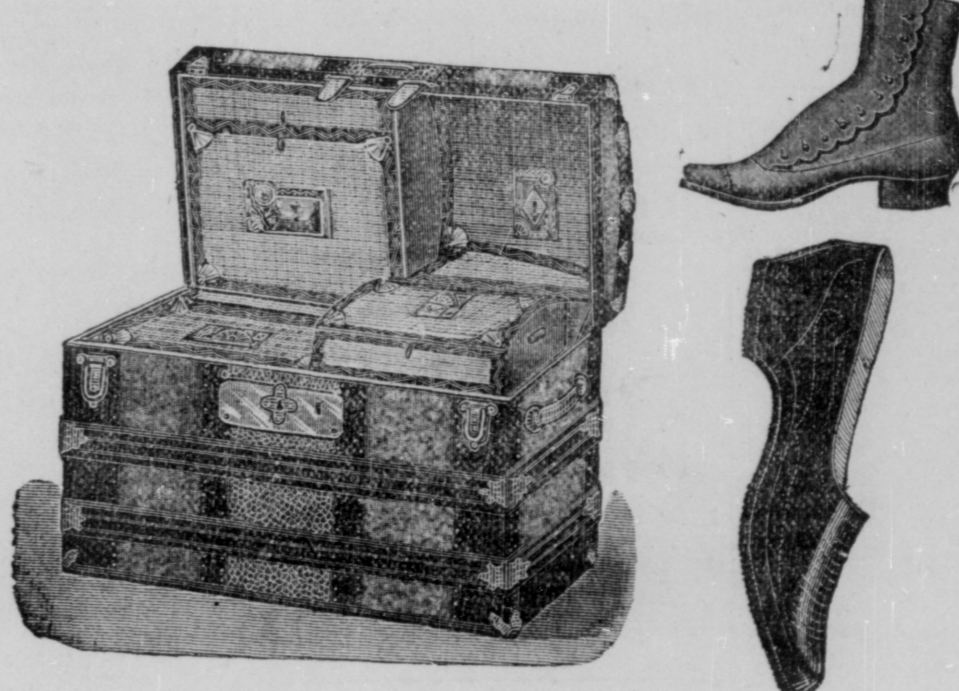
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