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Change the bed linen as often as possible. Once a day is not too often. In making the bed be sure that the under sheet is stretched as tight and smooth as a drum cover. Wrinkles in the under sheet cause continual discomfort and sometimes sores.

Keep the medicine bottles, glasses and spoons out of sight of the patient. Every sickroom should be provided with a small bottle cabinet where medicines may be kept. If this is out of the question a couple of swinging shelves curtained in silk may be used.

Banish creaking chairs from the sickroom. Nothing so grates upon the patient's nerves and so irritates him as unnecessary harsh sounds. Don't whisper outside the door. That is intensely aggravating to him, and conversations with the doctor may be just as well carried on outside the invalid's hearing.

Do not ask the patient what he wants to eat. Ask the doctor what he should eat, prepare it daintily and in small quantities and serve it to him, arrayed as temptingly as possible. Cover the tray with a spotless linen cloth, use the prettiest china and the brightest silver and glass, and adorn the tray with a flower or two. Daintiness is a great appetizer.

Follow the doctor's instruction religiously about the number of visitors to be allowed in the sickroom. Keep out doleful and reminiscent persons, who can always remember a similar case which ended fatally. Repeat only cheerful gossip, and never allow the conversation to be either exciting or depressing.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has been a God-send to me. Wm. B. McClellan, Chester, Florida, Sept. 17, 1895.

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Two jokes are being told by Methodists on the Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley, editor of the Christian Advocate. The other day the agent of the Methodist book depository of Boston received a letter reading, "Would you please send me the price of your cough medicine called, 'J. M. Buckley's Hereditary Consumptive's Successful Battle for Life,' as I would like to try a bottle." And news comes from Denver that a volume of lectures to young men, entitled "Oats or Wild Oats," which Dr. Buckley published some years ago, is classified among "Cereals" in the public library in that city.

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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.

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Trains are Tied Up on Account of the Snow. 500 Sheep Perish—The Stockmen Expecting Great Loss of Cattle on the Prairies.

St. Paul, Minn. Nov. 30.—The weather in St. Paul continues cold. The lowest point reached Saturday was 11 degrees below zero. The Northern Pacific west of the Dakota division was open Saturday night and trains were running as usual.

Bismarck, N. D., Nov. 30.—The Northern Pacific is still sidetracked in this state, and no prospects that trains will move before to-day. The Pacific coast train, which should have reached St. Paul Thursday, is stuck in a snow drift at New Salem, forty miles west of here, and can not move until rotary snow plows clear the tracks. In some deep cuts the snow is drifted on the track to the depth of fifty feet. A coal famine prevails here and there will be much suffering unless relief is afforded at once. No services were held in the different churches yesterday and the fuel on hand was distributed among the poor.

Mandan, N. D., Nov. 30.—The passenger train due to reach Mandan from the coast line Thursday last, arrived last night. Railroad officials expect to start trains east Monday. At the present no casualties have been reported, but stockmen expect to hear of great losses of cattle, as the storm must have caught many ranches unprepared.

Devils Lake, N. D., Nov. 30.—The weather continues extremely cold, the thermometer indicating from 10 to 20 degrees below zero. The first train from the east since last Wednesday arrived yesterday evening. A train load of sheep, thirteen cars, was caught in the blizzard at Grand Harbor, six miles west of here, and the animals were on the track in open double-deck cars during the entire blizzard.

Out of 2300 sheep about 500 perished. The shipment was from Cascade, Mont.

Williston, N. D., Nov. 30.—Eastbound passenger trains were snowbound here two days. The road was opened to Minot Saturday night. Westbound passenger train due here Thursday will not arrive until to-day. No reports of loss of life or stock.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 30.—The coldest weather of the season was experienced here yesterday morning when 15 degrees below zero was reported from the weather bureau.

New York, Nov. 30.—A slight snow fall occurred in this vicinity last night. The temperature is rising, however, and there are no indications of a severe storm.

A Strange Disease.

Glasgow, Ky., Nov. 30.—A singular and deadly malady, which has been baffling the skill of the physicians, has broken out in the Coral Hill neighborhood in this county, and the people residing within the infected region, which embraces an area of about three miles square, are greatly excited and alarmed. The disease made its appearance two weeks ago among the well to do people whose premises were in good sanitary condition. It is a highly contagious disease, and is pronounced by the physicians to be epidemic malignant erysipelas. The victims are first seized within the lower extremities, the ankle or knee, and in some cases the pain has first been felt in the wrist and this is followed by a chill. Inflammation sets in and manifests itself in some cases in the throat, in some in the chest and in others in the face.

The skin turns black and the tongue assumes the brownish hue. In one case the tongue turned perfectly black, and was terribly swollen. About 30 per cent of the cases have been fatal. None of the unfortunate people stricken have so far recovered, but it is believed that the other 70 per cent will get well. Some of the persons afflicted died within a few hours after being taken ill. No other cases like these are known to exist in any othe section of the country. Every possible caution is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease. For the safety and the health of the people in the adjoining communities the state board of health, in conjunction with the local board, by means of printed circulars liberally distributed, will warn all persons to keep away from those infected. All of the physicians in the county are constituted a board of safety, and they will advise with each other and do everything possible to check the progress of the disease and to confine it to the present limits.

Near Middlesboro, Ky., recently, Johny Branham was shot and killed.

Six hundred horses were loaded on a steamer at New Orleans recently, for Cuba.

Li Hung Chang in Trouble.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 30.—The steamship Doric arrived last night from Hong Kong and Yokohama bringing the following oriental news:

Plague has made its appearance in Formosa and the Japanese there are dying in large numbers.

Yokohama society is torn up over a mysterious poisoning case. Mr. R. P. Carew, a gentleman occupying a good social position and secretary of the Yokohama United club, who was married to a lady of substantial income, was taken ill Oct. 15 and died Oct. 22. The coroner's inquest was held and it was discovered that he had been poisoned. The evidence showed that Mrs. Carew, just previous to his illness and after he was sick had purchased arsenic in such quantities as to alarm the druggist. She said she wanted it for malarial fever.

Mrs. Carew told a remarkable story of a mysterious veiled woman dressed in black who called on her husband Oct. 10. Mr. Carew was not at home, and the woman left, after making an appointment to meet him. Mr. Carew appeared to be greatly worried when the woman failed to keep the appointment and wrote her a letter addressed to Annie Luke. Mr. Carew was taken ill Oct 15 and on Oct. 20 while Mrs. Carew was out the same mysterious woman called at the home. She asked where Mr. Carew's bed room was situated, and the servant after telling her, went to bed. That was the last seen of the mysterious woman, but Mrs. Carew received from her a letter written by Mr. Carew which had been thrown in a waste basket. After Mr. Carew had died and the inquest was in progress the woman wrote to Messrs. Lowder and Hall, saying that she had fooled the chemist, the doctor, and that "silly little wife." The police have been unable to find any trace of the woman in black.

The coroner's jury brought in a verdict that Mr. Carew died from the effects of arsenic poisoning, but by whom the poison was administered there was no evidence to show. Mrs. Carew was then arrested and charged with the murder of her husband, but was later released on bail. Her trial was in progress when the steamer left.

Viceroy Li Hung Chang is again in disgrace. He entered the imperial park and hunting grounds without sanction. The punishment for this offense is to be deprived of all his ranks and decorations, but the emperor has decided to be lenient with him and has merely deprived him of a year's salary, amounting to 26,000 teals. The count, it is believed, will ask to be allowed to retire to his native province on the plea of ill health, and he has been disappointed in the hope of obtaining a position of influence in the Pekin government. Should the efforts of the empress dowager in his behalf succeed, it would be easy for him to become viceroy of Pe Chi Li.

It is stated the Chinese minister to London, Kung Chow Yuan, has petitioned the emperor to be recalled. He does not like London.

Cholera is prevalent in Tokio and appears to be on the increase.

Maniac's Work.

Marion, O., Nov. 30.—On Oct. 30 last Henry Powers, a farmer residing five miles north of here, escaped from the insane asylum at Columbus. The asylum was notified by Sheriff Shaw, and he was told to allow Powers his liberty and wait developments. This was found to have been a serious error, as yesterday morning about 6 o'clock while the family were at breakfast Powers went to the barn, secured an old musket and placing the barrel close to his wife's head, blew the top of her head off. Three of the three children fled to a neighboring house, leaving an infant in bed. After killing his wife Powers reloaded the musket, went into a potato patch 300 yards away and shot himself. Upon seeing her father leave the house the eldest child, a girl of 15, re-entered the house and carried off the baby. After shooting himself the maniac walked back to the house and fell beside his wife's body.

Froze to Death.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 30.—A result of the cold snap that struck here Saturday night was the death of John Barker, head bookkeeper of the rice firm of Christopher, Crowley & Co. Baker was an enthusiastic and expert hunter. Saturday night he went to the rigolets on a duck hunting expedition in company with his friends. He went out into the water, and accidentally overturning the boat, got wet to the skin. The weather was bitter cold but he continued to hunt instead of returning to camp to change his clothing. He did not appear [illegible] and his friends instituting a search for him, found him dead in the marsh. Beside him in the boat lay a dozen ducks which he had killed. He had taken in his decoys and it is supposed had started to return, when he was seized with a congestive chill.

...ing to many years. At Jamestown, N. D., it has been snowing for the past sixty hours and a blizzard has now developed that makes it extremely dangerous for any one to venture out on the prairies. Roads are impassible and it is difficult for ranchmen to get feed to their stock.

In West Superior, Wis., the blizzard turned into a sleet storm, and all traffic in the city is suspended. Street cars are not running.

Chamberlain, S. D., reports the storm as of a decidely blizzardly character and it is feared there will be considerable loss of stock on ranges. The wind is very high and the snow is drifting badly. The thermometer stands about zero.

News from Maceo.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 27.—A special from Jacksonville, Fla., says: Col. Jose Reyes, aide-de-camp of Gen. Maceo, wounded and en route to New York for medical treatment and with dispatches to the junta, passed through here Wednesday. He says the fighting in the Rubi Hill portion of Pinar del Rio was the most sanguinary of the war. He claims that 2000 of Weyler's men were killed in two days and twice as many wounded. Weyler went to the field with 35,000 men in three columns, one of 15,000 under himself, one of 15,000 under Gen. Echague and a third of 10,000 under Gen. Munoz.

They found Maceo entrenched in a crescent-shaped range of hills. When at the foot of the hills the Spaniards were met with a withering flip that cut gaps in their ranks. Maceo's men shot from behind rocks and trees and gradually gave way before the Spaniards, who, encouraged by what they thought to be victory, pursued. Suddenly a deafening explosion rent the air and a scene followed somewhat like the mine horror at Petersburg during the civil war. Horses and men were blown high in the air and fell to the earth dead and mangled. The dynamite mine was touched off by John Linn, formerly of this city, who is Maceo's electrician. Maceo then let loose the dynamite guns prepared by Linn and more havoc was wrought.

In the mine explosion Col. Reyes says Weyler lost 700 men killed and 500 more injured, besides 1600 wounded. Next day, Maceo knowing of the reserve force under Weyler, retreated to a stronger position. There he was attacked by the column under Echague who was roundly thrashed and driven from the field, leaving 800 men killed, besides 1300 wounded. Next day Maceo retreated again, maneuvering all the while to entrap Weyler into a field that had been honeycombed with dynamite. Meantime, however, Gen. Weyler, hearing that there was danger of an uprising in Havana because of his failure to crush Maceo, hastened back to that city.

Fears of Foul Play.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 27.—A number of city detectives are making vigorous effort to solve the mysterious disappearance of Michael Rudayeff, a wealthy real estate man of New York city, whose relatives fear he met with foul play somewhere in this vicinity. Rudayeff left New York last May, intending to visit Colorado for his health. Before starting he shipped his trunk to his cousin, living in St. Louis, saying he would stop off and visit him on his western trip. He did not come, but about a month ago his cousin received a letter from him dated Denver, which stated that the writer intended to start east in a few days.

Since then Mr. Harwitz has had no word from his relative. It is the former's opinion that Rudayeff has been foully dealt with. Rudayeff had about $10,000 in his possession when he left New York.

Will Not Investigate.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The joint congressional library committee has decided not to investigate the accounts of Librarian Spofford. When the committee was appointed it was understood it would be optional with it to go into the question of the accounts, and the committee for some days had had under advisability of investigating the charge of irregularities by Mr. Spofford, made over a year ago. The question was taken up in secret session Wednesday, and after an exchange of views covering two hours the question was coached to all [illegible] rest [illegible] was [illegible] deserving fellow.

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"The miners are ready and willin[illegible] receive and consider any reason[illegible] proposition looking toward a se[illegible]ment. They will meet the operators in a spirit of fairness and justice. They can not, of course, and ought not to consent to the destruction of the union, for that is the bulwark of their safety. It stands between respectable labor life and tramp life.

"Neither can they consent to perform their hard and exhaustive labor under ground in its constant hardships and face its manifold dangers for less wages than will supply them with the necessities of life.

"These two things is all they demand. All they ask is the right for the union, the right for themselves to live."

Peculiar Case.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 27.—A special from Tuskegee, Ala., says:

Last Friday a negro named Henry Dawson was hanged here for murder by the sheriff. He was a large 200-pounder, and when the trap was sprung, fell so hard he almost broke the rope. Fifteen minutes after the fall he was cut down and the physicians present pronounced him to be dead from strangulation. His body was turned over to his friends for burial, who put it in a large black coffin and started with it for the Buchanan place, several miles distant, where they pronounced a benediction. A negro named Reuben Rice now comes forward with the statement that Dawson is not dead; that as soon as the wagon was out of town the lid of the coffin was pried off and whiskey and other restoratives applied, with the result that the supposed corpse was resuscitated and after an hour or two was recovered sufficiently to walk. The evidence as to the truth of the statement is that the negroes having the remains in charge have left the neighborhood, and no evidence can be found of a new made grave about the Buchanan place.

Boundary Dispute.

Washington, Nov. 27.—A correspondent recently wrote to the Hon. George N. Curzon, parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, asking him whether, in view of the agreement to arbitrate the Venezuelan dispute, the government would approach Mexico with a view of bringing about a settlement of the boundary dispute there on the same lines. Mr. Curzon replied that a convention defining the boundary of British Honduras was signed in July, 1893, and it still awaits the sanction of the Mexican senate and the ratification of President Diaz. The British minister to Mexico, he added, recently called the attention of the Mexican government to the matter, expressing the hope that the subject would be dealt with at the coming session of congress. The Mexican government replied that the matter was not lost sight of and hoped there would not be any further delay.

War Rumor Disclaimed.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The attention of a prominent war department official was last night called to the reported statement that Col. Abernathy, of the Fourth New Jersey National Guard, had received orders to report to the department on the condition and equipment of his command, and that his regiment has been selected to hold itself in readiness to move to Florida on orders from Washington. The official referred to knew nothing of the orders. Every year the secretary of war, in his annual report, makes a statement concerning the strength of the militia. It so happened that the information required by the department for the secretary's report this year was lacking from some of the states, and it may be that New Jersey was one of them in which the request for the data has been sent in the regular way.

At New Orleans, La., recently, Robert Kennedy was killed by being run over by a bicycle.

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Slot Machines Must Go.

Paris, Tex., Nov. 30.—The [illegible] installed county attorney [illegible] Carlock, has issued [illegible] notifying all [illegible] slot machine[illegible] other device[illegible] ness [illegible]

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A Derby Tip.

"Telegram for you, sir."

It was the morning of the Derby day, and I had just looked into the of... before starting for Epsom. I was at the time on the staff of the "Sport...g Courier," and besides giving what ...known in the sporting world as "...dday finals," I usually "did" the horse meetings.

I took the telegram and tore it open. The message surprised me, for it ran:

"Don Pero is to win. Dixey."

I read it again and again. Don Pero was a rank outsider, and had been looked upon by everybody as not having the slightest chance of a place. For confirmation one had only to look at the "latest London betting" to find that the horse stood at 50 to 1. Yet Dixey, the trainer, had never befo... missed me, and I could not help fe...ing that there must be something in ... I had heard of dark horses before; this surely was the darkest of ... ones. However, I determined ... that was too ...low one whose tips had alway... straight and to the point.

I had previously decided ... struck a light, would give as my final select... lamp and all, first and second favorites an... outsider for third place. But ... is no night... gram upset all my calcula... —Lynwood.

yet I felt that I could no... ignore it. Dixey knew w... doing, and as ... Thus ... Newspaper, as one of the ... to do what ... have been ...

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The field reached the starting post without any mishap. Then there was a delay. Through my glasses I could see that the favorite was giving a deal of trouble. He was evidently anxious to get away. My horse—I called him my horse, for I felt that my whole existence was centered on his performance—was standing as quiet as a lamb on the outside berth.

"Now they're off!" is the cry. No; it is a false start. The favorite has broken away. His supporters standing around me are quivering with excitement, and many of them give vent to audible groans.

The horses face the starter once more, and in another minute we see the white flag fall and know that they have been dispatched on their fateful journey.

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If you want an Oxford or Holman bible with all the modern helps, apply to Mrs K. J. McNeil, Snyder, Tex. She can sell as cheap, without loss, as any one

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I Need Money.
All those knowing themselves indebted to me will please come up and settle at once as I need the money.
E. T. FRUITT.

A Christmas Tree.
The Methodist Sunday School at this place intend to give a Christmas tree at the Methodist church Thursday evening December 24th, '96, 6:30 p. m. We will have a short program in connection with the tree. All children invited to occupy front seats. Every body invited to attend.
A. J. GRANTHAM, Supt.

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COLORADO, TEXAS

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Remember to come Christmas for pictures.

J. S. McWilliams of Colorado, was here this week buying cattle.

The prospect now is that Scurry will make wheat enough and to spear.

Go at once and select your Holliday Presents at Grayum's while the stock is complete.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Taylor are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl last Tuesday morning.

Miss Nora McNeil is in the country this week, the guest of Mrs. W. M. Justice.

Finest Line and Lowest prices in Holliday Goods at Grayum's ever offered in Snyder.

The late blizzard is considered the worst ever known in some of the northern states

We advise wood haulers to go further west till Maj. Jarvis goes further east.

Would you wood up if you did not have any wood. Well thats our fix, bring us in that load you promised in the summer.

Grayum Sells a Good Grade of Jewelry under a Strict Guarantee.

Kin Elkins and family were here this week. Uncle Kin was made Kent's tax assessor at the late election and we think it was a good choice.

Miss Irene Scarborough, who has been employed to teach the Centerview school, returned home Tuesday to await the finishing of the school house.

Don't Fail to see the Beautiful Display at Grayum's Drug Store.

C. T. Girard and Rev. W. W. Werner returned yesterday evening from Buffalo Gap where they had been attending the Presbytery of the C. P. church.

Thirty-five was the number of bales of cotton that was seen on our streets at one time one day last week.

Whoopee! Such a Beautiful Line of Hollidays Goods at Grayum's.

Maj. J. J. Jarvis, of Fort Worth, was here in the early portion of the week looking after his landed interests. He brought a ten dollar gold piece with him and all the free silverites that saw it have been wondering if it was genuine, as they had not seen one since 1884.

F. G. Thurmond has been appointed assistant County Attorney of Tarrant county. Criminals had as well hunt their holes in Hell's Half Acre in Fort Worth if Felix works as hard to get them in as he does to get them out.

To My Patrons.
I need money very much and would like for all who can to pay their accounts. If unable to pay please call and see amount at least. This refers to those who have not settled this year.
I. H. NELSON.

COX HOLLOW HORN.

We borrow the following from the Cox Hollow Horn:

"Bill Deadhead came in this week and requested us to send our paper to Lem Hunter, Possum Trot, Lard county, Arkansaw. Of course we will. Bill is a great fellow for his county paper. He used to steal the Horn from his neighbor before his neighbor paid us to send him a copy extra for Bill, since then Bill has assisted very materially in disseminating knowledge by having us send our paper to his brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles, father-in-law, and this Lem Hunter he has added we understand is uncle to his aunt and when Bill was a boy he used to carry fish bait for him. His point in sending the paper to him now is we are told, to remind him that the afore mentioned Bill is not dead, and if he, Lem Hunter, has not died yet to see if Mr. Hunter will not mention him in the division of coon skins and pawpaw poles. We send the paper, it adds to our sworn circulation and may be Bill will stop with a load of wood opposite our office some day in place of in front of Pete Redeye's saloon, and further we must keep up with Hee McEachern's free circulating library, the Stockman.

"Miss Toplofty and Miss Highfalutin called at our office yesterday complaining of our last week's write up of their ball dresses. They informed us if it was not corrected in this issue they would have old Toplofty and young Mr. Highfalutin waiting on us. Now as to the waiting process, we would be pleased to have old Toplofty wait on us as long as we have waited on him to pay us for favorable mention of his family at the time he beat his last cow stealing case, and as to Mr. Highfalutin, his last gambling spree has knocked all the wind and water out of him and he thinks less said about his sisters dress less people will know about his spree. Now as the young ladies (readers we use yong ladies as words of apology) we are sorry that the write up did not suit them. We were not at the ball in person, but sent our reporter, Mr. Honest, and it was he who represented that "Miss Toplofty was dressed in a beautiful gown of Algodon made al a mode de Hubbard, cut decollette. Her shoes were dainty little crescents. Miss Highfalutin was attired in a similar gown. Her shoes were also like Miss T's except they had a coat a la de Mason. Both acted very lingerie." Mr. Honest explains in this issue and hopes it will be satisfactory. He says that their dresses were plain Mother Hubbards made out of calico and their shoes were run down. As to the word decolle te, he meant that the collars were turned down like a harvesters shirt collar and lingerie means they lingered round the door waiting for company home, and makes this amende honorable to help these old maids off.

"The McKinley wave of prosperity is so long reaching Cox Hollow that we concluded some one mistook a head rise on Maverick Hollow for prosperity.

"Some one has been leaving the dugout top off in our absence and Parson Preachlongs old cow chewed up a copy of the Jones County Populist Guide and she has died. The parson, we understand is thinking of sueing us as soon as we get our Christmas ads. We do not think we shoul be held responsible for the pizen in that paper.

"We see by the final returns that McKinley carried the doubtful states by 25,000 majority. Now if 12,609 of these 25,000 had for Bryan he would have been elected How small the margin of victory. Kentucky's fraud Bynums treason and Hannas barrel have overturned the people's will.

"Carlisle says he desires to retire from politics. Who does not when the old vagabond will not sleep with him any longer.

"This paper is for free silver, free gold, free soda pop, free flour free meat and everything else free but our devil who is entirely too free in trying to collect enough from us to keep him in suspenders.

Notice to Board Members.
The Board Members of the North Colorado Association are requested to meet in call session at the Baptist church in Snyder on Saturday the 19th of December 1896.
J. W. SHAW,
Chairman of Board.

Photography.
We have re-opened our gallery in Snyder and will remain until after Christmas. We also give each person that spends $3 with us a chance at a $10 crayon enlargement.
WILLIAMS & HANNA.

A Card of Thanks.
The ever generous NEWS will grant a vent to the overflowing gratitude of a whole family, whose humble home was made so happy by the genuine "pounding" received last evening. Thanks, dear friends, thanks.
R. J. MCNEIL and family.

To Our Patrons.
As J. E. Dodson will soon withdraw from the firm of Dodson Bros., hence we will be obliged to request prompt payment of all accounts due us. We will also sell goods for cash at a very close profit until such change in our business.
DODSON BROS.

We are sorry to announce that Elder J. Morgan Wells, the eminent Baptist minister of Fort Worth, is dead.

Tuesday morning the residence occupied by Mr. Binion and owned by Dr. Armstrong in the southwest portion of the county was burned. The fire caught from a defective flue and was under such headway when discovered that nothing could be done except save most of the household articles. Loss about $600.

Commissioner Baker informs Clerk Grantham that the school lands are not included in the suit filed at El Paso over the Block 97 lands and that he will receive applications to purchase or lease.

T. D. McMillan moved to town this week and occupies the old Western hotel.

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...ods ... sarilla ... True Blood Purifier. ... Liver Pills; easy to ... easy to operate. 25c.

Bar Harbor, Me., seems ... to be virtuous when it comes easy. Since all the summer visitors left, which means pretty much the whole population, the saloons have been closed and the prohibitory law enforced, and now the Sunday law is being used to compel storekeepers of every kind to shut up shop over Sunday.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c

Every wife longs for the establishment of a religion that will forbid a widower marrying again.

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...ills, Ind., writes: "My wife was in bed six months with acute neuralgia. She ... and several doctors, but all to no effect. Thank God your wonderful "5 Drops" ... after she commenced using it, she was out of bed and going about."

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If you have not confidence enough after reading the above letters to send for a $1.00 bottle, send for a sample, which contains ample medicine to convince you of its merit.

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BED-WETTING CURED OR NO PAY. Mrs. S. M. ROWAN, Milwaukee, Wis.

...y. ... Eng... authority, the Westkeep... Gazette, pronounces the wasp ...doomed. It says that while the news came from Paris, the accepted fountain head of all such information, as a matter of fact the fashion comes from the west end of London. It is really no very new thing in England, this desire to emulate the outline of the Venus de Milo, with her waist of generous circumference. "For years the doctors have been decrying the evils of tight lacing, and it only required the excuse offered by cycling for the ladies who set the fashion of England, and often of the world, to declare in favor of a return to nature. Gradually the Grecian waist has been gaining popularity. A Regent street ladies' tailor, who has sold, he declares a thousand cycling habits this season, stated this morning that his books undoubtedly prove that the standard is increasing. 'They are letting themselves go more and more,' he said, waxing enthusiastic on the subject, 'even those who are inclined to be stout. Would you believe that a lady came in here not long ago and was measured for a morning gown with a twenty-five inch waist? When she came to have it fitted her waist measurement was twenty-seven inches and we had to alter the gown accordingly. We are glad enough to notice the changing fashion and we encourage it all we can. It is much easier for us to give a stylish cut and a perfect fit if we follow nature, by which I mean narrow sleeves, a flat back and a large waist.' The buyer in the costume department of one of the largest and most fashionable west end establishments, who has just returned from Paris, stated to our representative that the change is not very perceptible there at present either on the street or in the shops. He agreed that the standard was steadily increasing, but doubted whether any sudden revolution in form could be expected. It was a matter in which the costumers were at the mercy of the customers, an interesting reversal of the usual arrangement."

The Serapis Engagement.

A Constant Reader, Spellamacheen, B. C., writes as follows with reference to the account of the engagement between Paul Jones' ship and the British warship Serapis, which appeared in "The Week's Anniversaries," in the issue of September 22d: "The description of the fight between Paul Jones and the Seraphis is hardly accurate. Paul Jones with three French frigates lay off Flanboro Head to capture the Baltic merchant fleet under convoy of the 'Serapis,' an old-fashioned weak frigate, and the 'County of Scarboro,' an armed store ship. When the captain of the Serapis sighted Paul Jones' squadron he signalled his convoy to disperse and make for their ports while he and the Countess of Scarboro stood toward the French ships and fought a fierce and unequal action, during which the convoy escaped. He had to surrender to superior force. Paul Jones' ship was so damaged that she sank shortly after. On obtaining his liberty the captain of the Serapis was knighted for his gallantry, and the Corporation of London made him a freeman of the city and presented him with a sword of honor for his service in saving the Baltic fleet."

Smell and Taste in Fish.

The sense of smell and taste appear to be well developed in the great majority of the fish species. Tobacco thrown overboard from vessels is often seized by mackerel and halibut, but it is immediately rejected. Nearly all varieties of fish, and more especially the "ground swimmers," have a choice of food. Halibut and cod are attracted a great distance by certain kinds of bait. Herring, when fresh and in good condition, are splendid bait for cod, but are of no use whatever if they have become stale from long keeping. Catfish, buffalo, and one or two varieties of the bass will bite bacon, when they will pay no attention whatever to the luscious angle-worm. The above and other facts which could easily be cited in proof, have caused fishermen and scientists to come to the conclusion that the senses of smell and taste are both remarkably developed among the finny tribe.—Atlanta Constitution.

A Phenomenal Rainfall.

The most phenomenal rainfall recorded in the annals of Ohio took place on Aug. 12, 1861. Mr. S. B. McMillan, who gives an account of this remarkable downpour, says that it extended over an area of at least 100 square miles. The total amount of water which fell during the eleven hours of precipitation was 8¼ inches, and of that quantity 4.8 inches fell in four and a half hours. What is meant by a fall of eight and one half inches of rain in so short a space of time will be better understood when the reader is informed that one inch of rain means 22,000 gallons to the acre. This immense quantity of water will weigh 220,000 pounds, or 100 tons.

His French.

"Shall I say au revoir and not good-by?" he whispered soulfully.

Her long lashes swept her damask cheek.

"I hardly know," she faltered. "Your French is pretty rank, but then——"
—Detroit Tribune.

Oysters in Liverpool.

It is estimated that 130,000,000 oysters are yearly received at Liverpool from abroad.

ST. VITUS VANQUISHED.

What Cured Little Stanley Nichol of Chorea.

From the Republican-Journal, Ogdensburg, N. Y.

A letter was lately received at the office of the *Republican-Journal* from Hammond to the effect that the cure of an extraordinarily severe case of St. Vitus' dance had been effected on the person of little Stanley Nichol, the 8 year old son of Mrs. Charles Nichol of that village.

A reporter was accordingly dispatched in that direction who, after some inquiry, found Mrs. Nichol's residence about a mile outside the village. Mrs. Nichol said:

"A little over a year ago my boy, Stanley Nichol, who is now only eight years old, alarmed me one day by being taken with a strange gurgling in his throat. After the first the attacks became quite frequent. Stanley did not complain of any pain, but said that he could not help making the noise. At that time there was a New York doctor stopping in the village who was a specialist on throat and nasal diseases. I took my son to him and after a careful examination he said that there was nothing the matter with the boy's throat. The gurgling in his opinion was caused by a nervous contraction of the muscles of the throat. He asked who our family physician was and said that he would consult with him before he prescribed.

"Stanley rapidly grew worse. He was always a sickly boy. One day I noticed that he was jerking his arm up in a very peculiar manner. A few days latter he seemed to lose control of his legs, first one and then the other would be pulled up and then straightened out again. He was a perfect bundle of nerves, and was rapidly losing all control of himself. When eating at the table or drinking, his arm would often twitch so as to spill what he was drinking. One day he scared me terribly by throwing back his head and rolling his eyes up so that only the white parts showed. I took him to our family physician who prepared some medicine for him. He took it and commenced to improve. The dose, however, had to be increased and Stanley rebelled against taking it. It was very disagreeable medicine and I don't blame the boy for not wishing to take it.

"Our physician went to New York city on business and while he was away the medicine became exhausted and we could get no more. Stanley was still very bad. About that time I read about a little girl who had been cured of St. Vitas' dance by taking Pink Pills. I thought I would try them and procured a box. I followed the directions that came with the pills, and gave only half a pill at a dose. I did not see much improvement and increased the dose to a whole pill. The effect was noticed in a day. Stanley immediately commenced to get better and did not object to taking the pills as he had the other medicine. He took seven boxes of the pills and to-day appears to be perfectly well. He discontinued taking them sometime ago. He weighs nearly 15 pounds more than he did and is strong and hearty. A year ago we took him out of school but he is so much better now that he is going to begin again this fall."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Arable Land in England.

During the last twenty years the area of land in England under the plow has been diminished by nearly 2,000,000 acres, or over fourteen per cent. The amount of arable land in Wales has diminished twenty-one per cent in the same period. In Scotland, on the contrary, it has increased by 78,000 acres.

A NEGLECTED COLD

Results in Chronic Catarrh and Bronchitis. Cured by Pe-ru-na.

The following testimonial is an old, old story. We receive a great many letters like this. Some one has had a cold. He neglected to take Pe-ru-na for it as he should have done. It runs on until chronic catarrh, bronchitis or consumption results. If he begins to take Pe-ru-na before it is too late, he is sure to be cured. Even after it is too late to receive a cure, great relief from suffering is experienced. Bernard King, National Military Home, Leavenworth, Kas., writes a few words which every one should heed:

"I will write you a few lines for publication to make known what Pe-ru-na has done for me. I took a severe cold which I neglected. It developed into catarrh and bronchitis and in a short time became chronic. I tried everything I saw advertised, which did me no good. I saw the great tonic, Pe-ru-na, advertised. I bought one bottle. I found myself so much better after taking it I wrote you for advice, which you kindly continued to give me, free of charge, for five months. Now I am happy to inform you and the public that I am perfectly cured of catarrh and bronchitis. I make this statement in hope that some of my comrades will see it and be benefitted thereby."

Send to The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio, for an illustrated book on chronic catarrh of 64 pages, written by Dr. Hartman.

There are many men living who have never received more than one telgram during their lives.

Many an American who boasts of liberty is a slave, and can hear his chains every time he steps.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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An Appeal for Assistance.
The man who is charitable ... listen to the appeal for ... by his generosity ... Hostetter's Stomach Bitters ... Chemist ... the secretes his ... dear sir, ... or placid—as the case may be—is what you require. Hasten to use it if you are troubled with heartburn, wind in the stomach ... your skin or the whites of your eyes are yellow ... a sallow hue.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25 cents a bottle.

We know a man who can worry while he is busy.

Blood Pure?
Is it? Then take Ayer's Sarsaparilla and keep it so. Isn't it? Then take Ayer's Sarsaparilla and make it so. One fact is positively established and that is that Ayer's Sarsaparilla will purify the blood more perfectly, more economically and more speedily than any other remedy in the market. There are fifty years of cures behind this statement; a record no other remedy can show. You waste time and money when you take anything to purify the blood except
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OPIUM HABIT AND DRUNKENNESS Cured in 10 to 20 Days. No Pay Cured. DR. J. L. STEPHENS, LEBANON, O.

Spry Old Folks.

Lee, Mass., prides itself considerably on its spry old people. Mrs. Swan celebrated her 103d birthday recently, Captain Norton is 99 years old, Mrs. Harriet Hinckley is 94, and Mrs. Baker is 93. Octogenarians are too young to be taken seriously there.

Gossip seldom injures a man who is not a little guilty.

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