

CREASE AND INCREASE.

An elephant wears more creases to his trousers than any other animal. They seem to be sort of a kilt pleat with a bias slope. He is not very fashionable, but is up to date in taking care of himself. Some sudden, violent pains crease, twist or contract the muscles and tendons, and this is the nature of a bad sprain. If neglected, the creases increase, and so does the pain, until sometimes it is very difficult to straighten them out, but by the prompt use of St. Jacobs Oil, the friction or rubbing in its application and the curative qualities of the oil will smooth out the worst twist or crease and get the muscle in natural shape, where it will remain, restored, strengthened, cured. Promptness in using it insures prompt cure, and when the sprain is cured, it is cured for good.

The business of farming in Spain is so much depressed that the government is about to devote \$1,300,000 to the relief of that industry.

GROAN IF YOU MUST.

But also appeal to a means of relief of the torture—physical—which produces the groan. Rheumatism is a cruel source of agony. It is the acute inflammatory or chronic form. But it may be annihilated at its birth with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which, unlike the potent minute doses often prescribed for it, is perfectly safe. In malarial, kidney, bilious, dyspeptic or nervous ailments the Bitters is a certain source of relief.

Röntgen ray photographs were admitted as evidence in a Denver, Col., court recently.

Incipient Insanity.

A SICK AND AILING GIRL—HER MOTHER'S ADVICE.

An Interesting Story Told Under Embarrassing Circumstances.

From the Express, Los Angeles, California. The interviewer's lines sometimes fall in queer places. People who are to be talked to may be in all sorts of conditions and frames of mind, but one cannot conceive a much more embarrassing thing for all parties concerned than an assignment to interview a mother of a two days' old infant. Some things are too sacred for even the callous newspaper man to lightly ignore. But Mrs. C. C. Reeder had a story to tell and this paper wanted that story. The baby was asleep, and the mother expressed her amiability, so the reporter was ushered into the room.

Mrs. Reeder used to be Johanna Rinker, and lived for several years at Riverside, Cal. She was a domestic and worked very hard. Perhaps it was the toil, perhaps the climate, at all events, she fell sick. Doctors and medicines did her no good. Her appetite vanished. Sleep eluded her at night, always and ever that dreadful feeling of lassitude and depression, so familiar to women, made itself apparent to her. And then she began to imagine things. One night while driving across a bridge that she knew perfectly well was there, she cried out in fright because she could see nothing. The doctors might call this insanity, but until the hallucinations and delusions grow to be a menace to life or peace, not much heed is paid to the imaginings of weakly girls.

Last spring Mrs. Reeder, for she had married in the meantime, concluded to visit her old home at Daleville, Ind., and it was while there that her mother, Mrs. Caroline Leaser, told her of the wonderful properties of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Mrs. Reeder began to take them. When she started in she could not walk the three-quarters of a mile to the postoffice, she was so weak. In about three weeks she took according to directions about five boxes of the pills, and at the expiration of that time could go down into town and come back and do a big day's washing over the tub at her home. Her blood came back into the pale cheeks, sleep once again refreshed her at night, the cold again left, and she could eat and enjoy all the pleasures and diversions of life where before she had been averse to society and amusements of all kinds. The awful notions and hallucinations left her, her brain again resumed its normal functions. From that time to now she has taken no medicine and she is well in all respects.

"See my baby, God bless his heart," said the proud mother. "It is as strong and healthy as any baby ever born. It weighed nine pounds." As it lay there, its little pink fists clenched over its thumb, its little eyes peeped up in sleep, a bundle of pink, satiny infantile loveliness, there could be little doubt of the physical health of its parents.

Mrs. Reeder lives at a cottage numbered 407 1/2 East Pico street, Los Angeles, Cal., and the last words she said were, "Oh, you are perfectly excusable. I am just as glad to endorse Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as you can possibly be to hear my story. If all suffering women only knew their power and good, there would be less sickness and misery in the world, I'm sure. Good-bye."

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.

A New York export firm will soon ship 3,000 pairs of shoes to the Argentine Republic and 2,000 pairs to Central America.

I believe my prompt use of Pilo's Cure prevented quick consumption.—and Lucy Wallace, Marquette, Kans., Dec. 12, 1895.

We can afford to say: "Get every sort of Schilling's Best tea of your grocer, and get your money back on what you don't like."

Your tea-trade for the rest of your life is worth the risk—and there is no risk.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Brief and Uneventful Session in the Senate.

Washington, March 20.—The session of the senate today was brief and uneventful. A large number of bills were introduced, and the first report of the session was received. A smile went around the chamber when Stewart, a resident of Carson City, Nev., where the pugilistic contest occurred yesterday, offered a bill for the relief of one Corbett. It proved to be a private pension bill.

One of the measures introduced by Gallinger proposed an amendment to the constitution prohibiting legislation in behalf of any religious denomination.

Turpie gave notice of a speech on the election of senators by popular vote, and that he would introduce a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution for this purpose.

The first report of the session was presented by Gear of Iowa, from the committee on Pacific roads, and was favorable to the bill for an adjustment of the Pacific railroad debts by a commission, consisting of the secretary of the interior, secretary of the treasury and attorney-general. Gear asked that the bill be made the unfinished business of the senate, with a proviso that it should not be taken up for a month. There was no objection, however, from Cockrell, and after considerable discussion the bill went to the calendar.

There was an objection also to Gear's resolution calling on the attorney-general for information as to the foreclosure proceedings against the Pacific roads. Morgan gave notice that he would later submit a minority report of the bill for a commission.

In the executive session, the report in favor of the arbitration treaty was presented by Senator Davis, as chairman of the committee on foreign relations, and was in the shape of a resolution for ratification. Morgan's speech was a statement of his position, and those of Daniel and Mills were in the nature of a minority report in opposition to the treaty.

Presidential Nominations.

Washington, March 20.—President McKinley today sent the following nominations to the senate:

Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Mexico.

William Osborne, of Massachusetts, consul-general at London.

John K. Gowdy, of Indiana, consul-general at Paris.

John M. Brigham, of Ohio, assistant secretary of agriculture.

Perry S. Heath, of Indiana, first assistant postmaster-general.

Captain Charles Shaler, of the ordnance department, to be major.

Henry L. Marindin, assistant to the superintendent of the United States coast and geodetic survey, to be a member of the Mississippi river commission.

APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR.

Regents of Washington State Agricultural College.

Olympia, Wash., March 22.—The governor today appointed Walter W. Windus to be regent of the state agricultural college, vice E. S. Ingraham, of Seattle, whose term expired March 9, 1897. H. S. Blandford, of Walla Walla, is appointed to be regent of the same institution. His term will end March 9, 1903.

The governor has announced there will be no appointment to the office of adjutant-general. The duties of the position will be performed by Major Ballaine, the governor's private secretary.

The governor gave an audience to-night to a committee that submitted for the executive's consideration reasons why he should approve the capitol bill.

The governor today vetoed senate bill No. 194, which gives holders of tide, shoal and oyster lands certain privileges. This bill is held to be unconstitutional, as it attempts to take away rights already acquired by certain parties under the law, without giving them any remedy; also that bill No. 224, which has been signed, gives the improvers of tide lands all of the privileges asked for in this bill, and prevents infringement of the rights of upland owners.

The other bills vetoed are: House bill No. 182, to construct a wagon road from Lyle, in Klickitat county, to Washougal, in Clark county. No. 250, appropriating \$1,700 for the relief of George Babcock, of Walla Walla.

The governor approved these house bills: No. 459, providing for a state wagon road from Marcus across the Cascades to Marblehead, and appropriating \$20,000.

No. 428, to survey and establish a state road from Buckley across the Cascades to Yakima.

No. 485, appropriating \$15,000 to establish a state road from Wenatchee to the mouth of Methow river.

Several Americans Liberated. Havana, March 22.—Louis Day, an American, who was arrested at Reglat last December and confined in Cuban prison, has been set at liberty and expelled from the island. Charles Scott, the American, and Venero, a naturalized American, have been ordered set at liberty.

Fatal Railway Collision. Denver, March 22.—Patrick Casey, Hugh McBride, aged 15 and 13 years, respectively, were scalded to death this morning in a wreck caused by a collision of engines on the Union Pacific, Denver & Gulf railroad, in this city. Ed J. Hayes, aged 36, was so badly burned that he died in a few hours. John W. Berndt, aged 40, was severely injured. The four were employed in factories, and were riding to the city on an engine tender.

Murder Policy to Continue. Beyrout, March 19.—A great sensation has been raised here by the appointment of Maxim Pasha as vali. Maxim Pasha was the minister of police during the massacres of the Armenians at Constantinople. His appointment is a sign that the palace policy of the sultan is to be continued.

Three More Expeditions En Route. Key West, March 19.—Cubans here openly state that three large expeditions have left United States shores within three days.

A Polish Centenarian.

Chicago, March 22.—Adam Adamick, a Pole, has just celebrated his 113th birthday. His wife is still living and is 87 years of age. Both are almost totally blind, and yet their general health otherwise is remarkably good. Adamick is believed to be the oldest man in Chicago, and as far as known the oldest in the United States. Until recently, none but the parish priest and his Polish neighbors knew his remarkable story, although his habitation had stood in the stretch of muddy prairie near the railroads for over thirty years.

Adamick's abnormally large head, his short stature and bent form gave him a brown-like appearance. This is heightened by a surprising activity. His long gray hair straggles out from under a peaked hat, and he wears a thin gray beard. For the last twelve years, ever since he passed the century mark, Adamick has remained within his muddy cabin. His muscles are not shrunken, nor his form shriveled. It is pitiful to see the uncertainty which his blindness gives to his walk, but he steps firmly about the house and the palisaded enclosure. The old man is an inveterate snuffaker, and has smoked nearly all his life. He has not been a total abstainer from liquors.

Ran Into an Open Bridge.

Chattanooga, March 22.—News has just been received here from Cole City, Ga., of a terrible railroad accident there at noon. A switch engine of the Dade Coal Company, running between the mines and the furnaces, ran into an open bridge, washed away by high water. The locomotive plunged down an embankment, carrying with it the engineer, Stewart, and the fireman, Cagle. The locomotive turned upside down, and the coal from the firebox fell across the engineer's breast. The fireman was pinned to the side of the cab, and could not render Stewart assistance. Stewart begged the fireman to kill him. Stewart was burned to death.

Bartender Let Him Drink.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 22.—"Either give me whisky, or I'll drink this," exclaimed Frank Lewis, 26 years old, as he stood before the bar of a saloon this afternoon holding a small phial in his hand and addressing the bartender who had asked him to pay for a round of drinks. The bartender did not see fit to forgive the debt and Lewis poured the contents, three ounces of carbolic acid, down his throat. Lewis was carried to the police station, where he died in a few minutes in horrible agony. His father is one of the wealthiest business men of King county, Mo. No reason is assigned for this act.

A Bay Collision.

San Francisco, March 22.—A collision, fortunately unattended by loss of life, occurred on the bay this afternoon between the stern-wheeler Sunol, bound for Napa, and the bark Olympic, inward bound from Philadelphia, while the latter was beating up the harbor. Although the Sunol's engine-room was wrecked, she only partly filled, and was towed to the flats. Her passengers and crew escaped by climbing over the bows of the Olympic, after she crashed into the steamer. The accident was due to carelessness of the Sunol's captain, who tried to cross the Olympic's bows.

Killed by His Brother.

San Luis Obispo, Cal., March 22.—P. H. Dalidet, Jr., one of the best-known business men of this county, and member of a well-known and highly respected family of this city, was fatally shot by his younger brother, John Dalidet, at the family residence yesterday. The shooting was the result of a family difference. The tragedy caused a big sensation here, owing to the prominence of the family.

Spanish Defeat in Philippines.

Seattle, Wash., March 22, 1897.—Wheat—Chickens, \$27 per ton. Oats—Choice, \$23.24 per ton. Barley—Rolled or ground, \$22 per ton. Corn—Whole, \$19 per ton; cracked, \$19.20; feed meal, \$19.20. Flour—(Jobbing)—Patent excellent, \$5.10; Novelty A, \$4.75; California brands, \$5.35; Dakota, \$5.65; patent, \$6.40. Millstuffs—Bran, \$14.00 per ton; shorts, \$12. Feed—Chopped feed, \$18.00 per ton; middlings, \$22; olicake meal, \$20. Hay—Puguet sound, per ton, \$10.00; Eastern Washington, \$14. Butter—Fancy native creamery, brick, 26c; select, 24c; tubs, 23c; ranch, 15c to 17c. Cheese—Native Washington, 12c; Vegetables—Potatoes, per ton, \$17 to 18; parsnips, per sack, 75c; beets, per sack, 60c; turnips, per sack, 60c; rutabagas, per sack, 50c; carrots, per sack, 40c to 50c; cabbage, per 100 lbs, \$1.50; onions, per 100 lbs, \$2.00. Sweet potatoes—Per 100 lbs, \$4.00. Poultry—Chickens, live, per pound, hens, 11c; dressed, 10c to 11c; ducks, \$4.00 to \$5.00; dressed turkeys, 15c. Eggs—Fresh ranch, 12c; Fresh Meats—Choice dressed beef, steers, 6c; cows, 6c; mutton, sheep, 7c per pound; lamb, 8c; pork, 6c per pound; veal, small, 8c. Fresh Fish—Halibut, 4c to 6c; salmon, 5c to 6c; salmon trout, 7c to 10c; flounders and soles, 3c to 4c. Provisions—Hams, large, 11c; hams, small, 11c; breakfast bacon, 10c; dry salt sides, 5c per pound.

Paris Has a Genuine Duel.

Paris, March 22.—A duel with swords was fought this afternoon in the park of St. Jean, between the Chevalier Pinea, master of the Italian school of arms, and M. Thomagueux, a French amateur swordsman. The meeting which excited intense interest, arose from a letter insulting Pinea as the outcome of a recent assault at arms. Thomagueux was wounded in the face.

Misery of Turkish Troops.

Constantinople, March 22.—The Imperial Ottoman bank advanced only at the last moment the \$200,000 required by the ports for military expenses. The misery of the Turkish troops is intense. Their wages have not been paid for the last nine months, and many officers are selling their arms and uniforms to get food.

The Largest Schooner.

Bath, Me., March 22.—The schooner Frank A. Palmer, the largest of its class on the high seas, was successfully launched here this morning. The vessel measures 261 feet on the keel, and from the end of the jibboom to the end of the spinnaker 412 feet.

Oxford Followed Suit.

Oxford, England, March 22.—The honorary degree of doctor of civil law was conferred here today upon Dr. Nansen, the Norwegian explorer.

According to the Botanical Gazette, a notable cactus garden has been established at the University of Arizona. It is the intention to bring together eventually all the cactaceae which are indigenous to the United States, and already more than one hundred species are represented.

Probably Fatally Wounded.

Mission, Mont., March 22.—This morning Theo Beckman was shot by Frank Fayette three times, as the latter was leaving a hotel. Both men are cooks and had a disagreement over a board bill. The wounds will probably prove fatal. Beckman was probably one of the United States army at Vancouver barracks, with a record as a sharpshooter.

It takes thirty-seven specially constructed and equipped steamers to keep the submarine telegraph cables of the world in repair.

WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

Downing, Hopkins & Company's Review of Trade.

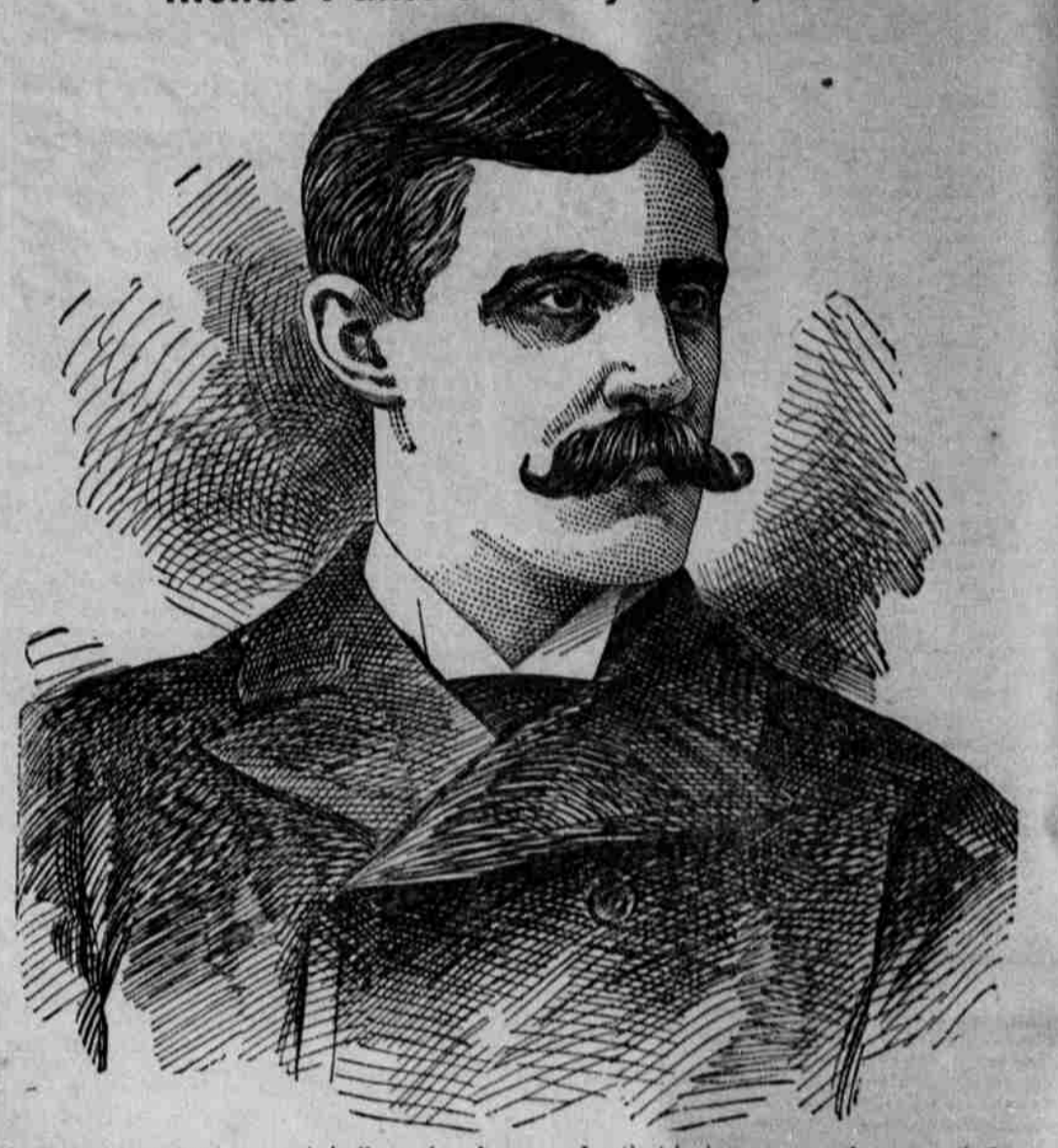
There was a fair trade in speculative wheat the past week, the market being subject to frequent but moderate changes. The feeling manifested was, on the whole, firm, though at times the market exhibited rather an easy undertone, the week closing with about 1 1/2 advance. There has been fair buying of late by certain interests which has led many traders to believe that the market is having support from operators who of late have favored the short side, and no doubt this buying was something of a power this week. Conditions of supply and demand have not changed since our last review, and certainly do not warrant lower prices for wheat. Values may drag a little lower, owing to lack of speculative support, but natural laws cannot be ignored with impunity any more in business matters than in physical life. It is an assured certainty that American supplies of wheat will be more nearly exhausted before next harvest than at any time since the late European war. It is equally certain that the amount of wheat on passage will fall below the lowest previous record. Stocks of wheat at home and abroad are being rapidly depleted. That values should decline under such conditions is one of those inexplicable phenomena that should invite rather than repel speculative investment.

Thomas Bellas, the most indefatigable compiler of figures in Chicago, having a bullish tendency on wheat, draws attention to the visible supply now, compared with former years. Mr. Bellas says: "The visible supply of wheat in this country has decreased from the first of the year, or during the close season, 12,929,000 bushels, and should it continue to decrease only in the same proportion till the first week in May (and it is almost certain to decrease some millions more when spring shipments begin), it will stand at that time 29,493,000 bushels, compared with 55,458,000 bushels last year at the same time. It will be the smallest stock in the first week of May in twelve out of fifteen years."

Market Quotations.

Portland, Or., March 22, 1897. Flour—Portland, Salem, Cascadia and Dayton, \$4.25; Benton county and White Lily, \$4.25; Graham, \$3.50; super, \$2.75 per barrel. Wheat—Walla Walla, 78c to 79c; Valley, 79c per bushel. Oats—Choice white, 38c to 40c per bushel; choice gray, 36c to 37c. Hay—Timothy, \$13 to 13.50 per ton; clover, \$11.00 to 12.00; wheat and oat, \$9.00 to 11 per ton. Barley—Feed barley, \$17.50 per ton; brewing, \$18 to 19. Millstuffs—Bran, \$15.00; shorts, \$16.50; middlings, \$26. Butter—Creamery, 45c to 50c; dairy, 30c to 40c; store, 17c to 30c per roll. Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 60c to 70c; Garnet Chiles, 70c; Early Rose, 80c to 90c per sack; sweets, \$3.00 per cental for Merced; new potatoes, 6 1/2c per pound. Onions—\$1.75 to 2.00 per cental. Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$2.50 to 3.00; geese, \$3.50 to 4.50; turkeys, live, 11c to 12c; ducks, \$3.00 to 4.00 per dozen. Eggs—Oregon, 9c to 9 1/2c per dozen. Cheese—Oregon, 12c; Young America, 13 1/2c per pound. Wool—Valley, 11c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 7c to 9c. Hops—9c to 10c per pound. Beef—Gross, top steers, \$2.75 to 3.00; cows, \$2.25 to 2.50; dressed beef, 4c to 5 1/2c per pound. Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, \$3.00 to 3.25; dressed mutton, 5 1/2c to 6c per pound. Hogs—Gross, choice, heavy, \$3.25 to 3.50; light and feeders, \$2.50 to 3.00; dressed, \$4.50 to 5.00 per cwt.

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John Graham is the foremost man in American athletics. It was he who managed the successful team from this country that attracted world-wide attention in the recent Olympic games at Athens. Formerly trainer for Columbia college, then for Princeton and finally for Harvard university, Mr. Graham had much to do with raising the standard of collegiate sports. A small army of gentlemen have been guided by him since he left Harvard and took his present position, superintendent of the famous gymnasium of the Boston athletic association. Three of his proteges, White, Brewer and McCarthy, have just won the New England championship at the mile, quarter-mile and five-mile run. He has trained Weeks of Brown university, one of the best college sprinters in the country. Many another student of what makes men and women strong has used and has recommended Paine's celery compound as the best known remedy for those who are weak and dispirited, the overworked and enfeebled persons who are most concerned in the general awakening of interest in outdoor exercise and indoor attention to the proper rules of health. It was the ablest professor of medicine and surgery in any college, that giant among men, Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL. D., of Dartmouth

college, who after years of patient investigation and study, assisted by all that was best in the progress of medical science at home and abroad, first discovered the wonderful formula of Paine's celery compound. There was no doubt of the interest that would be awakened at once by the announcement of any discovery by Prof. Phelps. The formula from the first was furnished to the best physicians, and forthwith this remarkable Paine's celery compound was personally used and professionally prescribed by them. The result of the closest investigation might have been expected. It soon required a considerable industry to produce the remedy, and rapidly but steadily, without ceasing, the demand for Paine's celery compound has increased, until today there is no other remedy that in comparison begins to hold half the public attention that it holds. In untold number of cases where every other remedy has been tried and failed, Paine's celery compound has attained the wished-for results, making the weak strong, purifying the blood, rebuilding the worn-out nervous tissue, curing chronic sickness, proving a never-failing and permanent relief for rheumatism, neuralgia, kidney diseases and disorders of the liver, all due to the impairment of the person's nervous system, the consequent impoverishment of the blood and the breaking down in

consequence of some particular organ. When Mr. Graham, writing January 18, 1897, said: "I have used Paine's celery compound to my benefit, and I have no doubt that any person undergoing great physical and mental strain would find it of great service. For students especially it ought to be of great value." When so prominent a student of bodily health, who has no equal, unless, perhaps, one mentions Dr. Sargent of Harvard, with whose methods Mr. Graham became well acquainted at Harvard—when Mr. Graham says bluntly that after his experience he believes others would find Paine's celery compound of great service, what man or woman out of perfect health can afford to neglect his well considered and expert advice? There is no doubt that Paine's celery compound cleans the blood of eczema, salt rheum and such humors, not only in the spring, that is so favorable a time, but at any time during the year, so thoroughly that nothing further is ever heard of them. Paine's celery compound has been tested, tried, scrutinized and heartily approved by so many impartial physicians and men and women whose word in any matter would not be questioned for a moment, that one must be stubborn-minded indeed who prefers to mope around half sick instead of verifying these positive, straightforward statements.

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