

All Humors

Are impure matters which the skin, liver, kidneys and other organs can not take care of without help, there is such an accumulation of them. They litter the whole system. Pimples, boils, eczema and other eruptions, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, bilious turas, fits of indigestion, dull headaches and many other troubles are due to them.

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Remove all humors, overcome all their effects, strengthen, tone and invigorate the whole system. "I had salt rheum on my hands so that I could not work. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it drove out the humor. I continued its use till the sores disappeared." Mrs. Isa O. Snow, Rutherford Falls, Me. Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

Accounted For.

"How come yo' never see any cullid angels flyin' round in de story books?" "I dunno—onless is we has a close shave gittin' inter heaven we skerved them we turns white."—Exchange.

Compensations of Pastors.

From an open letter in the February Century. In the ministry, service and salary are not equal terms. The high office was not created for the advantage of the holder, and the calling is degraded into a mere profession when it is made the subject of money equivalents. The work of the ministry is more especially in the realm of the moral and spiritual, and therefore can never be "financially compensated in any exhaustive commercial sense." Nevertheless, the minister adapted by conduct and learning to his high calling ordinarily does have, and should have, a salary proportionate to the demands of the field he is tilling, and compensations far more satisfying and worthy of consideration than salaries.

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The Pe-ru-na Almanac.

The druggists have already been supplied with Pe-ru-na almanacs. There is sure to be a great demand for these almanacs on account of the articles on astrology which they contain. The subject of astrology is a very attractive one to most people. The articles on astrology in the Peruna almanac have been furnished by a very competent astrologist, and the mental characteristics of each sign is given, constituting almost a complete horoscope. A list of questions and answers on astrology sent free upon request. There will be a great rush for these books. Ask your druggist for one early before they are all gone.

DURANCE.

Frank Preston smart in February Century. When four walls bar me out from her Who makes the world for me, 'Tis I who am the prisoner And she the one that's free.

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Queen Bee Cough Drops. Are made of pure honey and menthol. They are pleasant and effective as a remedy for coughs and colds. Try a package. Sold by all druggists and confectioners. Two packages by mail on receipt of the stamp. Pacific Coast.

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Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

The Poor Rule.

A woter—Well, it's a poor rule that would work both ways, you know. Jiggins—I say it's a poor rule that would work any way. If it wasn't poor, it wouldn't have to work.

Modest Worth.

"I don't see," said the sensible girl, "how you could bring yourself to run around after that actor; such a conceited stick as he is." "You're mistaken," replied the matinee girl. "He's just as modest as he can be. Why, when I asked him whom he considered the greatest actor in the world he actually blushed, and replied that it wasn't for him to say."—Philadelphia Press.

A Natural Tendency.

"I guess Binx has just had a raise in salary," said the confirmed cynic. "Has anybody told you so?" "No, but he goes about saying he thinks the world is getting better, and that the danger from trusts is greatly magnified, and that human nature isn't so bad after all. That's the way a man nearly always talks just after he has had a raise in salary."—Washington Star.

Rocking Chairs Cause Insanity.

The rocking chair causes insanity, so it is said. In fact, physicians are claiming that rocking chairs are the cause of most of the nervous troubles from which women suffer, and are advising their relocation to any place where they will not be used.

FITS

Permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Williams' Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE \$2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Knapp, Ltd., 21 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Long Life of a Negro.

Frank Mitchell, a negro born in slavery 108 years ago, is still living at Akron, O., and has a vivid recollection of events that occurred in the first part of the last century. He has smoked and chewed tobacco for over 100 years.

A GOOD PULLER.

Wise Bros., the Portland Dentists, Do Some Original Pulling.

If this item pulls you to our office to have your tooth pulled, it will not hurt you to have the tooth pulled any more than it hurt you to have your inclinations pulled in our favor. If this talk fails to pull you in our direction, then we shall have so much less tooth-pulling to do, but we want lots of it. We send out our words urging you to take immediate care of your teeth. We try to pull your thoughts to the safe conclusion that it is best to have had teeth pulled out right away without any waiting; and when we pull the teeth it does not hurt you. Besides that, it does not pull much money from your pocket, for our charges are very moderate. This short talk on pulling we sincerely hope will pull you to our office, and, if you come, you will find that not any of these pulls hurt anyone. On the contrary, each and every one of them will do you and us good. You will see that we tell the truth when we say that dental work in our office is painless and inexpensive, and when you return to your home satisfied with our work we hope you will tell some of your friends about us. Wise Brothers, Failing Bldg., Third and Washington Sts., Portland, Oregon.

Mock Turtle Soup.

Boil a calf's liver and heart with a knuckle of veal for four hours, skimming well; then strain; chop the meat fine and add to it a chopped onion, salt, pepper and ground cloves to taste. Thicken a little with flour and cook a few minutes over a hot fire; when ready to serve, pour the soup over the yolks of four hard-boiled eggs, cut up, and a few slices of lemon.



Order in the Kitchens.

Keep everything in its proper place and have a place for everything. Prepare beforehand, and wash the dishes used in the preparation at once and get them out of the way before the meal is served. Wash each sauceman quickly as soon as it is emptied, and while it is moist. Scullery work is not an attractive occupation, but it must be done. If the cook has two granite dishpans, one filled with hot soapsuds, the other with clear boiling water, with a mop she can quickly clean every utensil, and rinse, dry and put it away.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Graham Muffins.

Dissolve three-quarters of a cake of compressed yeast in a quart of blood-warm milk. Into this stir a tablespoonful of melted butter, a teaspoonful of salt and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. In a large bowl mix three cups of graham flour with one cup of white flour, make a hollow in the center and pour in the liquid mixture. Mix thoroughly, set to rise over night and pour into greased muffin tins. Bake in a hot oven.

Ginger Cookies.

Put a cream a cup of butter and a cup of sugar; work in gradually a cup of molasses and a small teaspoonful of sour milk or buttermilk. Stir in an even teaspoonful of boiling soda dissolved in a little boiling water and heat all hard, adding, as you do so, two teaspoonfuls of ground ginger. Stir in enough flour to make a dough that can be rolled out, roll very thin, cut into rounds and bake in a good oven.

Parasit Fritters.

Wash and scrape them and cut in slices, cover them with boiling water, cook until tender, mash them through a colander, return them to the fire, add to two large parsnips a tablespoonful of butter, salt and pepper to taste, and one egg beaten well; mix thoroughly, remove from the fire, and when cool, make into small flat cakes and fry in a little batter. Serve hot.

Anchovy Appetizers.

Slice buttered bread very thin, remove the crust and cut into long, thin strips. Spread each strip with anchovy paste and serve as the first course at dinner.

Brief Suggestions.

Red tablecloths keep their color if a little borax is added to the rinse water and they are dried in the shade. To take stains out of knives take a piece of raw potato, dip it into brick dust and scour the blades with it. A lump of camphor should be kept in the plate chest, for it will render the stored-away silver less liable to tarnish.

The Term Spinster.

Among our industrial and frugal English forefathers it was a maxim that a young woman should never be married until she had spun herself a set of body, table and bed linen. From this custom all unmarried women were termed spinsters, an appellation they still retain in all our law proceedings.

London's Mixture.

It is said that there are more Irishmen in London than there are in Dublin, more Scotch than there are in Edinburgh, and that half of Soho is French and the whole of Saffron hill Italian.

Breathing.

Persons breathe less when they are concentrating their minds on study or work and also when under the influence of depressing emotion. On the other hand, we breathe more when exhilarated by pleasure and amusements.

Diamonds that Explode.

It has long been known that diamonds, especially the class known as "rose diamonds," are likely to explode if subjected only to what would seem a very ordinary degree of heat. It is now believed that the explosions are the result of the rapid expansion of certain volatile liquids included in cavities near the center of these precious stones. A great many diamonds, even though cut, mounted and worn as gems of perfection, are still in an unfinished condition—that is, the liquid drop from which the stone is being formed has not as yet deposited all of its "pure crystals of carbon." These movable drops may occasionally be seen with the naked eye.

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DYSPEPSIA OF WOMEN.



Mrs. E. B. Bradshaw, of Guthrie, Okla., cured of a severe case by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Olives.

Do you like olives? You have to learn to like them, of course, but you will be sorry you did not cultivate a taste for them before—particularly if you let your grocer send you a bottle of the Monopole variety. Monopole olives are the largest which come to this country. They are also the most luscious and tenderest which the far famed olive groves of Spain produce. Be sure you secure this brand from your dealer. Washburn & Kerr Bros., Monopole Grocers and Dry Coffee Roasters, Portland, Oregon.

Collisions to Avoid.

Jack—We live in a wonderfully free age. Jonas—Oh, I don't know; our ancestors were afraid of Indians and bears, but we go around town in mortal fear of electric cars and automobiles.—Detroit Free Press.

Color in the Arctic.

The leading color pictures in the February Century—the most novel and curious in subject of any that magazine has yet published—are from interesting and beautiful studies of the arctic borealis made by Frank Wilbert Stokes while in the Arctic in the fall of 1892, and are richly worthy the subject. They reproduce in print for the first time in a popular magazine the wonderful effects of the aurora. Mr. Stokes, probably the first real colorist to visit the Arctic regions, was with the Peary and relief expeditions on the Kite when he was privileged to see some color displays worth all the dangers and privations of the trip. His word painting is as vivid and interesting as his color work.

For coughs and colds there is no better medicine than Pisco's Cure for Consumption. Price 25 cents.

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A PINK CANDLE.

The Shopper was Very Particular, and in a Great Hurry. A decorous but urgent crowd of women was gathered round a counter where decorated candles were on sale at reduced prices, when a piercing voice from the edge of the crowd made known a wish.

"I want a pink candle!" came the plaint. "I have to catch a train. Can't you show me a pink candle?" At first the saleswoman paid no heed, but as the demand was repeated again and again, she finally said, "As soon as I can I will look, madam. I think the pink candles are all gone."

"Oh," wailed the woman on the edge of the crowd, "are you sure? I don't want a white one! I want a pink candle!" "Can't you find me a pink candle? I have to catch a train," came two minutes later from the voice, which was now nearer the counter. "You don't seem to have anything but white ones."

"In a minute, madam," said the saleswoman; and at last, by virtue of two women volunteering to wait until the impatient customer was served, the applicant for the pink candle reached the counter.

"You wouldn't wish one of these white ones with the pink roses?" asked the saleswoman, rummaging in her boxes. "I said I wished a pink candle," came in an injured tone. "I don't know how many times I need to say it."

"Would this one do?" The saleswoman at last produced a pink candle, somewhat jammed at the lower end. "That! No, of course not! I must have a perfect one."

"There was another interval during which the saleswoman was out of sight under the counter. When she rose again, flushed but triumphant, she disclosed a little package still in its wrappings. It proved to be a candle of pale pink, fresh and unnumbered in any way. "There, madam!" she said, wearily. "I've found this one candle that had been overlooked. Twenty-five cents, please."

"Wait!" said the woman, imperative. "I—I think I'd rather have a white one, after all, now that I've seen both. You know you never can tell what you don't want until you've seen it. Yes, I'll take one of the white candles, and please hurry, for I have to catch a train."

QUEER STORIES

At present the proportion of working time is smaller in Britain than in any other nation. The assertion is true alike in respect of agriculture, of industry, of shopkeeping, of commerce and of the professions.

Statistics of the fatal accidents in the Alps for the last ten years show a total of 275. Of the 321 deaths which resulted from the 275 fatal accidents, 190 were Germans or Austrians, 48 Swis, 23 Italians, 18 Englishmen, 15 Frenchmen and 27 of other nationalities. Seven of those killed were women, 73 were guides and 14 porters.

Prof. Woodward has gone over the calculations of Laplace by the aid of modern data, and concludes that though in theory the length of the day on earth must be increasing, owing to the increasing mass of the planet due to the constant deposit of meteors, etc., yet the change is so infinitesimal that there has not been a half second of difference in ten million years.

An improved machine for sealing envelopes has been invented by a man in Topeka, Kan. "In operation," says the Scientific American, "the envelopes are fed into the machine, the flaps moistened, turned, and finally pressed tightly to sealing position. The machine, it is claimed, will seal from eight thousand to fifteen thousand envelopes per hour of any ordinary kind, mixed sizes, and especially adjusted will seal at about the same rate up to one-half inch in thickness."

A veteran of the Spanish war recently appealed to the Secretary of the Interior in a case in which he claimed a pension on account of corns that he had contracted by wearing army shoes. The department, after an exhaustive course of reasoning, comes to the conclusion that corns are not a pensionable disability. The decision says: "Corns are inconvenient, but are seldom incapacitating, and when they are the remedy is simple and within the reach of any one. The soldier's patriotism ought not to terminate with his military service. It should prompt him to go to a chiropodist rather than to the pension bureau."

The eminent French scientist, Flammarion and Berbet, have, by permission of the French government, been repeating Foucault's famous experiments with the pendulum to the Pantheon in Paris. Foucault's original pendulum was used. It consists of a lead ball weighing fifty-six pounds on the end of a wire 210 feet long. It takes the pendulum eight seconds to swing one way, or sixteen seconds to make a complete beat. Its apparent path changes constantly, at a rate which would cause its plane of vibration to pass through a complete circle in twenty-four hours—thus verifying the rotation of the earth.

"Nebulous stars probably represent the earliest phase of stellar evolution," says Agnes M. Clerke, in Knowledge. "They irresistibly suggest incipience; they have seemingly not yet fully appropriated the material allotted for their construction. In the course of a few or many millenniums, they will, it is reasonable to suppose, have absorbed the outstanding supply and will shine as finished suns."

There is at present no reason to suppose, however, Miss Clerke thinks, that the stars that appear as nebulæ of planetary and annular nebulae emit gaseous radiations. "Those that do—and they are very few—are palpably not stars, but condensed wisps of cosmic haze."

Spiritual Adjustment. Mrs. Cle—Our new rector is not at all worldly. Mr. Cle—Well, he will have to tone our parish down. Mrs. Cle—Oh, no; our parish will have to tone him up.—Life.

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