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For coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma, weak throats, weak lungs, consumption, take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Always keep a bottle of it in the house. We have been saying this for 60 years, and so have the doctors.

The Lungs

Daily action of the bowels is necessary. Aid nature with Ayer's Pills.

A Wish Easily Gratified.

They were spending the autumn in the Pennsylvania mountains, and a shooting expedition had been planned for the next day. The talk naturally turned on the prospects for various sorts of game.

"We miss the spice of danger that gives zest to hunting in the Far West," one of the younger members of the party began, a little pompously.

"Ah, and it is danger will your sport you like?" earnestly returned the old German farmer, who was to act as guide. "Den you keeps close by me, str. De last time I have sport I shoots mine bruder-in-law in de leg. I gladly takes you unter mine own wing," he concluded, in all seriousness.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for the case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A University Fund.

President Hadley of Yale University recently established a fund of \$1,000, being the money received by him for giving the Dodge lectures at Yale last year, less certain expenses. This fund is to be held by the treasurer of Yale under the condition that it may be drawn upon for university uses at the discretion of the president, says the New York Tribune. It is planned by the president to add to this amount any sums he may receive from the university while president for delivering lectures or for other services over and above his regular salary.

Piso's Cure is a good cough medicine. It has cured coughs and colds for forty years. At druggists, 25 cents.

Still Able to Attend to Business.

"I told Uncle Simon that he was getting too old and feeble to attend to business."

"Did he take it kindly?"

"He threw me out of his office."—Vanity Fair.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All drug stores refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

A Yacht for Sale.

"What kind of sail are you going to use on your yacht next year?" asked the enthusiast.

"Sherriff's, I guess," replied the owner, who had just looked over the steward's accounts.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

Two Views.

First Workingman—Look at the inequality. Mr. Million, who lives not ten squares from this corner, has a dog house which cost \$5,000. What do you think of that?

Second Workingman—I think it's a good thing he wanted it. For I built it for him, and made \$1,000 out of it.

FITS Permanently Cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free Trial Bottle and Treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ltd., 21 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

The Chicago board of health asserts that a large percentage of sufferers from Bright's disease are those who indulge in what is called high living. People who live on plain food and lead temperate lives rarely have the disease.

CHRONIC SORES

Wheeling, W. Va., May 25, 1903.

Some years ago while at work, I fell over a truck and severely injured both of my shins. My blood became poisoned as a result, and the doctor told me I would have running sores for life, and that if they were healed up the result would be fatal. Under this discouraging report I left off their treatment and resorted to the use of S. S. S. Its effects were prompt and gratifying. It took only a short while for the medicine to entirely cure up the sores, and I am not dead as the doctors intimated, nor have the sores ever broke out again. Some 12 years have elapsed since what I have described occurred. Having been so originally benefited by its use I can heartily recommend it as the one great blood purifier.

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Chronic sores start often from a pimple, scratch, bruise or boil, and while salves, washes and powders are beneficial, the unhealthy matter in the blood must be driven out or the sore will continue to eat and spread. S. S. S. reaches these old sores through the blood, removes all impurities and poisons, builds up the entire system and strengthens the circulation. S. S. S. is a blood purifier and tonic combined. Contains no mineral whatever but is guaranteed purely vegetable. If you have an old sore write us and our physicians will advise without charge. Dook on diseases of the Blood free.

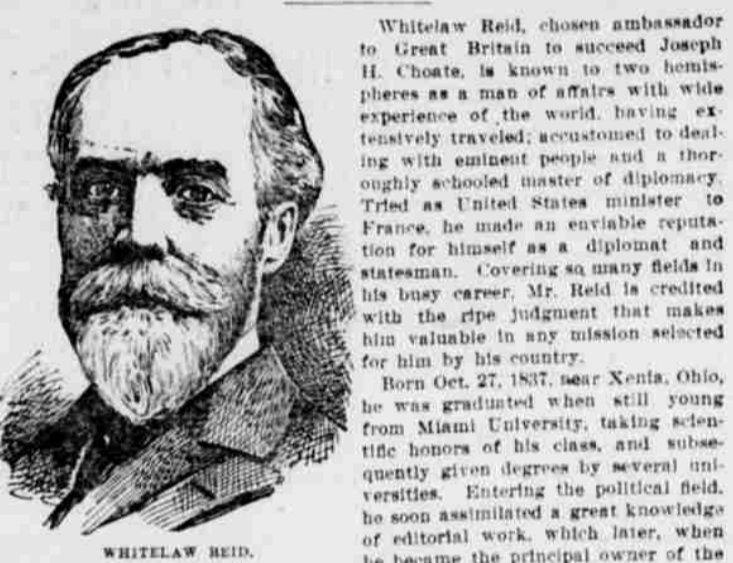
The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.



AN EPISODE IN THE DEFENSE OF PORT ARTHUR.

There were days when the Japanese guns scarcely ceased to shell the fortress from dawn till night. The gallant defenders stuck to their work in spite of the terrific bombardment. Sometimes, indeed, a gun was only silenced because, as in the illustration, there was none left alive to man it. The picture was drawn from a sketch by a correspondent of the London Graphic.

NEW AMBASSADOR TO GREAT BRITAIN.



WHITELAW REID.

New York Tribune after Mr. Greeley's death, brought him into international prominence. Mr. Reid took the stump for General Fremont. In the Civil War he was volunteer aid-de-camp to General Rosecrans in the West Virginia campaign; was war correspondent with the armies of the Cumberland and of the Potomac, and witnessed the battles of Shiloh and Gettysburg.

From 1863 to 1896 he was "librarian" to the House of Representatives and correspondent at Washington for the Cincinnati Gazette, of which paper he subsequently became a part owner, after trying his hand in the fields of Alabama and Louisiana as a cotton planter. In 1898 the literary and newspaper work of Mr. Reid came so favorably to the attention of Horace Greeley that this famous editor invited Mr. Reid to come to New York and associate himself with him on the Tribune.

When Mr. Greeley was candidate for President he played the paper in Mr. Reid's charge. In 1892 Mr. Reid was candidate for Vice President on the Republican ticket with Mr. Harrison.

As minister to France and when special ambassador to Great Britain for the jubilee of Victoria, and later to the coronation of King Edward, as well as commissioner to Paris for the treaty of peace between Spain and the United States, Mr. Reid received warm welcomes. His list of publications, including works on war and expansion, have made him famous among savants.

THE COMMUNISTIC CHICKEN.

Mr. Sanderson and his wife were picking their way across the small plot of ground which separates their home from that of the Mitchells, at whose house they had just had dinner. "Most agreeable people," commented Mr. Sanderson, genially, "and an excellent dinner."

"Yes," said Mrs. Sanderson, not very enthusiastically.

"Those brothers were perfect," continued Mr. Sanderson. "I wonder why we can't have such chickens? Oh, I believe he said they were of his own raising, didn't he?"

"Yes," Mrs. Sanderson replied with a wakening spirit, "that was what he said, and it vexed me so I could hardly keep still."

"Vexed you?" questioned Mr. Sanderson.

"Yes, and it would vex you if you had any spunk," returned Mrs. Sanderson. "We raised those chickens, James Sanderson!"

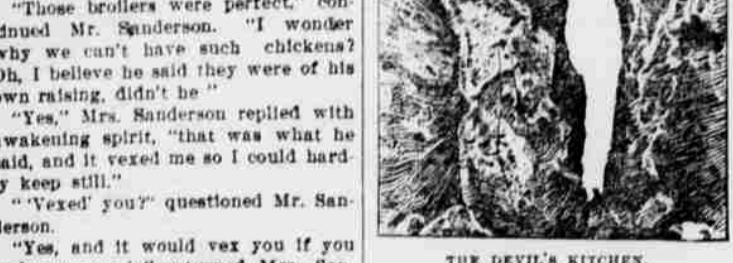
"What do you mean?" asked Mr. Sanderson, in bewilderment. "We've never had a chicken on our place."

"Yes, we have—the Mitchells' chickens have been there all summer!" retorted Mrs. Sanderson. "If it hadn't been for my garden those brothers wouldn't have been half so fine. And when everybody was praising them, all I could think of was the garden seeds and vegetables those birds have devoured since they were hatched in the spring! And there Mr. Mitchell sat, and took all those compliments as calmly as if they really belonged to him!"

"It think it was very poor taste," Mrs. Sanderson concluded, with dignity, "with us right there at the table. It would have been merely decent to have bought chickens when we dined there."

The women don't know it, but there really isn't as much excitement going on all day down town as there is in taking a cake from the oven.

A man can get sick now almost as easy as he can sin, and you all know how easy that is.



THE DEVIL'S KITCHEN.

The Devil's Kitchen, near Bethesda, in the northern part of Wales, is the best known spot in the Welsh mountain region. It has only, strictly speaking, been ascended twice. It is a deep mountain gorge between two lofty peaks, and its sides are so precipitous that they offer little encouragement to the mountain climber, however venturesome he may be. Notwithstanding the apparent foolhardiness of the undertaking, several persons have made the attempt. The rope shown in the cut marks the place from which a recent climber fell and lost his life. He was an Englishman named Hudson, and he had been warned repeatedly of the danger of the ascent. The authorities have taken measures to prevent a repetition of the accident.

A Subtle Distinction.

"Did the critics like your performance of Hamlet?"

"The critics," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, "liked it. But a large number of persons who assume to be critics did not."—Washington Star.

It is better to keep in the old rut than to climb out only to fall in the ditch by the wayside.

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A RESOURCEFUL WOMAN.

A year passed as a prisoner in a small city bedroom never visited by the sun, and making up in noise what it lacked in light, would be a severe punishment for most women. But a woman who had gone through a long imprisonment in her home, made necessary by a fall, and had come out again into active life, surprised a prosperous friend by saying, "Oh, I enjoyed myself all those months."

"Enjoyed yourself! What do you mean?" asked her friend.

"I enjoyed myself," answered the convalescent. "I had little else to give me pleasure, and so I just studied my own resources. I did not know I had so many of them. Most of them I owe to my mother, who taught me so many occupations when I was a child. I knitted and I netted and I made tatting, I crocheted and I embroidered, and I drew—very badly—the trees and clouds outside my window. I repeated poetry and the Bible. I worked out charades and enigmas. Best of all, I read and read and read. It seemed rather hard at the time that I could not have all the books I wanted. But now I know that I relished the more those I did have, and I read them until I knew them almost by heart. So it was a good year, after all."

The multiplication of resources is a wonderful defense against many of the trials which life holds for a woman. Each new power of mind and of hand is a new weapon against weariness, and a new guaranty that the possessor shall be capable under all circumstances of enjoying herself.

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A Regular Horse-Show.

"Horse" is the miner's term for a body of worthless rock which sometimes displaces ore and makes a rich vein poor. The Chicago News has an anecdote of the late Clarence King, who was sent to inspect a mine in the Far West.

One of the owners telegraphed King to visit the mine immediately and telegraph the results of his examination, especially in regard to an alarming rumor that the value of the vein had been much impaired by finding in it a very large "horse."

When King came out of the mine after his inspection, he found another telegram waiting for him from his impatient friend, asking, "Is it true there is a 'horse' in the mine?" To which he promptly replied:

"The mine is a perfect livery stable."

Shopping Traits.

A London paper quotes a shopgirl as saying that the Englishwoman can generally be persuaded to take this or that, whether she wants it or not, and that she does not often see that she gets value for her money. The English are also courteous and considerate on the other hand, give the greatest trouble of all. They are afraid of being cheated, they want to make sure before they buy that they could not get the same thing for less money elsewhere, and they are never courteous. As shoppers it is Frenchwomen, however, who command the greatest admiration, we are told. They always know exactly what they want and will take nothing else.

Millions in Oats.

Salzer's New National Oats yielded in Mich., 240 bu., in Mo., 255 bu., in N. D., 31 bu., and in 30 other states from 150 to 300 bu. per acre. Now this Oat if generally grown in 1905, will add millions of bushels to the yield and millions of dollars to the farmer's purse!

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Lost at the Last Place.

The absent-minded man and his umbrella continue to promote the gaiety of nations. They figure entertainingly in an article in a German magazine on Prof. Max von Pettenkofer, who has been called the founder of scientific hygiene.

The professor's absent-mindedness had no narrow or restricted range; it covered everything; but umbrellas seemed to be his specialty. He lost a fortune in umbrellas, for he seldom came back with what he had taken away.

Once, however, he made a trip as far as England, and was very proud of having actually succeeded in bringing back his umbrella to Germany. At Augsburg he stopped on business, but sent a telegram saying:

"At 6 o'clock I return with my umbrella."

He did return at 6 o'clock, but as he entered his house at Munich he saw to his dismay that he had no umbrella. He had left it at the telegraph office.

Belgium's Suffrage Law.

Under the Belgian law, unmarried men over 25 have one vote, married men and widowers with families have two votes, and priests and other persons of position and education have three votes. Severe penalties are imposed on those who fail to vote.

That Explained It.

Prond Parent—And just think—she plays that away and never tuck a lesson in her life!

Bored Guest—Oh, that's what's the matter, is it?—Baltimore American.

It takes a college graduate about 20 years to learn how little he knows.

Humorous

She—Are you sure you love me for myself alone? He—Did you think I loved you for your mother?—Somerville Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. Nubride have joined the church. "Why not? Turn about's fair play; didn't the church join them?"—Philadelphia Press.

Lady—Did you ever feel as though you'd like to work? Trump—Yes'm. I wouldn't mind being lineman for a wireless telegraph company.—Judge.

"Brainleigh tells me he is writing a popular novel." "Yes, his doctors insisted on his resting his mind for a while!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

He Got It: The Woman—No, I can't give you a meal. The Tramp—I didn't think you could, mum; you look too young and inexperienced to know how to cook.—New York Sun.

Church—I see the Attorney General is going to stop all this guessing business in the newspapers. Gotham—Whom do you suppose that's aimed at? The weather bureau!—Yonkers Statesman.

Lucky Stars: "I've had a very successful season," said the prosperous-looking theatrical manager. "Well, you can thank your stars for that," replied the seedy-looking manager.—Yonkers Statesman.

He—Do you remember your old school friend, Sophy Smythe? She—Yes, indeed, I do. A most absurd-looking thing. So silly, too! What became of her? He—Oh, nothing. Only—I married her.—Boston Globe.

Mamma—Fighting again, Willie? Did I tell you to stop and count one hundred whenever you were angry? Willie—But it didn't do any good, ma. Look what the Jones boy did while I counted!—Harper's Bazar.

Cholly—So Miss Tartum loosened up and said a good word about me, did she? Archie—Yes; she said that when one got better acquainted with you one found you were not half as big a fool as you appeared to be.—Chicago Tribune.

One Advantage: Rimer—Do you really prefer to have long poems sent in to you rather than short ones? Editor—Yes. When they're long, you see, I don't have to think up any other excuse for rejecting them.—Philadelphia Press.

"I don't believe the woman who recently moved into the flat across the hall is any better than she should be," remarked Mrs. Naggsby. "Of course not, my dear," rejoined Naggsby; "who ever heard of a woman that was?"—St. Louis Star.

Miss Plane—Yes, Tom proposed last night, and I accepted him. See this ring—Miss Wise—Indeed? By the way, dear, don't attempt to cut glass with that diamond, as I did, or you'll make another nick in the stone.—Philadelphia Press.

The Child—Aunt Mary, nurse says when it thunders, it's the Lord scolding us. Aunt Mary—Perhaps it is, dear. The Child—Well, I don't see what he's got to be so mad about. I've done everything to-day 'cept brush my teeth.—Brooklyn Life.

Wife—Henry, what makes you in such a furious temper? Husband—I'm trying to read a Scotch dialect story. The plot is fearfully exciting, but I can't hurdle over the language fast enough to keep up with the hero!—Detroit Free Press.

Rural Adorer (bashfully)—You didn't go to Millie Meadow's party, did you? You like kissin' games? Pretty Maid—No, I don't. Rural Adorer (weakly)—Why don't you? Pretty Maid (encouragingly)—'Cause there's so many lookin' on.—New York Weekly.

He (reading about the latest society wedding)—They have a lot to say about what the bride wears, but they have nothing to say about the poor bridegroom. She—They have no need to, because it is a well-known fact that he usually wears a worried look.—Boston Globe.

Madame (in a busy street in Paris)—Oh, M. l'Agent, is it true that it is dangerous to stand with the foot on the electric trolley? M. l'Agent—No, madame, it is not dangerous so long as you do not stand with one foot on the line and the other on the overhead wire.—Plick Me Up.

Miss Flytry—Jack Hanson was telling me about a romantic adventure he had at the party last night. It seems he bumped into a girl in a dark hallway and kissed her; and he doesn't know yet—Miss Elders—Oh! tee-tee! That was I, Miss Flytry—What? Oh, for goodness sake, don't tell him now. Let him have his romance.—Philadelphia Press.

Miss Hommley—Didn't you hear Miss Knox tell me yesterday that I was "the homeliest girl in our set"? Miss Goodley—Yes, the hateful thing! I gave her a piece of my mind about it afterward. Miss Hommley—Oh! did you? I hope you weren't too hard on her. Miss Goodley—Well, I told her she ought to consider how sensitive you must be about it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Perfectly Congenial: Naggsby—When a man and his wife think the same thoughts simultaneously, it is a sign that they are exceedingly congenial. Waggaby—So? Well, then, my wife and I are congenial all right, for the other night, when she said that she wondered why I'd ever been such a fool as to marry her, I had been sitting there in silence for half an hour wondering over the same identical thing.—Baltimore American.

COL. BECKWITH SAYS:

"I Take Pleasure in Commending Pe-ru-na For Coughs and Colds."

COL. PAUL E. BECKWITH.

Colonel Paul E. Beckwith, Lt. Col., retired, 1st Reg. Minute Men, in a letter from 1503 Vermont Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes:

"From the unqualified endorsement of many of my friends, I take pleasure in commending your remedies for coughs and colds."—Paul E. Beckwith.

Peruna has always been a great favorite with the military men, both in the army and navy.

The strongest kind of testimonials are received from officers of high rank concerning the virtues of Peruna for all catarrhal ailments.

Only a small per cent. of these can be used for publication for want of space.

Mr. Harrison L. Deam, Burnside Post No. 8, Department of the Potomac, Colonel Encampment No. 69, Union Veterans Legion, Colonel Green Clay Smith Regiment No. 17, U. V. U., Department of the Potomac, Military Order of Loyal Legion, Department of Columbia, Major 5th Indiana Veteran Volunteer Infantry, writes:

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