

# Blood Humors

Commonly cause pimples, boils, hives, eczema or salt rheum, or some other form of eruption; but sometimes they exist in the system, indicated by feelings of weakness, languor, loss of appetite, or general debility, without causing any breaking out.

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**One to Follow.**  
"I'll give you a good two-foot rule if you want it," said the painter.  
"Hand it over," rejoined the carpenter.  
"Don't wear tight shoes," said the painter, with a large, open-face grin.

**The Artist's Brush.**  
"Mr. De Jones said I was a perfect picture," said the first dear girl.  
"Yes," rejoined dear girl No. 2. "He asked me if your maid wasn't a professional painter."

What is said to be the largest telegraph circuit in the world is that between London and Teheran, the capital of Persia. It is 4,000 miles long and is divided into twelve sections.

Within the last four years France has recorded 26,000 suicides, while in Italy the number has been only 8,000.



### HOUSEHOLD TALKS

**Sauce for Different Meats.**  
Corned beef, mustard.  
Roast pork, apple sauce.  
Roast lamb, mint sauce.  
Roast duck, orange salad.  
Fried beef, horseradish.  
Roast chicken, bread sauce.  
Roast mutton, currant jelly.  
Lobster cutlet, sauce tartare.  
Roast goose, tart apple sauce.  
Port croquettes, tomato sauce.  
Roast ptarmigan, bread sauce.  
Fried chicken, cream gravy, corn fritters.  
Pork sausage, tart apple sauce or fried apples.  
Roast turkey, chestnut dressing, cranberry jelly.  
Roast venison, black currant jelly or grape jelly.  
Veal sausage, tomato sauce grated Parmesan cheese.  
Roast canvasback duck, apple bread, black currant jelly.  
Cold boiled tongue, sauce tartare or olives stuffed with peppers.  
Roast quail, currant jelly, celery sauce.  
Sweetbread cutlet, sauce bechamel.  
Heedbirds, fried hominy, white celery.  
With roast beef, grated horseradish.  
With roast veal, tomato or horse radish sauce.

**Farina Jelly.**  
Boil one pint of new milk; while boiling sprinkle in slowly one-eighth pound of farina; continue the boiling for an hour (use double boiler); season with one-half teaspoon of sugar with a saltspoonful of salt mixed through it. When done remove from fire; add, as soon as it cools somewhat, one-half teaspoonful of vanilla, drop by drop, beating well to mix it in. Turn into a wet mold. Set on ice when cool. Serve with whipped cream sweetened and flavored with vanilla; or with any kind of preserve or sweet jelly and cream; or with fruit juice.

**Cheese and Tomato Omelet.**  
Beat six eggs very light and pour them into a buttered omelet pan and cook until set, sprinkling with salt and pepper. When ready to fold, lay on the omelet slices of tomato and sprinkle these thickly with cheese. Fold the omelet upon them, transfer to a hot dish and pour over and around the omelet a white sauce into which two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese have been stirred. Serve immediately.

**Currant Bread.**  
Scald a pint of milk and beat into it a teaspoonful each of melted butter and salt. When the mixture is lukewarm add a half yeast cake, dissolved in warm water, and enough flour to make a good batter. Set in a warm place to rise for eight hours, then beat hard, adding a cup of flour. Work in a cup of stemmed currants well dredged with flour, make into a loaf, set to rise until light and bake.

**Waffles.**  
Dissolve a half yeast cake in a gill of lukewarm water. Beat four eggs light, add a pint of sweet milk, a tablespoonful of sugar, three tablespoonfuls of melted butter, three cupfuls of flour sifted with a half teaspoonful of salt, and, lastly, the dissolved yeast. Beat long and hard, set in a warm place to rise, and when light bake in greased waffle irons.

**Kidney with Tomato Sauce.**  
Cut in small pieces a fresh kidney, and fry in hot lard. When almost done add to it a sliced onion, half a cup of tomatoes and a slice of ham. Let all fry together and when done add a spoonful of flour, a piece of red pepper and a spoonful of chopped garlic and parsley. Thin with a little water; season with salt and boil a few minutes.

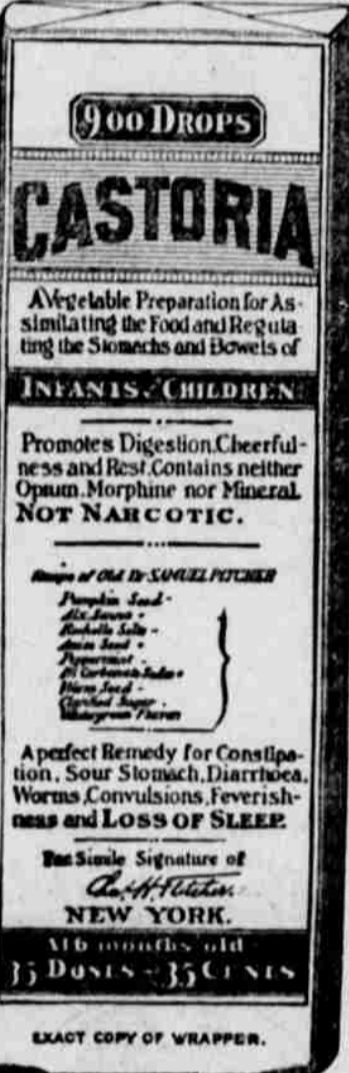
**Broiling Mushrooms.**  
To broil mushrooms put them, after they are cleaned, gill side down in a wire broiler and keep them over the fire for about five minutes. At the end of the time turn them over, put a dot of butter inside each, sprinkle with salt and pepper and cook for five minutes longer. Serve cup side up on toast.

**Rice and Cheese Balls.**  
Add half a cupful of hard-grated cheese to a pint of boiled rice, season with salt and a dash of cayenne. Add a well-beaten egg and moisten with cream sauce. Form into small balls, egg and bread crumb them and fry in deep fat.

**Improving Apple Jelly.**  
Apple jelly is apt to be very flat and tasteless unless combined with some stronger flavoring. This may be varied to suit different tastes in the family by using in one lot lemon juice, in another pineapple an dia a third quinces.

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Mrs. Highmus—Why do you mention it? He's only the second son of a crown prince, anyway.—Chicago Tribune.

# SKIN DISEASES HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

When the blood is pure, fresh and healthy, the skin will be soft, smooth and free from blemishes, but when some acid humor takes root in the circulation its presence is manifested by a skin eruption or disease. These humors get into the blood, generally because of an inactive or sluggish condition of the members of the body whose duty it is to collect and carry off the waste and refuse matter of the system. This unhealthy matter is left to rot and ferment and soon the circulation becomes charged with the acid poison. The blood begins to throw off the humors and acids through the pores and glands of the skin, producing Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and skin eruptions of various kinds. Eczema appears, usually with a slight redness of the skin followed by pustules from which there flows a sticky fluid that dries and forms a crust, and the itching is intense. It is generally on the back, breast, face, arms and legs, though other parts of the body may be affected. In Tetter the skin dries, cracks and bleeds; the acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, which are intended to keep it soft and pliant, causing a dry, feverish condition and giving it a hard, leathery appearance. Acne makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and black heads, while Psoriasis comes in scaly patches on different parts of the body. One of the worst forms of skin trouble is Salt Rheum; its favorite point of attack is the scalp, sometimes causing baldness. Poison Oak and Ivy are also disagreeable types of skin disease. The humor producing the trouble lies dormant in the blood through the Winter to break out and torment the sufferer with the return of Spring. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and removes the humors so that the skin instead of being irritated and diseased, is nourished by a supply of fresh, healthy blood. External applications of salves, washes, lotions, etc., while they soothe the itching caused by skin affections, can never cure the trouble because they do not reach the blood. S. S. S. goes down into the circulation and forces out every particle of foreign matter and restores the blood to its normal, pure condition, thereby permanently curing every form of skin affection. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

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