

# To Build You Up for Spring

Begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla today. It will do you good. The heavier living and closer confinement of the winter, the effects of colder, damp, changeable weather on the pores of the skin, and the harder work of this season are probably telling on you.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken just now, will give your system just what it needs and must have, and will help you over this hard spot—the rough ground, as it were—and quite likely save you from a serious illness later.

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It effects its wonderful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial values of more than 20 different ingredients, each greatly strengthened and enriched by this peculiar combination. These ingredients are the very remedies successful physicians prescribe for the same diseases and ailments.

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**A FULL POUND 25c. Get it from your Grocer**

**A Definition.**  
Cobb—What's the difference between vision and sight?  
Dobb—See those two girls across the street?  
Cobb—Yes.  
Dobb—Well, the pretty one I would call a vision, but the other one—she's a sight.

**Only One "BROMO QUININE"**  
That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the world over to cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

**Side Lights on History.**  
Amelia Bloomer had invented the costume that bears her name.  
"I wanted to make something as unlike the sheath gown as possible," she explained.

**FITS** St. Vitus' Dance and other nervous troubles. Sufferers should get Dr. J. C. King's Great Nerve Restorer. Sold for \$2.00 a bottle and \$10.00 a dozen. Dr. J. C. King, 222 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

**Nothing Doing.**  
Floorwalker—Can I do anything for you, madam?  
Mrs. Kieptomeyer—No, thanks. I don't wish to buy. I'm just out shopping—Judge.

**Pettit's Eye Salve 100 Years Old.** relieves tired eyes, quickly cures eye aches, inflamed, sore, watery or ulcerated eyes. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

**Simplified.**  
Slug 47—How do you spell—  
Old Fashioned Proofreader—Any way you please. All rules of spelling have been abolished.

**Expert Judgment.**  
"I sometimes think" remarked the regular patron, "that the snare drummer should be the best musician in the theater orchestra."  
"He usually is," said the drummer.

**PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS**  
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

**Free Entertainment.**  
Mrs. Mooner—I always make it a point to go shopping early in the morning.  
Mrs. Spooner—To avoid the rush?  
Mrs. Mooner—No; I like to listen to the shop girls telling each other their dreams.

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

**Wronged.**  
"Of course, you got the copyright," they said, "on your famous song."  
"I did not," said the luckless writer; "they printed my copy wrong."

**Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna**

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# PROVISIONS OF BILL

## New Tariff Measure Goes Before House of Representatives.

### PROVIDES FOR INHERITANCE TAX

Steel and Lumber Rates Are Cut One Half—Coal is Placed on Free List.

Washington, March 18.—Downward revision, maximum and minimum provisions which impose an average maximum duty 20 per cent in excess of the present tariff and numerous provisions by which it is estimated that the revenue to the government will be increased from \$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000, are the salient features of the new tariff bill which was introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Seno E. Payne, chairman of the ways and means committee.

The recommendations made by President Taft that an inheritance tax be provided and that a limited amount of tobacco and sugar be admitted free from the Philippines are included in the bill. The measure also provides for the issuance of Panama canal bonds to the amount of \$40,000,000 to reimburse the treasury for the original purchase of the canal and re-entails the provisions for the issue of treasury certificates, the amount being increased from \$100,000,000 to \$250,000,000.

While there is no duty imposed upon coffee, tea is taxed 8 cents when imported from the country where it is produced and 9 cents when from other than the producing country. The internal revenue tax on cigarettes is materially increased, while the tax on beer and whisky is undisturbed. A cut of 50 per cent is made in the steel and lumber schedules and iron ore, hides, tallow, cottonseed oil and works of art more than 20 years old are placed on the free list.

The tariff on boots and shoes is reduced 40 per cent, and on other leather manufactures in proportion. The pottery schedule remains about the same, but the duties on window and plate glass of the smaller sizes are increased, while the duties on the larger sizes are reduced. The tariff on wool of the first and second class, used in clothing principally, is not disturbed, but on wool of the third class, known as carpet wool, it is reduced on the cheaper grades. A 5-cent reduction is made in the duties on shoddy, and waste white wool tops are assessed 6 cents a pound more than the duty on scoured wool, which is unchanged.

The recommendations for placing wood pulp on the free list and reducing the duties on print paper, with certain restrictions made by the Mann committee of the house are incorporated in the bill. The duty on refined sugar is reduced .04 of a cent a pound, and on dextrin 1/2 cent a pound. A reduction of 1/2 cent a pound is also made in the duty on starch, with the exception of potato starch. Zinc ore is assessed 1 cent per pound for the zinc contained. The tariff on pig iron is reduced from \$4 to \$2 per ton.

The principal increases are made on lemons, cocoa and substitutes for coffee, coal tar dyes, gloves and coated papers and lithograph prints. As was expected, the new tariff bill is made on a maximum and minimum basis, with the provision that the maximum rates are not to go into effect until 60 days after the passage of the bill. The reciprocity provisions are contained in the paragraphs assessing duties on bituminous coal and coke and agricultural implements, by which these articles are given entry free of duty when imported from countries which permit the free importation of these articles from America.

The inheritance tax provision of the bill is similar to the New York state law. It provides a tax of 5 per cent on all inheritances over \$500 that are collateral inheritances, or in which strangers are the legatees. In cases of direct inheritance the taxes prescribed are:

On \$10,000 to \$100,000, 1 per cent; on \$100,000 to \$500,000, 2 per cent; and on those over \$500,000, 3 per cent. It is estimated that \$20,000,000 annually will be derived from this tax.

The maximum and minimum provisions of the bill do away with the necessity of continuing the foreign trade agreements. The abrogation of these is provided for in a section which authorizes the president to issue notices of the termination of these agreements within 10 days after the bill goes into effect. The French agreement would therefore terminate immediately, while the German agreement would remain in force for six months.

**Revolt Under Control.**  
Havana, March 18.—The indications tonight are that the government is in a fair way to crush promptly the incipient revolution that broke out in the province of Santa Clara Monday night. Palace officials announced that the father of two members of the band of insurgents had visited General Montesaquedo, chief of the guard at Camaguey, and told him that the insurgents implored the clemency of the government and were anxious to surrender, on the promise that their lives would be spared.

**Extent of Strike Hidden.**  
London, March 18.—The demoralization of the Paris postal and telegraphic service is becoming a serious matter for the rest of the world. The French authorities, it is believed here, are trying to conceal the extent of the strike, which seems to be extending gradually to the large provincial towns, although many dispatches from places outside Paris are received in London with small delay. Paris itself was entirely cut off telegraphically.

**Missouri After Negroes.**  
Jefferson City, Mo., March 18.—The senate passed a bill today to provide an educational qualification for voters. Most of the Republicans voted no. The theory of the Democrats was that the bill would disfranchise more negroes than it would ignorant white foreigners.

# RAILWAY DEMONSTRATIONS.

Every Safety Device Known Will Receive Test at N. Y. P. Exposition. Seattle, March 22.—Actual demonstrations of every railway safety device, approved and unexploited, will be made daily in the transportation building and yards of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, which will open on June 1 in Seattle.

The transportation building is now being hurried to completion and tracks, spurs, switches and "Ys" are already laid for the most complete exemplification of general and special railway traffic ever attempted on the grounds of an exposition.

So desirous were Eastern locomotive builders of taking advantage of reaching the Oriental field through the medium of the Seattle fair, that they provided the major portion of the \$75,000 which the construction of the transportation building has cost, in order that the structure should be of ample size for their most complicated illustrations. Locomotives of all makes and all periods will be exhibited. Everything, from the old "hay burners" of the cotton belt, to the big transcontinental mogul will be shown under full steam.

A modern passenger train, equipped with the latest work in Pullman service, lights, brakes and wireless alarms will be a daily show.

The electric end of transportation will be given as complete exhibition as its rival. A fully equipped modern trolley as well as a new underground trolley, which it is claimed, does away with all previous objections to the underground system, will be displayed in operation.

Every known farm vehicle, reapers, stackers, harvesters, plows and all else, even to the harness for the horses, will be shown and the big traction harvesters found working throughout the West, will have a place, with all of their latest improvements.

**FOOD SUPPLY AFFECTED.**  
French Telegraph Strike Continues and Famine Threatens. Paris, March 22.—The government issued a reassuring statement tonight concerning the strike, in which the situation was said to be notably improved, many of the strikers, especially the telephone girls, having returned to work. The strike leaders, on the other hand, were loudly proclaiming war to the hilt, and there are disquieting rumors of railroad and other co-operative strikes.

Disclosures in connection with the strike indicate that the abuses and favoritism charged have been largely due to the fact that politics have had much to do with the administration of the post and telegraph service.

The lack of food in the capital, an outcome of the impossibility of forwarding payments, is making itself felt today, and provision dealers declare that if there is no improvement in the city in a few days probably will be confronted with famine conditions. The loss to business in Paris alone is variously estimated at from \$600,000 to \$1,200,000. Only a few wires today connect Europe Paris with and the outside world.

The government has formally notified the strikers that 48 hours of grace will be allowed them to return to work, after which their dismissal will be irrevocable.

**NEW JAP CRISIS IN SOUTH.**  
County Officials in California Try to Collect Poll Tax. Strike Snag. Oxnard, Cal., March 22.—Serious labor trouble is threatened in the beet fields here over the situation created by the attempt to collect a county poll tax from the 450 Japanese living in Oxnard and employed in the beet fields. This attempt, after they had paid the city tax in this city, caused great resentment. The sheriff and deputy assessors in many instances seized horses and goods owned by the Japanese and later forced them to pay under threats of selling their property.

Some of the Japanese have already left for other parts of the state where Japanese labor is in demand, leaving the beetgrowers in serious straits for laborers.

Tonight the sheriff and assessor say it is probable the county will recede from its position and return the money collected.

**Bill Cuts Drinking Time.**  
Salt Lake City, March 22.—Both branches of the state legislature today passed a bill regulating the sale of liquor. The bill gives to all counties local option and a separate vote. Saloons are to be open only from 7 a. m. until 7 p. m., except on Saturday, when the hours shall be from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. Special elections on the question of local option are to be held on petition. It is believed that the bill will receive the signature of Governor Spry.

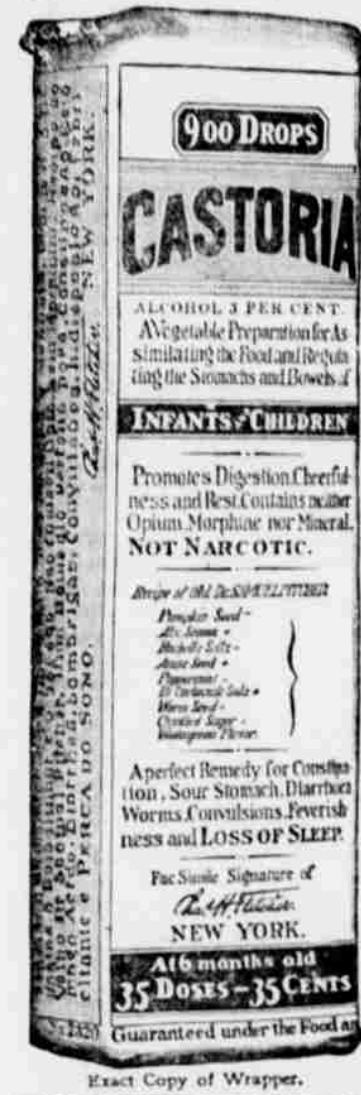
**Gold Strikes in Arizona.**  
Phoenix, Ariz., March 22.—Two gold strikes, reported to be the biggest ever made in Arizona, one at Salome and the other at House, have caused excitement throughout the territory, and all of the western part from Phoenix to the river is filling with prospectors. Mining men of experience who have visited the scenes of the strikes say that the ore is of surpassing richness, and that there are evidences of permanence in the ledges. The strikes are in districts where mineral has been found heretofore in paying quantities.

**Half Billion in Subways.**  
New York, March 22.—The remarkable roving of Greater New York's plans for providing adequate transportation facilities is indicated in a statement issued here today, which shows that the expenditure of nearly \$500,000,000 is contemplated. Of this amount nearly \$400,000,000 is included in projects for tunnels and subways. Work involving a fourth of this total will probably begin before the end of the present year.

**Jap Ships Plan Voyage.**  
Tokio, March 22.—Two ships of the Japanese training squadron, leaving Yokosuka on March 14, will visit various points on the Pacific coast during the spring and summer. The vessels are the cruisers Aso and Soya.

# Don't Poison Baby.

**FORTY YEARS AGO** almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and A FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. **CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS**, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.



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Dr. J. S. Alexander, of Omaha, Neb., says: "A medicine so valuable and beneficial for children as your Castoria is, deserves the highest praise. I find it in use everywhere."  
Dr. J. A. McClellan, of Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I have frequently prescribed your Castoria for children and always got good results. In fact I use Castoria for my own children."  
Dr. J. W. Allen, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "I heartily endorse your Castoria. I have frequently prescribed it in my medical practice, and have always found it to do all that is claimed for it."  
Dr. C. H. Glidden, of E. Paul, Minn., says: "My experience as a practitioner with your Castoria has been highly satisfactory, and I consider it an excellent remedy for the young."  
Dr. H. D. Benger, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have used your Castoria as a purgative in the cases of children for years past with the most happy effect, and fully endorse it as a safe remedy."  
Dr. J. A. Bearman, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Your Castoria is a splendid remedy for children, known the world over. I use it in my practice and have no hesitancy in recommending it for the complaints of infants and children."  
Dr. J. J. Mackey, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I consider your Castoria an excellent preparation for children, being composed of reliable medicines and pleasant to the taste. A good remedy for all disturbances of the digestive organs."

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## "How to Build Rural Telephone Lines"

This Bulletin explains clearly how a rural telephone system is built and operated, and it also contains full information as to costs. In a Farmer's Mutual Company a few day's labor and a cash investment of about \$25. per subscriber, will purchase all material and build an absolutely standard system. A Rural Telephone is an investment, not an expense. The telephone which enables you to sell ten bales of cotton at 15¢ per pound more than the traveling buyer offers you, has paid for its entire cost. If you have some hay down all ready to go in, it is worth something to have a telephone with which to call on Neighbor Smith "for a lift" before the storm breaks. The Rural Telephone pays for itself each year and we have brought the initial cost within the reach of every farmer. Present prices are especially favorable and thousands of Farmers' Mutual Companies are now organizing so as to build their lines this Spring. Write us to-day.

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