

# CATARRH ANNOYING-DANGEROUS

Catarrh is usually regarded as nothing more serious than a bad cold or inflammation of the inner skin and tissues of the head and throat. It is in fact, not only a vexatious and troublesome disease, but a common and dangerous one. It is true that Catarrh usually begins with a cold in the head, but when the poisons, which are thrown off through the nose, find their way into the blood, it becomes a constitutional trouble which affects all parts of the body. It has more annoying and disgusting symptoms than any other disease. There is a sickening and offensive discharge from the nostrils, a constant buzzing noise in the ears, headaches and pains in the face, frequent, while filthy, tenacious matter drops back into the nostrils, and the breath has an odor that is very offensive. Catarrh is worse in winter, because the cold weather closes the pores and glands, and the poisonous unhealthy vapors which should pass off that way are thrown back upon the tender linings and tissues, causing the inflammation which starts the trouble.

Several years ago my blood was bad and I had in addition a dreadful case of Catarrh. My nose was stopped up, I had headaches, ringing noises in my ears and felt unable for work. I commenced the use of S. S. S. on the recommendation of a friend, and in a short time it cured me sound and well. It put my blood in good condition and I have never had the slightest return of the Catarrh since that time.

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"Mr. Johnsing, you have deceived me. You said you were interested in mining." "So I is, Miss Snowflake. Kalsomining."—Life.

Madam—Be sure to put plenty of nuts in the cake. Cook—I'll crack no more nuts to-day. Me jaw hurts me already.—Harper's Bazar.

"I don't like the man." "Why not?" "I hadn't been talking to him five minutes before he said I was an idiot." "Why the delay?"—Judge.

Very Quick: First Russian—You say the light was quickly over? Second Russian—Yes, it was finished before you could say Jackpolsinsky Romanoffopolowsky.

Office Boy—Wy, cert, I want more pay; I'm only getting "four" a week, and give my mother all I earn. Proprietor—What do you do with the other three and a half?—Puck.

Willie—Papa, if I was twins would you buy the other boy a banana, too? Papa—Certainly, my son. Willie—Well, papa, you surely ain't going to cheat me out of another banana just because I'm all in one piece?—Judge.

Bronco Bill—What did Tough Tompkins die of? Grizzly Pete—Well, the poor guy needed a change of air and couldn't get it. Bronco Bill—Lung trouble? Grizzly Pete—No; he was lynched.—Judge.

"I got a fine job in de business college." "Gee—wot d'yer do?" "De writin' teacher hired me to shake de table when de new pupils write. 'This is a sample of my handwriting before I began taking lessons.'"—Exchange.

Brilliant Billy: Bill had a bill-board. Bill also had a board bill. The board bill bored Bill, so that Bill sold the bill-board to pay his board bill. So after Bill sold his bill-board to pay his board bill, the board bill no longer bored Bill.

Useless Expense: Lawyer—Now, see here; before I take your case, I want to know if you're guilty. Prisoner—Am I guilty? D'yer suppose I'd be fool enough ter hire the most expensive lawyer in the town if I wuz innocent?

"Do you know," said a Sunday school teacher addressing a new pupil in the infant class, "that you have a soul?" "Course I do," replied the little fellow, placing his hand over his heart, "I can feel it tick."—Moberly (Mo.) Monitor.

The Indian Bureau: "I've been radin'," said Pat, "a good dale in the papers about a bureau for the Indians. Now, I don't believe in their havin' a bureau. I can't afford to have a bureau meself! I kape me papers in a box under the bed."

Parson—Of course you are not afraid to die, Brother Jones. Your good wife, who went before, will meet you at the pearly gates, you know. Sick Man—Yes; and a peach of a time I'll have explaining to her all I've done for the past ten years!—Judge.

Another Heartless Monopolist: Mrs. Gabbie—No, indeed, I don't have that woman doctor any more. Mrs. Query—Why, I thought you liked her. Mrs. Gabbie—Oh, she got to be hateful. She used to keep the thermometer in my mouth nearly all the time, so that I couldn't say a word, while she monopolized the conversation.

A Lively Animal: He was a good-natured German, and his face fairly beamed as he walked into a drug store. The first thing that caught his attention was an electric fan buzzing busily on the soda counter. He looked at it with great interest, and then turned to the clerk. "Fy golly!" he said, smilingly, "dat's a lify squirrel vot you got in dare, ain't id?"—Lippincott's Magazine.

Refined Pork: Harold was playing "keep store" and had prevailed upon his grandmother to become one of his patrons. When she appeared in the role of customer he said: "Have some nice vegetables or fruit or meat? Here is some extra nice boiled ham. Have some?" "No, thank you," she said, "I don't like ham." "Oh, but I think you'd like this, ma'am. It is hardly a bit hammy."—Lippincott's.

A Memory for Dates: A school teacher was trying to impress upon a scholar's mind that Columbus discovered America in 1492. "Now, John," he said, "I will tell you the date in rhyme, so taat you won't forget it. 'In fourteen hundred and ninety-two Columbus sailed the ocean blue.' Now, can you remember that, John?" "Yes," replied John. "Next day the teacher said, 'John, when did Columbus discover America?'" "In fourteen hundred and ninety-three Columbus sailed the dark-blue sea."

Improving the Opportunity: "Here, my good man," she said one day last week to a man who had begged alms of her, "here is a three-penny piece, and please to understand that I do not give this because I hope to be rewarded for my charity some day, but because it gives me pleasure to do so." The burly beggar looked dubiously at the tiny silver coin. "Look 'ere, mum," he said, "in this 'ere wicked world we don't often get the chance to enjoy ourselves. Why not make it a shillin' and 'ave a real good time?"

Of course, it's the proper thing for a man to have a backbone, but he should remember that it is jointed. It's up to some egotists to consult an "I" doctor.

**The Boy and the Farm.**  
The wonderful strides in agricultural science, as well as the vast increase in the insect enemies of growing things, has both boomed and deferred farm work as a profession, so that the old-time ideas of farming cannot be said to bring success except in a very moderate degree. The farming of the future must be done by tue boys and girls of to-day, and we owe it to our children to give them the best possible chance to gain knowledge which will help them in their life work. If the boy is seriously interested in agriculture, it will be a paying investment to give him a course in an agricultural college.

If one cannot afford the full course of four years, or if the boy is not sufficiently well educated to take this course, give him the shorter one of two years, or, better than nothing, let him take the short winter course of from ten to twelve weeks and study the particular branch in which he is interested. You will find that his interest in the work will be enough greater to warrant the expense. True, he may not learn a great deal in the short course, but it will be enough to open his eyes to the possibilities, and he will be placed on the right track to study and work by himself. Talk to the boy about it, and write to the agricultural college of your State for detailed information.

**The North Pole.**  
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**Cause and Effect.**  
Mrs. Caller—I see your husband is smoking again. I thought he had given it up.  
Mrs. Shopper—So he did; but I found such a lovely smoking jacket at a bargain sale that he just had to commence again.

**Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury**  
Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Reporter—What do you gain by that?  
Rocky—I save time.—Cleveland Leader.

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