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**Different.**  
Tom—The last time I saw you you were looking for a position where you could keep dressed up all the time. Did you get it?  
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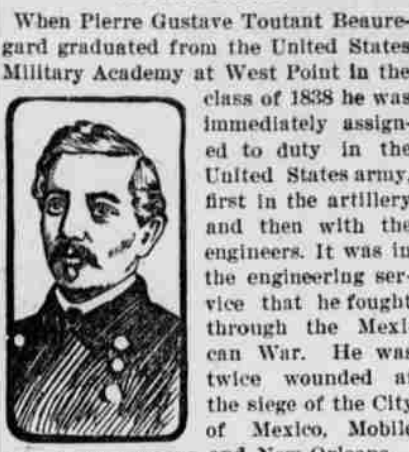
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J. A. Haywood, a well known resident of Lufkin, Tex., says: "I wrenched my back working in a sawmill, was laid up six weeks and from that time had pain in my back whenever I stooped or lifted. The urine was badly disordered and for a long time I had attacks of gravel. After I began using Doan's Kidney Pills the gravel passed out, and my back got well. I haven't had backache or bladder trouble since."

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## A Little Lesson In Patriotism



When Pierre Gustave Toussaint Beuregard graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point in the class of 1838 he was immediately assigned to duty in the United States army, first in the artillery and then with the engineers. It was in the engineering service that he fought through the Mexican War. He was twice wounded at the siege of the City of Mexico, Mobile P. O. T. BEUREGARD, and New Orleans.

At the outbreak of the secession demands General Beuregard was one of the first men to resign his position in the United States army in order to be free to offer his services to the Confederacy. Few of those who are not aware of the conditions of the time can realize what the self-sacrifice in his act really meant. He was giving up not merely his old associations in the army in which he had been for over twenty years, but he was also giving up a certainty for an uncertainty. Knowing as he did the resources of the Federal government Beuregard could have hardly been hopeful of the ultimate success of the Confederacy.

Immediately after his resignation he was placed in command of the defenses of the harbor of Charleston. Beuregard it was who opened the Civil War by his attack upon Fort Sumter, and his conduct throughout the war indicated the same impetuous bravery he exhibited on that occasion.

## WHERE PRESIDENTS REST.

**What to Do with Bodies of Chief Executives is a Question.**  
The proposal of the descendants of Andrew Johnson that the Federal government should take his last resting place as a national cemetery of the fourth class suggests a new obligation to our Presidents. What shall we do with our ex-Presidents has long been a familiar topic of after-dinner discussion wherever any surviving members of the craft have gathered, says the Boston Transcript. What to do with the bodies of our Presidents has not before become a national question. A wholesome sentiment directs that their graves should not be neglected. The efforts which are expended abroad upon memorials to distinguished rulers, notably the Albert memorial in London, the grave of Napoleon in Paris, the Pantheon in Rome, to say nothing of the pyramids, contrast noticeably with the democratic simplicity which has allowed so many of our Presidents to lie in the country graveyards where the "fathers of the hamlet sleep."

Three stages are already apparent in American practice regarding the last resting places of our Presidents. Seven of them lie in what was originally private grounds of their old-fashioned estates, in accordance with the custom of their time. These are: Washington at Mount Vernon, which is visited by thousands of tourists annually; Jefferson at Monticello, Jackson on a part of the Hermitage near Nashville; Polk in the garden of his home near the same city; Taylor in the Taylor family cemetery, five miles from Louisville, Ky., which is a part of the old farm where he was born, and Andrew Jackson, whose remains have rested on Monument Hill, near Greenville, Tenn., where the monument is pointed out from the windows of passing trains.

**Manners and Times Had Changed.**  
It was in Malta harbor on a sultry day, says the Liverpool Post, that a four-foot-high midshipman came to join his first sea-going ship. Having duly reported himself to the captain—an officer of some six foot two inches—the latter, literally looking down upon the boy, said: "Well, youngster, so you've come to join, eh?" "Yes, if you please, sir," replied the midshipman. "What is it, same old yarn, sent the fool of the family to sea, eh?" "No, sir," ingeniously replied the midshipman: "oh, no, things have altered since your time, sir." "Go away!" roared the captain, and the middy flew as fast as his little legs would take him.

**Well Trained.**  
Lady (at servants' registry office)—You see, I'm extremely nervous, and, therefore, I want a girl that does not answer back.  
Clerk—I have the very person you want, madam. She was a telephone girl only two days ago.—Sourire.

"That fellow," said a Missourian in speaking about a neighbor whom he does not like, "would get up at night and burn his own clothes to make a light to steal corn from a blind sow."

Most people who are satisfied with themselves don't want much.

# SKIN DISEASES

## ACNE, TETTER, ECZEMA, PSORIASIS, SALT RHEUM.

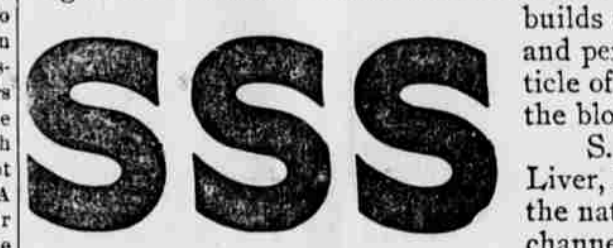
There is nothing more distressing than an itching, burning skin disease, and upon the return of warm weather those who are afflicted with skin troubles find the symptoms appearing and know that they will be tormented through the hot summer months. The blood is heated with humors and acrid matter, and as they are forced to the surface the skin seems to be on fire. The treatment of skin diseases with external applications is all wrong, because they do not reach the trouble which is in the blood. The most such treatment can be expected to do is, allay the itching and burning and cover up the trouble for awhile, but as soon as it is left off the disease returns.

All food taken into the body contains, in some form, the elements necessary to sustain the different parts. One portion is used for the making of blood, another for muscle, one for bone, still another for fat, and so on. After these different properties are extracted from the food there still remains a portion that is useless, or waste matter, which is intended to be disposed of through the natural channels of bodily waste, the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. At this season of the year, however, these organs become torpid, dull and sluggish, and fail to perform this duty, and these accumulations remain in the system and are absorbed by the blood to ferment and sour, producing burning acids and acrid humors. The blood cannot properly nourish the system while in this impure condition, and begins to throw off these acids through the pores and glands of the skin, producing Acne, Eczema, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and skin diseases of every description.

**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, arms, legs and face, though other parts of the body may be afflicted. In **TETTER** the skin dries, cracks and bleeds, and is often very painful. The acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, causing a dry, feverish, hardened condition and giving it a leathery appearance. **ACNE** makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and black-heads, and is particularly disagreeable because of its unsightly appearance, while **PSORIASIS**, a scaly disease, comes in patches on different parts of the body. One of the worst forms of skin disease is **SALT RHEUM**. It discharges a watery fluid, forming sores and producing intense itching. The head and face are the parts usually affected, and sometimes the hair falls out and a mass of sores forms on the scalp.

These and all skin diseases are due to the same cause—burning acids and humors in the blood, and until this vital fluid is cleansed and made pure they will continue. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S., a remedy that is purely vegetable, being made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, and acts directly on the blood with a cleansing, healing effect. It neutralizes the acids and purifies the blood so that the skin, instead of being blistered and burned by the fiery fluids, is nourished by a supply of cooling, healthy blood. It goes down into the circulation and forces out every particle of waste or foreign matter, builds up the blood and cures all skin diseases promptly and permanently. S. S. S. does not leave the least particle of the poison for future outbreaks, but entirely rids the blood of the cause for all skin diseases.

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**It's Knowledge of Weeds.**  
At a suburban residence near Philadelphia there recently appeared an unkempt-looking individual who asked for employment. It chanced that his application was made to the lady of the house herself, who was superintending the transplanting of plants in the garden.  
"Are you a gardener?" asked the lady.  
"Ain't had much experience at gardening," was the reply.  
"Can you plant these bushes?"  
"I'd hate to risk spoiling 'em, mum."  
"Then what can you do?"  
"Well, mum," responded the unkempt-looking individual, "if you was to hand me one of your husband's cigars I might sit in the greenhouse and smoke out them insects that's eatin' the leaves of them rose-bushes."—Harper's Weekly.

**Perfectly Willing.**  
E. Bangs Izair—May I—aw—have the next valise?  
Letta Sloan—I haven't the slightest objection. That's the one I don't—aw—dawnce.

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