

THE BEST FAMILY MEDICINE She Has Ever Known. Words of Praise from a New York Lady for AYER'S PILLS

"I would like to add my testimony to that of others who have used Ayer's Pills, and to say that I have taken them for many years, and always derived the best results from their use. For stomach and liver troubles, and for the cure of headache caused by these derangements, Ayer's Pills cannot be equaled.



When my friends ask me what is the best remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, or bowels, my invariable answer is, Ayer's Pills. Taken in season, they will break up a cold, prevent la grippe, check fever, and regulate the digestive organs. They are easy to take, and are, indeed, the best all-around family medicine I have ever known."

AYER'S PILLS Highest Honors at World's Fair. Ayer's Sarsaparilla Cures all Blood Disorders.

Can You Answer Them?

The CHRONICLE publishes below a list of questions, which are presented to the applicants now taking the teachers' examination at the court house. Yesterday questions were asked in writing and grammar; this morning in arithmetic and orthography, and this afternoon in history and geography. The lists are prepared by the state board and sent to the superintendent for each examination. The CHRONICLE will print the questions from day to day till all are published.

WRITTEN ARITHMETIC.

- 1. (a) What is the difference between a true and bank discount? (b) Give the rule for solving problems in true discount. (c) What elements in profit and loss correspond to the base, rate, percentage, amount and difference? (d) What is exchange? What is a draft or bill of exchange? Write a draft. (e) Give the principle relating to the number of figures required to express the square of a number; the cube of a number. (f) What relation do the squares described upon the sides of a right-angled triangle sustain to each other? 2. What is the value of a silver pitcher, weighing 2 lbs 10 oz. avoirdupois, at \$2.25 per ounce troy? 3. A merchant's income is \$5,760 in a year, at a gain of 18% per cent on his capital, how much would have been his income at a gain of 25 per cent on his capital? 4. A certain sum of money on interest amounts, at 4 per cent for a certain time, to \$1,216, and at 10 per cent for the same time to \$1,600; required the principal and time? 5. Required the distance between a lower corner and the opposite upper corner of a room 48 feet long, 20 feet wide and 39 feet high? 6. How many bushels of wheat will fill a bin that is 9 feet long, 4 1/2 feet wide, and 5 1/2 feet deep? 7. Sold a farm of 106 acres and 150 P. for \$85 an acre, and gained 18 per cent on the cost. What did the whole farm cost? 8. If it cost \$312 to enclose a field 216 rods long and 24 rods wide, what will it cost to enclose a square field of equal area with the same kind of a fence? 9. Bought tea at 90 cents a pound. What must I ask per pound to abate 10 per cent and still make 20 per cent. 10. A man bought a farm of 160 acres at \$32 an acre; he paid \$200 for fencing, \$150 for improving the grounds; at what price per acre must it be sold to gain 25 per cent on the entire cost.

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.

- 1. Define etymology, complex sentence, synthesis, passive voice, subjunctive mode. 2. (a) Form the plurals of the following nouns: Solo, negro, swine, radius, erratum, vertex; (b) distinguish the use of who, which and that, as regards the gender of the antecedent. 3. Diagram the sentence, "Better far pursue a frivolous trade by serious

- means, than a sublime art frivolously." 4. (a) Parse the adjectives and verbs of the sentence in No. 3; (b) explain the difference in meaning between he wrote and he was writing. 5. (a) Distinguish between older and elder as to meaning; (b) define prosody, syntax, analysis. 6. Correct the errors in the following sentences and give reason for each change: (a) It don't seem possible that he is so old. (b) Who did he marry? (c) I think it was he who helped me. (d) Each of the boys have their own bicycle. (e) Write slow and careful. (f) Daniel Webster was elected a senator. 7. (a) Make sentences illustrating the different uses of the definite article; (b) how should an and a be used? 8. (a) Analyze the sentence, "One came, me thought, and whispered in my ear"; (b) define ellipsis. 9. Wherein do an adjective and an adverb agree? Wherein do they differ? 10. Write a letter of not less than seventy-five words to a friend.

WRITING.

- 1. Name five subjects to which attention should be given in teaching the art of writing. 2. Why does a careful study of form aid in making a good penman? 3. Explain, by diagram, (a) the base line, (b) the head line, (c) a space. 4. What is the proper slant of letters written according to the Spencerian system? 5. Give two arguments urged in favor of vertical writing. 6. Analyze A, h, s, t, j. 7-10. Write the following lines as a specimen of your handwriting:—Heav'n from all creatures hides the book of fate. All but the Page prescribed, their present state: From hues what men, from men what spirits know. Or who could suffer being here below?

One night when Mr. Isaac Reese was stopping with me, says M. F. Hatch, a prominent merchant of Quartermaster, Washington, I heard him groaning. On going to his room I found him suffering from cramp colic. He was in such agony I feared he would die. I hastily gave him a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy. He was soon relieved and the first words he uttered were, "what was that stuff you gave me?" I informed him. A few days ago we were talking about the attack and he said he was never without that remedy now. I have used it in my family for several years. I know its worth and do not hesitate to recommend it to my friends and customers. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton Druggist.

The Fruit Crop.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Official returns for August show the prospective fruit crop of the country, taken as a whole, is much larger than for several years.

The report of the European agent of the agricultural department for August shows fair crops in most countries except Great Britain.

It May Do as Much For You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill. writes that he had a Severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Price only 50c. for large bottle. At Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.'s.

Fatal Collision.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—A special dispatch from Tunis says a collision has taken place near Galiata between a number of barges loaded with iron and a ferryboat crowded with people. Some of the latter's passengers were crushed, and many drowned.

Pains in the small of the back indicate a diseased condition of the kidneys. Owing to the dangerous nature of the diseases which attack those organs it is important that measures should be taken to remove the trouble before it has become too firmly fixed. Prudence would suggest the prompt use of Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm which has specific action on the liver and kidneys and will cause an early restoration to healthy conditions. Price \$1.00 per bottle.

Accident at Kiel.

KIEL, Aug. 14.—At the German ship-building yards today a gangway broke and many workmen were thrown into the water. Eight bodies have been recovered.

There are a great many of the unfortunate ones in this world, greater in number than those who are blessed with good digestion. To some people the greatest misfortune is not to be able to eat everything set before them. "I suffered for years with Dyspepsia, and everything I ate disagreed with me. I was induced to try Simmons Liver Regulator and was cured. I now eat everything."—M. Bright, Madison Parish, La

In Our Great Grandfather's Time,



big bulky pills were in general use. Like the "blunderbuss" of that decade they were big and clumsy, but ineffective. In this century of enlightenment, we have Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which cure all liver, stomach and bowel derangements in the most effective way. Assist Nature a little now and then, with a gentle, cleansing laxative, thereby removing offending matter from the stomach and bowels, toning up and invigorating the liver and quickening its tardy action, and you thereby remove the cause of a multitude of distressing diseases, such as headaches, indigestion, or dyspepsia, biliousness, pimples, blotches, eruptions, boils, constipation, piles, fistulas and maladies too numerous to mention.

If people would pay more attention to properly regulating the action of their bowels, they would have less frequent occasion to call for their doctor's services to subdue attacks of dangerous diseases.

That, of all known agents to accomplish this purpose, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are unequalled, is proven by the fact that once used, they are always in favor. Their secondary effect is to keep the bowels open and regular, not to further constipate, as is the case with other pills. Hence, their great popularity, with sufferers from habitual constipation, piles and indigestion.

A free sample of the "Pellets," (4 to 7 doses) on trial, is mailed to any address, post-paid, on receipt of name and address on postal card.

Address, WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y.

Gold Shipments.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Handy & Harman will ship \$200,000 in gold on the Normannia tomorrow, and may increase the amount to \$250,000. Crossman & Bro. will ship \$1,000,000 gold tomorrow. Nesslage & Fuller will ship \$150,000. This makes the total engagement for tomorrow, \$1,350,000. The government bonds syndicate has deposited \$1,650,000 in gold in the sub-treasury is exchange for legal tender notes.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood mucus surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

The Whisky Trust.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Under the authority of Federal Judge Showalter, General McNulta, receiver of the Distilling & Cattle Feeding Company, sold the property of that corporation today to the reorganization committee for \$9,800,000. The only bid was that of the reorganization committee. The property consists of 17 distilling plants.

There comes a time to all of us, when we feel mean and "out of sorts" and in a condition to invite disease. It is then we need such a remedy as Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier. To persons exhausted by sickness or overwork its invigorating influence is surprising, promptly restoring health, energy and cheerful spirits. Price \$1.00 bottle. For sale by Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Taylor Gets Five Years.

PIERRE, S. D., Aug. 14.—Ex-State Treasurer W. W. Taylor, who defaulted last January, was sentenced by Judge Gaffrey today to five years at hard labor at the Sioux Falls penitentiary. This is the limit of the law.

None But Ayer's at the Worlds Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's Fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparilla sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's Fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the Mat of nostrums. It is here on its merits." Severe gripping pains of the stomach and bowels instantly and effectually stopped by DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure. Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Mexican Mustang Liniment

- for Burns, Caked & Inflamed Udders. Piles, Rheumatic Pains, Bruises and Strains, Running Sores, Inflammations, Stiff joints, Harness & Saddle Sores, Sciatica, Lumbago, Scalds, Blisters, Insect Bites, All Cattle Ailments, All Horse Ailments, All Sheep Ailments,

- Penetrates Muscle, Membrane and Tissue Quickly to the Very Seat of Pain and Ousts it in a Jiffy. Rub in Vigorously.

Mustang Liniment conquers Pain, Makes Man or Beast well again.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Snipes & Kinersly.

Diarrhea should be stopped promptly. It soon becomes chronic. DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure is effective, safe and certain. Hundreds of testimonials bear witness to the virtue of this great medicine. It can always be depended upon, its use saves time and money. Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Imperfect digestion and assimilation produce disordered conditions of the system which grow and are confirmed by neglect. Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier, by its tonic properties, cures indigestion and gives tone to the stomach \$1.00 per bottle.

The Wasco Warehouse Co. have on sale at their warehouse Seed Wheat, Feed Wheat, Barley, Barley Chop, Oats and Hay. Are sole agents in The Dalles for the now celebrated Goldenrod roller mills flour, the best flour in the market and sold only in ton lots or over. 9-11

There is no doubt, no failure, when you take DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure. It is pleasant, acts promptly, no bad after effects. Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

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"There is a tide in the affairs of men which, taken at its flood leads on to fortune."

The poet unquestionably had reference to the Closing-Out Sale of Furniture & Carpets AT CRANDALL & BURGET'S, Who are selling these goods out at greatly-reduced rates. MICHELBACH BRICK, - - UNION ST.

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