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"I would if I didn't have such an awfully sore finger."

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Signs of Polluted Blood.

There is nothing so repulsive looking and disgusting as an old sore. You worry over it till the brain grows weary and work with it until the patience is exhausted, and the very sight of the old festering, sickly looking place makes you irritable, despondent and desperate.

A chronic sore is the very best evidence that your blood is in an unhealthy and impoverished condition, that your constitution is breaking down under the effects of some serious disorder. The taking of strong medicines, like mercury or potash, will sometimes so pollute and vitiate the blood and impair the general system that the merest scratch or bruise results in obstinate non-healing sores of the most offensive character.

Often an inherited taint breaks out in frightful eating sores upon the limbs or face in old age or middle life. Whenever a sore refuses to heal the blood is always at fault, and, while antiseptic washes, salves, soaps and powders can do much to keep down the inflammation and cleanse the sore, it will never heal permanently till the blood itself has been purified and the deadly germs and poisons destroyed, and with S. S. S. this can be accomplished—the polluted blood is purified and invigorated, and when rich, pure blood is again circulating freely throughout the body the flesh around the old sore begins to take on a natural color, the discharge of matter ceases and the place heals over.

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CAN'T BEAT THE DUTCH.

The Dutch are better men on the land than the English. Mr. Rhodes affirmed it as strongly as Benjamin Kidd. Not only are they better men, but they are much cleverer politicians. Dr. Gordon Sprigg, the present premier of Cape Colony, told me last year that the rough old Dutch farmers from the back country had such a natural intuitive genius for politics that, after three weeks in parliament, they could give points to any British member who had been in the house for months.

Not only are they better men all round on the land, not only are they able politicians all round in the houses of parliament, but what is far more important, they are better breeders of men. The British colonist following the example of the Frenchman and the New Englander, shrinks from the primal task of multiplying and increasing and replenishing the earth. The Dutch cradle is never empty. If the hand that rocks the cradle sways the world, it is not less true that the race that fills the cradle will possess the world. Hence the destiny of South Africa seems tolerably certain to be that of a federation of self-governing states, pre-eminently Dutch, which will or will not be sheltered by the Union Jack, according to the readiness of the imperial government to recognize that it has no authority over Africaners.—W. T. Stead in Booklovers.

EDISON'S FERTILE BRAIN.

The fertile brain of Thomas A. Edison continues to be the source of the greatest amazement to the clerks and officials of the patent office who have in charge the work of looking after the applications placed on file by this inventor. On the 31st of this month Mr. Edison will have obtained 791 patents from the patent office on as many inventions, a larger number by several hundreds than any other individual has received in the history of the office. This remarkable record was ascertained by J. B. Babson, chief of the division of issue and gazette of the patent office, who has made a tabulated statement of the inventions of Mr. Edison.

From this statement it would appear that prior to 1895 the inventor had obtained 711 patents, and that since that time he has received the following numbers: In 1896, three patents; in 1897, two patents; in 1898, eight patents; in 1899, three patents; in 1900, 16 patents; in 1901, 23 patents; and in 1903 he has so far received six patents.—Washington Star.

SOUND THE ALARM.

Delay and defeat the building of the portage road by the state, the opening of the Columbia river to navigation, is the cry! The effort is being made to create sectional jealousies, to turn the people of the different sections against the project by using the referendum as a club, while selfish interests direct the wielding of it.

Brazen voiced agents are being sent out over the state to secure signatures of voters to referendum petitions with this end in view. Why? Because the sum appropriated by the last legislature is to be used to the freeing of the river above The Dalles to navigation.

If this money was certain to be wasted, as is alleged; was inadequate in amount for the purpose, there would be no cry against the expenditure by the parties at interest, but since it is to be spent resultfully and with full fruits to the people of the great Inland Empire, to those of Portland and the rest of Oregon, the hand of Esau appears to direct affairs while the voice of Jacob is heard.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County—Sitting in Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frederick Stevens, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that James Doran, as administrator of the estate of Frederick Stevens, deceased, has filed with the Clerk of the above entitled Court, his final account and report, and said Court has appointed 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday the 6th day of July, 1903, being a day of the next regular term of said Court to be held in July, 1903, as the time, and the County Court Room, in the County Court House, in the City of Pendleton, Umatilla County, State of Oregon, as the place, when and where all persons having any objections or exceptions to said final account and report, or desiring to make any exceptions thereto, or to any matter or thing done by said Administrator during his administration, must present the same, and the said final account and report shall then and there be acted upon and settled.

This notice is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable George A. Hartman, Judge of the above entitled Court, made this 18th day of May, 1903.
JAMES DORAN,
Administrator of the estate of Frederick Stevens, deceased.
Attest: W. D. CHAMBERLAIN,
County Clerk.

INSURGENTS ON TOP.

Zelaya Defeated and Rebels Control Lake Nicaragua.

San Francisco, May 22.—Eugene J. Gruettner, an American, of Salt Lake City, who arrived from Corinto today on the steamer Newport, says that General J. Estrada, the leader of the forces of President Zelaya in Nicaragua, was killed in battle with the insurgents near Rivas on April 27. His troops were routed with great loss, and the revolutionists succeeded in capturing a large quantity of arms and ammunition. The insurgents now have possession of the port of San Carlos and have complete control of Lake Nicaragua.

Improvement Club at Union.

Union, Ore., May 22.—At a public meeting held at Phy Hall it was decided to organize an improvement club for the benefit of the city. C. E. Cockran was elected president and L. J. Davis secretary. The object of the club is to get new settlers to locate, to improve the city's sanitary condition and to aid the city council enforcing all the laws.

Western Union in Trouble.

New York, May 22.—Notwithstanding the immense destruction of Western Union Telegraph lines along the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday, the company is still accepting messages to Pennsylvania points which are transmitted by long distance telephone. The company declines to discuss the case.

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SCHOLARSHIPS MAY NOT BE CONFERRED AT ALL.

Conditions Under Which the Splendid Gifts Were to Be Made Not Plainly Understood—No Central Authority on the Subject.

Washington, D. C., May 22.—Attempts to acquire definite information regarding the Cecil Rhodes scholarships have so far proved unavailing, and educators in what manner candidates for these scholarships are to be selected, and how the scholarships are eventually to be awarded in the several states and territories.

Under the terms of the Rhodes will one scholarship is to be awarded in each state and territory, and from each state and territory suggestions have been forwarded to the trustees of the Rhodes estate, indicating methods of selecting candidates. But up to the present time no intimation has come that any system has been agreed upon.

The matter was recently taken up with the superintendent of public schools in Washington city, and he confessed that "nobody seems to know how the Cecil Rhodes scholarships are to be awarded."

Peculiar Provisions. He did, however, call attention to the peculiar features of the will, bearing on these scholarships, which provides as follows:

"In the election of a student to a scholarship regard should be had to:

"First—His literary and scholastic attainments.

"Second—His fondness for or success in manly outdoor sports, such as cricket, football and the like.

"Third—His qualities of manhood, such as truth, devotion to duty, sympathy for and protection of the weak; kindness, unselfishness and fellowship.

"Fourth—His exhibition during school days of moral force of character and instincts to lead and take interest in his schoolmates, for these latter attributes will likely, in after life guide him to esteem the performance of public duties as highest aim."

TO EXTEND THE ROAD.

Grading to be Commenced at Once at Whitney.

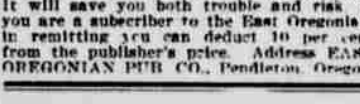
While in Portland last Monday C. W. Nibley in speaking of the S. V. Ry., said to a reporter:

"The company is now ready to begin on its 13-mile extension from Whitney on toward the Greenhorn country. The grading crew will start immediately to work and the rail necessary to complete the line is now arriving. The new line will open a still better lumber section and be of great benefit as an agricultural stimulus to the country. The road has recently purchased \$40,000 worth of rolling stock from the Short Line. This included the equipment at Garfield Beach and will be put on the line at once. Our lumber interests are opening up in a most encouraging manner and the road is crowded to an extreme in order to handle the business.

"The smelter at Sumpter will start in a few days and there is a most flattering outlook for a big business this year."

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood. It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.



The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

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IRRIGATION WORK RESUMED.

Columbia Southern Project Again Taken Up.

Portland, May 22.—President Lytle, of the Columbia Southern, reports that irrigation work in Central Oregon has been resumed. When small-pox broke out around Prineville and Shaniko, the work of extension of irrigation canals was temporarily suspended, as the disease had broken out in dangerous proximity to where the men were working.

The scheme of irrigation now embraces the counties of Sherman, Wasco, Crook and Gilliam, and will be advanced as fast as possible.

Mr. Lytle has not decided when the work on extending the Columbia Southern will commence, but expects to have definite plans completed soon. The irrigation movement is to improve the section through which the proposed road is to go, and will prepare it for an unlimited productive-ness when the road is completed.

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