

Eruptions

Dry, moist, scaly, itchy, all forms of eczema or salt rheum, pimples and other cutaneous eruptions proceed from humors, either inherited, or acquired through defective digestion and assimilation.

To treat these eruptions with drying medicines is dangerous.

The thing to do is to take

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Which thoroughly cleanse the blood, expelling all humors and building up the whole system. They cure

Hood's Sarsaparilla permanently cured J. G. Hines, Franks, Ill., of eczema, from which he had suffered for some time; and Miss Alvina Wolter, Box 212, Algona, Wis., of pimples on her face and back and chafed skin on her body, by which she had been greatly troubled. There are more testimonials in favor of Hood's than can be published.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keep the promise.

Chilian Miners Powerful

Perhaps the greatest weight borne for any distance on men's backs are the loads of ore brought up from the mines of the Andes by the miners of Chili. Darwin visited a copper mine in a ravine leading from the main range of the Cordilleras, where the work was carried on by such primitive means that, though the mines had been worked in the mountains for at least two centuries, the water was removed in some by carrying it up snafes in leather bags on men's backs.

Sir Francis Head, when visiting a similar mine, found that all the ore was carried up to the surface, a vertical climb of 450 feet, by the miners, and that the average weight carried was 250 pounds. This load was not carried up a winding stair, but up notched trunks of trees, set almost upright, one touching another.

The food of the Chilian miner, according to Darwin, consisted of rations of sixteen figs and two small loaves of bread for breakfast; for dinner boiled beans, for supper wheat crushed and roasted. They scarcely ever tasted meat.

Pose as Dressmakers

Such are the impositions practiced on department stores by women claiming dressmakers' discounts that a leading metropolitan house finds it necessary to employ three detectives whose exclusive task it is to verify statements of this character. Those entitled to discounts receive credentials, while the others are tabulated under the classification "fraudulent." Many stores provide separate cashier's desks for dressmaker patrons, who repair hither for their authorized rebates, averaging 10 per cent. This privilege is usually confined to merchandise appertaining to dressmaking, and is unavailable for other goods. Cut rate and special sales are also exempt from dressmakers' discounts.

The fortune of the house of Bismarck passes to a boy of 7. He bears the great chancellor's name of Otto.

It is generally more profitable to reckon on our defects than to boast of our attainments.—Carlyle.

Charity and personal force are the only investments worth anything.—Walt Whitman.

Powerful alcoholic beverages can be distilled from bananas, the milk of coconut, rice and peas.

Egypt claims the oldest man in the world—Ahmed Selim, who has turned six score. He remembers Napoleon in Egypt.

NAGGING PAINS

Newport News, Va., July 22, 1903. Last summer while recovering from illness of fever, I had a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism in the knees, from which I was unable to leave my room for several months. I was treated by two doctors and also tried different kinds of liniments and medicines which seemed to relieve me from pain for awhile, but at the same time I was not any nearer getting well. One day while reading a paper I saw an advertisement of S. S. S. for Rheumatism. I decided to give it a trial, which I did at once. After I had taken three bottles I felt a great deal better, and I still continued to take it regularly until I was entirely cured. I now feel better than for years, and I cheerfully recommend S. S. S. to any one suffering from Rheumatism.

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Rheumatism is caused by uric acid or some other acid poison in the blood, which when deposited in the muscles and joints, produce the sharp, cutting pains and the stiffness and soreness peculiar to this disease. S. S. S. goes directly into the circulation, all irritating substances are neutralized and filtered out of the system, the blood is made pure and the general health is built up under the purifying and tonic effects of the vegetable remedy.

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"Pa, what do they mean by the death rate?" "That, my son, is the speed at which an automobile travels."—Cleveland Leader.

Van Tart—I don't think much of leap year. Le Whey—What's the matter? Van Tart—The girls propose to you, but expect you to buy the ring.

The button trust is bankrupt. The button is a small article, but it has destroyed the peace of many a home, and it is only ripping as it has been sewed.—Baltimore American.

"John," said a stingy old hunk to his hired man, as he was taking dinner, "do you know how many pancakes have eaten fourteen?" "Well," said John, "you count and I'll eat."

"But have you any expectations, young man?" "Of course, I have. Three rich girls want to marry me, but I am going to give your girl the first chance."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"I just wish I wuz bigger," said Mischievous Willie Smart. "Indeed?" asked his mother. "How much bigger?" "Oh, just big enough to do all the things I git blamed for doin' now."

Freda—He claims to be related to you, and says he can prove it. Floyd—Related to me? Why, the man's a fool, Freda—Of course; but that may be a mere coincidence.—Illustrated Bits.

Jack—Women have no head for figures. Tom—How do you make that out? Jack—I know a girl whose education cost her father ten thousand, and she can't figure her own age correctly.

"Jury," said a Western judge, "you kin go out and find a verdict. If you can't find one of your own, get the one the last jury used." The jury returned a verdict of suicide in the ninth degree.

"Halloo!" cried the neighbor. "What are you building a new chicken house for?" "Why," replied Nettie, "for a flock of pink elephants, of course. You didn't suppose I'd put chickens in it, did you?"

Red—And when this happened on the links, was he addressing the ball? Green—Well, I don't know just what he was addressing, but it was quite evident from the language that he was not addressing a Sunday school.

Meeks—Why don't you try Dr. Quackem's elixir of life? A friend of mine who took a bottle of it praises it to the skies. Weeks—Yes, and a friend of mine who took three bottles of the stuff is now up there somewhere.—Chicago News.

A precocious youth telegraphed to his parents on their golden wedding day: "Is marriage a failure?" The old couple laid their heads together over the reply-paid form, and presently made answer: "No; but its results sometimes are."

"I never knew till now why this was such a windy country," said the bright little girl traveling through Illinois. "And have you discovered why?" asked her father. "Of course. See all the windmills on these farms we're passing."—Philadelphia Ledger.

"Darringer, have you a half-sovereign you don't want?" "Why, certainly. Here it is." The next day "I say, Darringer, that half-sovereign you gave me was a bad one." "Yes, Bromley. You asked me if I had a half-sovereign that I didn't want."

"Why do the roses fade so slowly away?" she inquired poetically. "Well," replied the baldheaded young man, "when you think it over it's all for the best. It's more comfortable to have them fade slowly away than to go off all of a sudden, like a torpedo."

"That's my last canvas," said D'Auber; "I started that six months ago. You see, some days I paint away feverishly, forcefully, absorbedly, while on other days I can't paint at all." "I see," said Crittick; "you painted this one on one of the other days."—Philadelphia Press.

"If Crabbe ever comes around your place borrowing anything," said Subbubs, "don't let him have it." "You've spoken too late," replied Newcomer; "he was around this morning." "You're easy. What was he borrowing?" "Trouble. He's in the hospital now."—Philadelphia Ledger.

As my wife at the window one beautiful day stood watching a man with a monkey a cart came along with a brood of a boy, who was driving a stout little donkey. To my wife then I spoke by way of a joke—"There's a relation of yours in that carriage." To which she replied, when the donkey she spied—"Ah, yes! a relation by marriage."

The minister sought to improve the time by giving Bobby a lesson in morality. "My boy," he said, "I have lived forty-five years, and have never used tobacco in any form, nor told a lie, nor swore, nor played hooky, nor—" "Have you got any little boys?" interrupted Bobby. "No, I never had any little boys." "Well, they are mighty lucky," said Bobby.

"If you please, sir?" "Well, Jimmy?" "Me grandmother, sir—" "Aha, your grandmother! Go on, Jimmy." "Me grandmother and me mother—" "What and your mother, too?" "Both very ill, eh?" "No, sir. Me grandmother an' me mother are goin' to the baseball game this afternoon an' they want me to stay home an' take care of me little brudder."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

JUDICIAL DECISIONS.

Shares in a joint stock association are held, in re Jones (N. Y.), 60 L. R. A. 476, to be properly dealt with as personality in applying the laws providing a transfer or succession tax, although the property of the association is real estate.

The destruction of a will expressly revoking a former one is held in Stetson vs. Stetson (Ill.), 61 L. R. A. 258, to revive the earlier under a statute providing that a will can be revoked only by a subsequent will declaring the revocation of former ones.

In a prosecution for manslaughter on the ground that deceased was killed, unintentionally while the slayer was in the commission of an unlawful act, it is held in Johnson vs. State (Ohio) 61 L. R. A. 277, that it must be shown that the alleged unlawful act is prohibited by law. The other authorities on the question of negligent homicide are collated in a note to this case.

A telephone company which removes, destroys or injures trees planted by an abutting owner along the street adjacent to his property, under the terms of a city ordinance, in erecting poles and wires under its franchise, is held, in Brosen vs. Albion Telephone Company (Neb.), 60 L. R. A. 426, to be liable for the resulting damage, though no unnecessary injury is inflicted.

Carrying a loaded gun from one room of a house, in which it had been left by another person, to an adjoining room, is held, in Doody vs. National Masonic Accident Association (Neb.), 60 L. R. A. 424, to be "handling firearms" within the meaning of a clause in an accident-insurance policy limiting to \$500 the recovery for any injury received while hunting or while using or handling loaded firearms.

A judgment in a suit between the owner of property abutting on a highway and the municipality to establish the boundary of the highway, is held, in Long vs. Wilson (Iowa), 60 L. R. A. 720, not to be conclusive on the owner of property located on the opposite side of the street, who is not made a party to the suit, and whose access to and from his property will be interfered with if the boundary so established prevails.

A conviction of manslaughter upon the second trial of an indictment for murder, upon which there was a conviction of manslaughter at the former trial, which was set aside and a new trial granted, is held, in people vs. McFarlane (Cal.), 61 L. R. A. 245, to be sustainable, although the evidence established murder on the second trial, where the evidence does not prove a case where the verdict must be for murder or acquittal as justifiable homicide.

The resumption of marital relations by a wife living separate from her husband, and about to commence proceedings for divorce against him, to which she was entitled because of his wrongdoing, is held, in Moayan vs. Moayan (Ky.), 60 L. R. A. 415, to be sufficient consideration for his promise to convey property in trust for the benefit of their children, and in the event of their death for her benefit. A note to this case collates the other authorities on the validity of a contract between husband and wife to compromise a pending or contemplated divorce suit.

Italian Railway Trains.

One of the worst and greatest drawbacks to railway travel in Italy is the want of accommodation on many of the trains, and strangely enough this applies to a greater extent on long-distance trains than on those made up for short journeys. We have no hesitation in saying that for any party of four or five persons wishing to travel, let us say, from Rome to Naples (six hours), and desiring to sit all together, it is necessary to arrive at the station at least three-quarters of an hour before the time at which the train is advertised to start. Even then we say without exaggeration that the thing is no certainty. The use of a smoking carriage with any degree of comfort is almost an impossibility. One may arrive alone, in reasonable time for the train, only to find that the very few first-class smoking compartments have long ago been filled with ladies and children, or more probably invalids. We speak as a first-class passenger only, and, so far as we have observed, the second-class accommodations on Italian trains can still be recommended. The overcrowding and discomfort here are stretched to their utmost limits, while the third-class carriage may be dismissed in a few words. This conveyance, in the form of a cattle truck, is open to all the winds that blow, and appears to be used chiefly for the transport of troops. The only sitting accommodation consists of a series of benches fitted crosswise at intervals of from two to three feet, while on the outside is indicated in large lettering the number of men which the authorities are permitted to stow away—all very similar to our own railway trucks, upon any one of which we may read the printed regulation as to weight of goods or number of animals which it is safe for this form of vehicle to carry.—Chambers' Journal.

An Inducement.

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