

Catarrh

Whether it is of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should have attention.

The discharge from the mucous membrane is because this is kept in a state of inflammation by an impure condition of the blood. Therefore, to cure, take the best blood purifier,

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More Appropriate.

"Going to pay some of your son Otto's bills?" laughed the caller. "Yes," sighed the benevolent father, "Otto is a very wild youth. I should have called him Auto."

"Auto?" "Yes; he's such an expensive sport, and it won't be long before he will be a broken-down sport."

An Artist.

"The man who painted that spurious picture was an artist, at all events," said the connoisseur. "I don't know about him," answered Mr. Cumrox ruefully, "but the dealer who sold it to me was"—Washington Star.

What He Owed.

Blowitz—All I am to-day I owe to my mother. Hammerton—Yes, and I understand that all you have you owe to your wife's father.

With the Ancients.

The Greek commander was making the circuit of the walls of Troy, looking for a vulnerable spot, when his automobile stuck fast in the mud. "Get a horse!" jeered the Trojan sentinels on the walls. Smarling under their ridicule, he went and built a huge wooden horse. The rest is history.

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MERITS OF THE COMBINE.

Comparison Made With Old Method of Harvesting.

A Spokane man wrote to the Washington State Experiment station staff, Pullman, recently, inquiring relative to the growing and cutting of wheat, the and flour-making content of the berry as affected by soil, climate and methods of cutting. Professor R. W. Thatcher, director of the station, answered the inquiries as follows:

1. Does the wheat lose any of the essential elements for good flour by standing until ripe enough to cut and thresh at one operation.

"Wheat does not lose any of its constituents by standing until it is thoroughly ripe. It does, however, manufacture and store up a somewhat larger proportion of starch than if cut when the dough, resulting in a slightly softer wheat with a larger proportion of starch and a smaller proportion of gluten. The difference in this respect is rather small, however."

2. Are the berries as plump when cut by a combined machine as when the grain is harvested by a binder or header, and threshed after standing in the shock, or having been stacked? We are informed that the wheat buyers and millers make a difference between grain harvested with the combined machine and that cut with the binder or header.

"The berries are plumper than when cut by the binder and left standing in the shock, for the same reason; that is, a greater production of starch fills the berries plumper."

3. Do the berries lost their color when left growing until ripe enough to cut with a combined machine?

"The color of the berry is not changed materially until after the grain is dead ripe, after which it may be bleached out to a varying extent, depending upon the length of time and the climatic conditions."

4. Is all the wheat in one sack of an even grade when harvested with the combined machine?

"The wheat in a single sack of grain harvested by a combined machine is not necessarily of an even grade. Since the machine is run up or down hill, it may cut and run into the sack wheat growing under quite different conditions. This, however, is equally true of any other method of harvesting. It is well known that grain from the top of a clay point is different from that of a north hill slope, and both of these are different from that of a south hill slope, or upon a flat. I do not think any method of harvesting will secure absolutely the uniformity you suggest."

5. Is there more wheat lost during the operation of the combined machine than through harvesting and threshing by the old method? If so, how much? "We have no information which would make it possible for us to state definitely whether there is more or less wheat lost during the operation of a combined machine, than by harvesting and threshing by the old method. We are aware of the objection that has been raised in California to the use of a combined machine, but do not think it is a 'great' objection, as has been stated. "There is no question but that the grain cut with a combined machine is slightly lower in proportion of gluten which it will show. The yield per acre is certainly a little later, if the grain is allowed to become ripe. I am personally of the opinion that the most serious objection to the combined machine is in the distribution over the field of the threshed out weed seeds."

DEVELOP NEW WATER POWER.

Elma Electric Company Will Utilize Cloaquium Creek.

Chelalis county, Wash., abounds in some of the finest water power in the state. The Upper Satsop river, the Wishkah river, and numerous other streams flowing into Grays harbor afford magnificent opportunities for the development of water power for commercial purposes. Scarcely a move has yet been made to secure any of these water power sites. The Elma Light & Power company is among the first to take advantage of the opportunities afforded and now has a large force of men at work on the Cloaquium creek, three miles northeast of Elma, constructing a large dam to store water and will install one of the latest model water wheels. The water can be backed up for several miles without doing any damage and power enough can be derived to give light and power to the town of Elma for years to come. The company has a franchise from the town of Elma for furnishing light to the town. Its present plant has been in operation for three years.

The power has been obtained from stream, but the cost of wood and coal has become so high that the company decided to install a water power plant. The saving in fuel and operating expenses will be about \$200 a month.

Chili Sauce. Peel and chop together two dozen tomatoes and six small onions with two seeded red peppers. Stir in four table-spoonfuls of salt, a cup of granulated sugar, three teaspoonfuls each of ground cloves, cinnamon and allspice and a teaspoonful of ground ginger. Put into a kettle with two quarts of vinegar and boil for three hours. Set aside until cool before bottling.

Test for Eggs. To know if an egg is fresh, place it in a basin of cold water. If it remains at the bottom, it is all right; if it floats at all, it is of rather doubtful freshness; if it floats gaily on the surface, you may be certain it is quite bad.

Metal Tents Kept Sweet. Metal tents, if disused for some time, give a musty flavor to the tea when next used. This may be prevented by placing a lump of sugar in the tent before putting away.

PERUNA A TONIC OF GREAT USEFULNESS



HON. R. S. THARIN

Hon. R. S. Tharin, attorney-at-law and counsel for Anti-Trust League, writes from Pennsylvania Ave. N. W., Washington, D. C. as follows:

"Having used Peruna for catarrhal disorders, I am able to testify to its great remedial excellence and do not hesitate to give it my emphatic endorsement and earnest recommendation to all persons affected by that disorder. It is also a tonic of great usefulness."

Mr. T. Barneott, West Aylmer, Ontario, Can., writes: "Last winter I was ill with pneumonia after having la grippe. I took Peruna for two months, when I became quite well. I also induced a young lady, who was all run down and confined to the house, to take Peruna, and after taking Peruna for three months she is able to follow her trade of tailoring. I can recommend Peruna for all such who are ill and require a tonic."

Pe-ru-na Tablets

Some people prefer to take tablets, rather than to take medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the solid medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet is equivalent to one average dose of Peruna.

According to Rules.

Sentry—You can't leave. Soldier—But I have the captain's oral permission. Sentry (importantly)—Let's see it! —Il Motto per Riders.

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GIVES RECIPE FOR SIMPLE HOME-MADE KIDNEY CURE.

Inexpensive Mixture of Harmless Vegetable Ingredients Said to Overcome Kidney and Bladder Trouble Promptly.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement in a New York daily newspaper, that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe; try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Karg-n, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known physician is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul, decomposed waste matter, which cause the afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

A "hat shop" was opened in London by the Countess Fabricotti, recently. Liveried footmen handed around tea and cakes.

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BITS FOR BOOKWORMS

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett has become editor of the Children's Magazine. Mr. Vivian Burnett, her son, has become manager.

The Saturday Review says the following has never been told in print before: "Ruskin had been inveigling against 'usury'; a bishop of Manchester defended the custom, though of course not in its worse form. A worthy acquaintance wrote to Ruskin taking up arms for the bishop. Whereupon Ruskin replied: 'You and the Bishop of Manchester are dangling over the pit of hell, and you want me to sprinkle you with rose water.'"

Limerick compositions are engaging the versifiers of Boston. A prize of \$100 is offered for the best finishing line to ditties such as this:

If you search from Rhode Island to Maine,

Throughout the whole Yankee domain, By day or by night, What can equal the sight—

One week the prize was given to the person who wrote:

Of a maid that is fair but not vain. The reason for this decision has not yet been disclosed.

M. Henri Rochefort, who has withdrawn from the Intransigent, is supposed to have lain down with a managerial wolf whom he took for a sheep. The firebrand journalist has escaped enough intact to be a welcome addition to the editorial staff of the Patrie.

Emile Massard, its director, says that "M. Henri Rochefort leaves the journal which he founded, animated and personified, for reasons that concern him and do not call for our approval or disapproval. We are delighted to place our columns at his disposal. In them he may express his opinions with perfect frankness." Under this happy condition M. Rochefort, 77 years old though he be, has recommenced his "slapdash, virulent daily pamphlets against men who happen to be in power."

Miss Elizabeth Robins has written a novel to be called "The Convert." It is a story of the woman suffrage movement, with the scene laid in London. Miss Robins is certain to have appreciated the higher aspects of this long fight against masculine and feminine conservatism. The hysteria in the lobbies at Westminster last spring was not confined to the excited suffragists. It seized most of the critics who scoffed at the petticoat warriors, as well as most of the policemen who faced them. The theme of woman's suffrage, though conducive to emotional aberration, could be made stimulating and vital in the highest degree. It served Marcel Prevost for an interesting if rhapsodic study, and there is every hope that Miss Robins' book, coming from the better situated sex, will surpass "FREDERIQUE."

Still in the Race. Cyrus Greenough had decided that the methods of New England were too slow for him, and had, therefore, moved to a stirring Western town. From his new residence he sent a paper now and then to one of his old friends.

"I guess Cy has struck just the spot to suit him," this old friend said one day, as he opened his big wallet and extracted from it a newspaper clipping. "There's been a good many things, first and last, that have made me think so; but you just pass your eye over that," and he handed the clipping to his neighbor. "Read it out," he said, and the neighbor read:

"The tornado which struck this town yesterday afternoon completely demolished the dwelling-house of Cyrus Greenough, one of our prominent citizens. When seen by our special reporters. Mr. Greenough was in the best of spirits, he and his wife and three children having temporarily moved into the vestry of the Presbyterian Church."

"Mr. Greenough spoke of his satisfaction in the fact that his store was unharmed, and his business could go on without interruption. Although he was somewhat bruised about the head and arms, Mr. Greenough was able to demonstrate the workings of his new patent shoe-lacing with ease and clearness. Price five cents a pair, three pairs for ten cents."

Not to Be Waxed. Ben Cary had near his house a swamp, which was a breeding-place for herds of man-eating mosquitoes. Some enterprising neighbors, who learned of the crude oil treatment, went to Ben and tried to persuade him to exterminate the pests.

"Exterminate 'em?" said Ben. "Not much. Not much. Why, Miss Cary an' I just paid thirty-two dollars for screening the side plazer that she's ben pestering me about for years. How we goin' to get any good of it, if we kill off the skeeters?"

His Forte. "Well," asked the first physician, "what has that strange patient of yours got?" "I don't know," replied the other, "but I'm trying to turn it into typhoid fever. That's my great specialty, you know."

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Successful. Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a diplomat? Pa—A diplomat, my son, is a politician who can make people believe that he doesn't want what he can't get.

District Attorney Jerome of New York pleads guilty to three weaknesses—candy eating, cooking strange dishes and making furniture.

CASTORIA

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Anxiety. "Why, what's the matter, child?" "Boohoo! I ain't had no offers yet an' I'm nearly 5 years old an' I'm achered I'm goin' to be a ole maid! Boohoo!"

The Modern Way. Scribbles—How would you go about getting a play on the stage? Dribbles—I'd first write a novel.

SKIN DISEASES

HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

When the blood is pure, fresh and healthy, the skin will be soft, smooth and free from blemishes, but when some acid humor takes root in the circulation its presence is manifested by a skin eruption or disease. These humors get into the blood, generally because of an inactive or sluggish condition of the members of the body whose duty it is to collect and carry off the waste and refuse matter of the system. This unhealthy matter is left to sour and ferment and soon the circulation becomes charged with the acid poison. The blood begins to throw off the humors and acids through the pores and glands of the skin, producing Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and skin eruptions of various kinds. 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, face, arms and legs, though other parts of the body may be affected. In Tetter the skin dries, cracks and bleeds; the acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, which are intended to keep it soft and pliant, causing a dry, feverish condition and giving it a hard, leathery appearance. Acne makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and black heads, while Psoriasis comes in scaly patches on different parts of the body. One of the worst forms of skin trouble is Salt Rheum; its favorite point of attack is the scalp, sometimes causing baldness. Poison Oak and Ivy are also disagreeable types of skin disease. The humor producing the trouble lies dormant in the blood through the winter to break out and torment the sufferer with the return of Spring. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and removes the humors so that the skin instead of being irritated and diseased, is nourished by a supply of fresh, healthy blood. External applications of salves, washes, lotions, etc., while they soothe the itching caused by skin affections, can never cure the trouble.

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