

## Disfigured Skin

Wasted muscles and decaying bones. What have! Scrofula, let alone, is capable of all that, and more. It is commonly marked by bunches in the neck, inflammations in the eyes, dyspepsia, catarrh, and general debility. It is always radically and permanently cured by

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*E. W. Groves*

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Mrs. Oldday—Mine!  
Observing Gent—Well, I thought it was yours.

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"He told her that he'd rather quarrel with her than kiss any other girl."

## What S. S. S. Does for Children

Children are constantly exposed to all sorts of diseases. The air they breathe is filled with germs, sewer gas and dust from the filthy streets are inhaled into the lungs and taken into the blood. At the crowded school rooms and other public places they come in contact almost daily with others recovering from or in the first stages of contagious diseases. You can't quarantine against the balance of the world, and the best you can do is to keep their blood in good condition, and thus prevent or at least mitigate the disease. You have perhaps learned from observation or experience that healthy, robust children (and this means, of course, children whose blood is pure) are not nearly so liable to contract diseases peculiar to them, and when they do it is generally in a mild form. On the other hand, weak, emaciated and sickly ones seem to catch every disease that comes along. This is because their blood is lacking in all the elements necessary to sustain and build up the body. Poisons of every description accumulate in the system, because the polluted and sluggish blood is unable to perform its proper functions.

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The Duke—Just give me a month's option on that and I'll consider it.

### Automobiles Transport Wagons.

Experiments in France have proved convincing, and the French believe they are certain to play a role of much importance in modern warfare. It is odd to note the different uses to which nature and science are put. On the battlefield they fight for the destruction of life, while throughout the country, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters fights to preserve it. For fifty years the Bitters has been curing dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and biliousness. It will also prevent malaria, fever and ague.

### A Matter of Environment.

"You ought to rise with the lark."  
"Well, if I had to perch all night on a cold twig I suppose I'd be glad to."

### THE BAKER'S DOZEN.

Thirteen Reasons Explaining Popularity of the "Anchor" Clamp.

A great deal is heard now about the "anchor" fences that have sprung into wide popularity of late. It is claimed that they are the cheapest and most durable fences on earth, hence their general adoption. Minute inquiry into details of construction reveals the fact that "anchor" clamps hold (rivet tight) the large wires of which the fence is made, thus making the fence five times as strong and durable as any other fence on the market.

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9. It can be used for making new or repairing old fences.
10. It is the only tie yet devised by which a fence can be made in any manner desired, or repaired without rebuilding.
11. It makes the BEST and most durable fence on the market.
12. IT IS CHEAP.
13. Merit alone can stand the test of time.

The company will send you an illustrated book on the subject free, if you write to them.

### Not Expensive Enough.

Mr. Park Slope—Do you believe that the doctors will agree that, after all, salt is the elixir of life?  
Mr. Midwood—Never! It's too cheap!

### Stop the Cough and Works Off the Gold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, No Pay. Price 25-cents.

### A Narrow Escape.

May—You came near accepting Jack once, didn't you?  
Belle—Oh, yes; I offered to toss a coin to see if I would marry him or not, but he didn't have a coin to toss.

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### Maud's Pleasing Fiction.

"Maud never wears rubbers."  
"Why not?"  
"She'd rather say she couldn't get a pair small enough to fit her."

## MELODIES OF FOSTER.

MOST POPULAR SONGS AMERICA HAS PRODUCED.

Author Died Nearly Fifty Years Ago, but His Work is Yet Fondly Held in Remembrance—Popularity of "Old Folks at Home."

John Habberton of "Helen's Babies" reputation, points out in the Literary Era that the songs most sung in our land, and almost the only American songs sung in other civilized lands, are those of Stephen C. Foster, who died nearly fifty years ago. Foster left over 150 songs, of which the words, as well as the melodies, were his. Not all are remembered, but the number of familiar ones is remarkable. His "Old Folks at Home" is the most popular song in existence. Mr. Habberton tells us it has been translated into all the languages of Europe, and also into some of Asia and the Isles of the sea. "The Blues are poetic only in the sense of suggestion; they are so simple and artless that it would seem any school child could pen them and improve on them, but they express the sentiment of every homesick man or woman who ever lived."

Almost as popular, says Mr. Habberton, for the reason that it appeals to a some-time incident in almost every life, is "Hard Times," which has been sung with feeling in New York brokers' offices within a few weeks.

"Oh, Susanna" took the world by storm, and to its music scores of other words have been set.

"It is the misfortune of song writers," continues Mr. Habberton, "that some of the strongest and most honorable human sentiments appear so unromantic to the observer that the composer avoids them through absolute fear. One of these sentiments is that of conjugal affection, upon which depends much of coming humanity that is to be above the level of the animal. Yet how many songs in praise of the married life can the happiest husband recall? After searching his memory frantically, he generally responds with Foster's 'Maggie by My Side.' The song is more ambitious than its author's other works, but it leaves the impression that life and fate may do their worst while 'Maggie's by my side.'"

"Many of Foster's songs have survived the 'peculiar' institution that inspired them. Among them is 'Old Black Joe.' Of this it may be said in passing that when Wilhelm, the virtuoso violinist, first reached the United States he went at once, with a great enthusiasm and a small English vocabulary, to a music store and demanded the score of something which he called 'Black Jack.' The man at the counter knew no musical piece with that name, and not even Wilhelm's card stimulated his memory.

"Ach himmel!" exclaimed the virtuoso. "Gif me a violin."  
"The instrument was brought, Wilhelm looked at it suspiciously and sniffed sarcastically at each chord that responded to the tuning keys, but when the instrument had been brought to its best the violinist forgot it and himself as he drew the bow and brought forth some recollections of the music of which he was in search. They were not entirely according to score, but when he stopped and asked: 'Know you not that divine air?' the answer came chorally from twenty throats: 'Old Black Joe.'

"Ach, so! That will I play to the Americans. When they know it not, they are beasts."

"Wilhelm's 'first night' went slowly, though he played mercurially of the masters with faultless technique. Not to capture a first-night audience is equivalent to a defeat. Wilhelm was mortified and angry, but he would give the American barbarians one more chance. He played 'Old Black Joe,' and his fortune was made. Yet 'twas not because of the virtuoso's playing; hundreds in the audience knew the words of the song—a vague wonder as to why one should fear to die, when many whom he loved had gone before him and seemed to be calling him away. The words were simple in the extreme, but they expressed entirely the sentiment of longing for the companionship of the loved and lost. Can as much be said of any great poet's words that have been set to music?"

Not until one looks over a list of Foster's songs does one fully realize that almost without exception the most prized songs in his memory belong to Foster. Really, "the best-known and best-loved song writer of the world came not from any great musical center of Europe, but from a town that in Foster's day was 'way out west' in the United States." This was Pittsburgh, which had the honor of being his home and birthplace.

**Etiquette of Coinage.**  
In the new coins the king's head will look from left to right; Queen Victoria is represented looking from right to left. According to very old custom the new sovereign must not look the same way as his predecessor.—Liverpool Courier.

**Up to Date.**  
"I am going to roast you," said the cannibal chief sternly.  
"O, I'm used to that," said the captive facetiously; "you see, I umpire baseball games at home."—Ohio State Journal.

The monocle is frequently sneered at, but some of the sneerers might get along better if they were to stop at one glass.

Love looks through a window; envy through a keyhole.

## A STARTLING STORY

TOLD BY A KANSAS CITY NEWS AGENT.

In an Interview He Relates How He Accomplished What Many Others Have Failed to Do.

Jack Williams, of No. 401 Delaware street, says the Kansas City, Mo., Journal, is well known as an enterprising news agent and a thoroughly reliable man. He had been a sufferer from kidney trouble and endured much pain from it until recently, when he tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and with such success that within a short time he was entirely and permanently cured. To a reporter he said:

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**Kidney complaint is an insidious disease.** First come almost unnoticed pains in the back and some slight inconvenience. The pains grow gradually worse and the inconvenience greater till finally, if not given medical treatment, the person suffers awful torture and becomes unfit to follow his ordinary occupation. Blood poisoning sets in, the constitution is wrecked and death often results.

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### The Necessary Advances.

She—You should speak to papa first. You don't expect him to make the advances, do you?  
He—Well, if he doesn't, how are we to get married?

### She Knew Him.

"All is lost save honor," telephoned the defeated candidate to his wife at 2 a. m.

"Well, you'll have to walk home, then," she answered, "for that won't do you any good on the owl cars." And then nothing but the low, hoarse buzzing of the telephone wires answered her.

### Started Her Song.

Mrs. Brown (at Mrs. Smith's tea party)—Oh, dear, that dreadful Miss Smith is singing again. I wonder what started her.

Tommy Brown (aged seven)—I dropped a penny down her back when she wasn't looking.

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### His View of It.

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Thingumbob—Such ignorance! My dear man, no woman is ever economical. She is either extravagant or stingy.

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### Fond of the Baby.

"My wife doesn't stay but a week down at her mother's."

"Homesick!"  
"No; but her younger sisters admired our baby so much that they nearly washed it to pieces."

### Not Essentials.

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Campaign manager—Yes, but in politics a big superstructure can be built without any foundation.

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### "Robbing Peter."

Towne—For goodness sake, what are you so cranky about?

Brown—Oh, I asked my wife to sew a button on my coat.

Towne—And wouldn't she do it?

Brown—Yes; but I've just discovered that the button she sewed on my coat was cut from my vest.

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### A Forced Alliance.

Muggins—He married the cook, I believe.  
Buggins—Yes; you see she wanted to leave.

### Fashion in Kansas.

"What did that Kansas woman want?"  
"She wanted a hatched pocket put in the side of her seal coat."

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