

# Eruptions

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

To treat these eruptions with drying medicine 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. O. Hines, Peoria, Ill., of eczema, from which he had suffered for some time, and Miss Alvena Walter, West 212, Atlanta, Ga., of pimples on her face and back and chafed skin on her body, for 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.

### Chicago Boomers.

Don't tell a Chicago man that his city has less than three million population unless you are prepared to fight. Boomers of the Lake City have reorganized their Two Million Club, rechristened it the Three Million Club, donned their aggressive club buttons and promised allegiance to the club constitution, which provides that each member must claim at all times that Chicago has at least three million people.

### FITS

Permanently cured. No more nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Philadelphia, Pa.

### Pardonable Pride.

It was commencement day and Miss Eunice Watson had taken one of the principal prizes. At the close of the exercises her friends crowded around her to offer their congratulations. "But weren't you awfully afraid you wouldn't get it?" asked one of them. "Oh, no," said Miss Eunice, with a bright smile. "I just knew that when it came to English composition I had 'em all skinned alive."—Youth's Companion.

### CATARH CAN'T BE CURED

With local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal medicine. It is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills. It is described by one of the best authorities in the country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best medicine known, combined with the best kind of purgative, acting directly on the mucous surface. The perfect combination of the two ingredients in Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills results in curing catarrh. Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills. Prepared by Dr. J. C. Hood, Proprietor, Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 25c. Hood's Family Pills are the best.

### Called Him Brother.

Harlow—I noticed you called Fred "brother." Does he belong to some secret society that you do? Shalop—I don't belong to any secret society. I call him brother because my wife once promised to be a sister to him.

### Mad.

Mooney—I've heard a rumor that she is to be married. O'ohaback—Yes. Mooney—Who's the lucky one? O'ohaback—Neither of them. If they only knew it.—Philadelphia Press.

### For coughs and colds there is no better medicine than Piso's Cure for Consumption. Price 25 cents.

### True Faith.

An aged Negro who leaned heavily upon a stick and a woman companion of somewhat lighter shade and younger stopped before a flower bed in Prospect park the other day. Directly in front of them was a bed of flowers in the shape of a star. For a few minutes the old man and the woman gazed intently at the floral star. Finally the man grabbed his companion by the arm and pointed at the bed and said: "Jennie, the works of God are great, 'Deed dey do." "Dee certainly be, Thomas."—New York Sun.

### An Affectionate Scene.

Mr. Youngblood—Darling, you have been weeping. What is it, my sweetest love? Mrs. Youngblood—Horse radish!

### Woman's Way.

She—Now that I have openly confessed my one indiscretion to you, what do you say? He—That you have committed a second.—Brooklyn Life.

### UNABLE TO SLEEP AT NIGHT.

Sidney, Ohio, August 26, 1908. A few months ago I was feeling weak and run down and unable to get sleep at night. I felt extremely bad, and also had rheumatic pains in my joints and muscles. The medicine I used gave me only temporary relief at best, so seeing Dr. S. S. S. I bought a box of his pills for such troubles. I began its use, and after taking it a few days I felt much better. The pills gave me a refreshing sleep and built up my general system, giving me strength and energy. It is a good medicine, without a doubt, and I take pleasure in endorsing it. R. P. D. No. 1. S. S. DOUGHTON.

### IN THE EARLY DAYS.

The world has been a long time in making a little progress. The delight with which the public had greeted the slow-going stage coach shows how little was required to arouse the people and call forth their astonishment. That a vehicle which required two days to make the trip from New York to Philadelphia should have been known as "The Flying Machine," no longer ago than 1790, seems almost incredible in this day when we go from New York to Chicago in half that time.

### As a study of contrasts, before and after the great awakening which followed the birth of steam power and the inauguration of the locomotive, this chapter from a hundred years ago is interesting.

The stage coach was the marvel of a slow age which the world had been centuries in reaching; the locomotive is the necessity of a rapid age, which has not yet celebrated its centennial.—From "The Era of Stage Coaches," in Four-Track News.

If you want fame, don't write a book; invent a washing machine.

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## Perhaps your mother had thin hair, but that is no reason why you must go through life with half-stroved hair. If you want long, thick hair, feed it with Ayer's Hair Vigor, and make it rich, dark, and heavy.

1/2 50 a bottle. All druggists.

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### Alighted Too Soon.

It had taken considerable persuasion to induce the old lady to trust herself in an automobile, but finally she consented because, says the Automobile Magazine, she was anxious to reach the bedside of her sick grandchild in a village some twenty miles away.

The owner of the big automobile, who was touring through Long Island, had been very kind about it. He happened to be near the station when the old lady found she had misread her train, and when he overheard her lamentations he insisted that she should accompany him. His route lay through that particular one of the half-dozen Long Island villages named Hampton where the sick grandchild lay.

They started at last, and everything went well until, in attempting to pass a wagon which occupied most of the road, the flying automobile went unexpectedly into the ditch, and rather violently deposited its occupants in an adjoining field.

Recovering from the shock, although somewhat confused from the rather unusual method of alighting, the old lady asked of the chagrined chauffeur: "Is this a-a Hampton?"

"No, ma'am," he managed to gasp; "this is an accident."

"O dear!" said the old lady. "Then I hadn't oughter have got out here, had I?"

### Had Lost Track of the Case.

The young woman who, when asked if she had read Romeo and Juliet, replied that she had never read Juliet, but she thought Romeo was lovely, was of the same temperament as a village postmaster who knew or all the doings of the world, great and small.

Some wags from a neighboring town who strolled into the postoffice one day thought they would have some sport with the wise man.

"I suppose it's pretty dead up here, Mr. Pratt," said one.

"Well, not so dead as you think I guess there ain't much goes on that we don't hear about, even if it don't happen right here."

"Why, you people don't know the war's over," said another, falling back on the stock phrase.

"Oh, you can't work that dodge on me," replied the postmaster, looking abashedly over his spectacles. "I guess I followed the negotiations with Kitchener in the papers."

"But there are some things that aren't in the papers," said another youth. "I don't believe you know when Shakespeare died."

"Well, no," said the postmaster. "I didn't know that he was dead, but I heard last week he was pretty low."

### The Nebular Hypothesis.

The nebular hypothesis survives in name, but with annotations indefinitely multiplied. Regarding the modus operandi of cosmic change there is no consensus of opinion. That there was in the beginning a solar nebular all are agreed, but whether it was gaseous or pulverulent, whether it shone with interrupted or continuous light, how it became ordered and organized, how it collected into spheres, leaving wide interspaces clear, the wisest are perplexed to decide.

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### His Explanation.

"To what you attribute this alleged decline in the drama?" "To a very simple fact," answered Mr. Sturmlington Barnes. "Too many of our actors care more about playing bridge whist or baseball than they do about playing 'Hamlet.'"—Washington Star.

### Exports of England and America.

In eleven years British manufactured exports have decreased by 8.5 per cent, American manufactured exports have increased by 174 per cent and German manufactured exports have increased by 85.5 per cent.

### Child Education.

St. Petersburg is to have a world's fair "devoted to child education, its growth, its achievements and its most advanced methods." Seventeen million children in Russia have no school opportunities at all.

# FARMING IN ALASKA.

Although much has been written in ridicule and condemnation of the government seed distribution, one portion of the country believes in it emphatically. During the past year the government has given seeds of hardy vegetables, early grains, clover, grass and flower seeds to seven hundred and fifty settlers in different parts of Alaska. So difficult is it to obtain seeds in the far north that without such provision few would attempt gardening. Miners and prospectors on the rivers and creeks far in the interior report that their home produce not only greatly reduces the cost of living, but in a land of canned goods is an important factor in good health.

### An Indian Farmer reports that he is "raising a world's cabbage," another that he lived all last summer on vegetables from government seed.

"Look here, my neighbor," says one of his strawberies from government runners were five and a half inches in circumference. A white miner at Skagway declares his hardy flowers "the finest grown anywhere," another that a pumpkin vine grew twenty-four inches in twenty-four hours. In Valdez, where in twelve weeks they had only six fine days, gardens were still a source of pleasure and profit, and a delight to summer tourists. At Coldfoot, one hundred miles north of the Arctic circle, the United States commissioner had good success with turnips, lettuce and radishes, at a time when potatoes were 45 cents a pound at the grocery. At Point Barrow, in the extreme north, twenty-seven days after seeding, the harvesting of lettuce and radishes began. Their condition was perfect, the large amount of atmospheric electricity and the stimulating force of the summer sun causing marvelous rapidity of growth.

### The Fulcrum of the Russian Persecution, are leaving their native land in large numbers, desire to settle in Alaska, where the climate is similar to their own. A site for their settlement has been selected on the Kenai peninsula, lands have been surveyed, some houses put up and crops started from government seed. If Alaska succeeds in securing a large immigration of the sturdy and industrious Finns, her development will be vastly augmented.

Meanwhile emigrants from the States are alive to opportunities in our northern territory. Five thousand passengers have already been carried to Nome alone this summer, the influx seeming to justify President Roosevelt's prediction that Alaska will one day be as populous as the Scandinavian peninsula.

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