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Present Day Physical Science.

The working theories that have been followed in physics and thrown away when they did not square with the facts discovered under more or less described in a paper by Professor D. W. Hering of the University of the City of New York in The Popular Science Monthly.

Professor Hering calls our attention to the fact that modern textbooks of physics, or "philosophy," as it used to be vaguely called, contain no such discussions of "simple mechanical powers" as the ones of a generation ago did.

Light is caused by vibrations of the ether. These vibrations are called light waves. The distance across from the crest of one of the movements to the next is called a wave length, and it is by measuring this distance that many wonderful discoveries have been made.

When an object is approaching a given point, a greater number of light waves from it will fall upon that point. As it recedes the number will be less.

Nobody knows just what electricity is. It is such a different manifestation of energy from anything else known that we cannot say what it is.

Signor Tanlongo, the Roman banker who was acquitted by a jury of frauds of which he was undoubtedly guilty, has retired to a monastery of Passionist Fathers.

Some "green" farmer representatives in Eastern Oregon are telling the local papers what bills are going to be passed by the next legislature.

Senator Brich thinks that the railroads could not form a trust under the present law. The senator is right, but so one knows better than he that railroads do not act under the law, but over it.

A False Diagnosis. La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles it.

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

Interesting Items Picked Out from the Daily Dispatches. Letters from the civil service commission have been sent to federal employes throughout the country informing them that they need pay no attention to demands for campaign assessments.

The sugar trust officials, Messrs. Havermeier and Searies, were arraigned in the criminal court of the district of Columbia before Judge Cole and pleaded not guilty to the indictments against them for refusing to answer the questions of the senate sugar trust investigating committee.

The Postoffice Museum has been formally thrown open to the public. Postmaster-General Bissell has taken especial pride in the museum and has forwarded its success in every way within his power.

Dr. F. Schifano, a young Italian, is the oldest person in that state. Her age is 108 years and she is healthy and cheerful and does not look to be over 70.

When Baby was sick, we cried for Cuticura. When she became a child, we gave her Cuticura. When she had children, she gave them Cuticura.

The Coluna volcano is in eruption. Frederick M. Steele, a Mont Clair (N. J.) geologist, who has been exploring the thyrst crystals in the Montclair mountains recently unearthed a box 18 by 12 inches bound with steel bands.

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Testimony in the Worden case at Woodland is being taken. The discharged company G of the National Guard of Washington held a meeting at Spokane and decided to contest the governor's order of discharge.

E. A. Gilbert, postmaster and telegraph operator at Dungeness, attempted suicide at Port Townsend by cutting his throat with a razor. A mortgage of \$75,000 given by the Sunset Telephone and Telegraph company on its lines in California and Washington is the two states.

A three-lap cement bicycle track is to be built at San Jose. No expense will be spared to make it the fastest bicycle track in the world. Mrs. John Seabury of San Bernardino died of an attack of apoplexy at night with a candle in her hand.

Father George of St. Peter's Catholic church, Chicago, ended mass the other day by abruptly leaving the altar, and Blanked his hands several desperate attempts to escape since his arrest.

Viscount Drumlay, eldest son of the Marquis of Drumlay, was shot in the head recently while shooting over the coverts of Quoatock Lodge, Bridgewater, Somersetshire, England, the residence of Edward J. Stanley.

Life or Death? It is of vital importance that it should be understood by persons whose kidneys are inactive, that this condition of things is not a disease, but a symptom of a disease.

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Missouri Presbyterians are active in the cause of the honorarium. Adolph Kraus has bought the Chicago Times. Chile has refused China's offer to purchase six warships.

The Berlin municipal council refused to limit a drummer to eight hours. The executive board of the Western and Southwestern railroad lines has entered into an agreement to abolish all passes after Jan. 1 next.

The missing doctor, A. B. Conklin of Caspott, Mich., has returned to his home and tells a crazy story of having been kidnaped by masked burglars and carried about the country.

The federal grand jury at Chicago has returned an omnibus indictment against Debs and the other officers of the American Railway Union, and a large number of parties charged with participation in obstructing the mails on different roads last summer.

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BRIG. GEN. H. B. COMPTON. J. L. MAY, Capt. Commanding.

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Catarrh in the Head

An Unfortunate Inheritance—How It Was Destroyed. "Spokane, Wash., Aug. 9, 1892."

An express package containing \$2,000 in gold was opened somewhere between Cheyenne and Ogden, on the Union Pacific road, about two weeks ago.

Perry Deal, a well-known placer miner, was shot by a highwayman near Delta, Mont. Deal had just been taking \$2,500 in gold dust to town.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than in all other places put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable.

Will T. Martin, a Clark county (Miss.) farmer, killed his child because it cried too loudly when he had to be carried in a mob was waiting to lynch him.

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