

"Deride Not Any Man's Infirmities."

Tell him, rather, how to get rid of them. Most infirmities come from bad blood and are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Consumption - "After the grip I had a bad cough, dizziness and night sweats. Hood's Sarsaparilla helped me and four bottles cured me perfectly."

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-bruising and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Queen's Ice Chest. The stores of ice at Windsor, Osborne and Balmoral castles are very large.

Larry-Norah hung her Jersey jacket over the stove an' it was scorched. Dd' ye hear about it, Dinny?

Denny-Of idid; an' O' also hur-rud that it changed th' jacket completely. Larry-How phwas that?

Denny-Well, ye see, it phwas a jersey jacket whin she hung it thor, but, faith, after it was scorched it phwas a smoking jacket.-Chicago Daily News.

A medical paper directs attention to the curious fact that scarlet fever has never been observed in epidemic form in the tropical or subtropical regions of Asia or Africa.

In Janesville, Wis., is a pearl button factory which turns out thousands of the finest quality of buttons.

For lung and chest diseases, Piso's Cure is the best medicine we have used.-Mrs. J. L. Northcutt, Windsor, Ont., Canada.

It appears from British consular reports that Morocco offers a considerable field for the engineer.

A rooster figured prominently in a case which was tried in the Coney Island police court the other day.

India has perhaps a greater variety of plants than any other country in the world, having 15,000 native species.

The South Kensington museum is constantly adding to the collection of scientific instruments and models of old-fashioned machines.

It now appears probable that the Mount Blair railway will eventually be built.

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BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're not in good health.



KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

A Land of Promise.

Rev. Joseph Parker, the eminent English preacher, confesses that in his youth the sound of the name Van Diemen's Land - now known as Tasmania - powerfully affected his imagination.

Rockers and Insanity. The rocking chair causes insanity, so it is said.

The Mystery of Dust at Sea. It is a puzzling fact that the decks of sailing vessels in the morning, even if washed in the night, are never dry.

He Caught On. Ho-Do you believe in hypnotism? She-I heard the other day of a man who was hypnotized by being made to look for some time at a diamond ring.

Improved Train Equipment. The O. R. & N. and Oregon Short Line have added a buffet, smoking and library car to their Portland-Chicago through train.

The German military experts who are superintending the construction of the Southwest African railway from Swakopmund to Windhoek.

At a recent auction sale at Zurich more than 1,000 gold and silver Swiss coins of the 15th to the 19th centuries were disposed of.

SALT LAKE CITY.

An Important Factor in Transcontinental Travel. No one crossing the continent can afford to cut Salt Lake City from his route.

The Rio Grande Western Railway, connecting on the East with the Denver & Rio Grande and Colorado Midland Railways and on the West with the Southern Pacific (Central Route) and Oregon Short Line.

Several hundred river drivers leave Bangor, Maine, every spring for the headwaters of the Penobscot, Kennebec, Androscoggin and Connecticut rivers.

The board of education and the police department of New York are the two most expensive departments of the municipal government.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed to my presence, this 4th day of December, A. D. 1896.

Hall's Family Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

Didn't Work. "What a beautiful longing!" "Yes. That's a birthday present from my husband. He always gives me a present that costs him as many dollars as I am years old."

"Is that all? This didn't cost nearly as much as that."-Chicago Tribune.

A resident of Dawson City writes: "As far as my observations go, the climate here is as suitable for raising winter wheat as in any place in the Northwestern or Northern states of America."

Without the Use of Knife. Address DR. NEWKIRK, Mountain Home, Ida.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

Large Deliveries Made on Previous Contracts. R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

This year starts with much of the year's business already done, and all comparisons will prove misleading if that fact is not taken into account.

With the exception of woolen manufactures, the chief industries have met less new business in January than last year, though deliveries on previous contracts have been larger than a year ago.

Wheat rose 1 cent, but soon reacted. Atlantic exports were only 1,466,592 bushels, flour included, for the week.

Speculation in cotton has raised the price to 8 3/4 cents, without improvement in the demand.

Wool is rather weaker in some grades, but stronger in others, so that the average of quotations is steady.

The iron and steel industry is so far tied up by contracts reaching through most of the year, that the effect of production exceeding consumption is felt only in some instances.

Failures for the week have been 232 in the United States, against 224 last year, and 34 in Canada, against 25 last year.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Seattle Markets. Onions, new, \$2.50@2.60 per sack. Lettuce, hot house, 40c per doz.

New Orleans represents more than half the total valuation of Louisiana, and consequently pays more than half the taxes.

One of the richest copper deposits known in the South lies in Pearson county, N. C. The mine is taking out about 100 tons of ore a day.

Of all the curious kinds of lace, especially old lace, the most curious is that which is called point tresse.

Two hundred electric motors will be operating on the Erie canal next year and will propel 1,000 boats.

FOR 14 CENTS. We wish to sell our new potatoes at 14 cents a bushel.

KLONDIKE BOOT AND SHOE BLACKING. A wonderful discovery. Will render the thickest and most porous leather waterproof.

Ferry's SEEDS. grow paying crop because they're fresh and always the best.

BUY THE GENUINE SYRUP OF FIGS. MANUFACTURED BY CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

A HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY. Moore's Revealed Remedy. Will do it quickly and more permanently than any other medicine.

CANCER is Curable Without the Use of Knife.

THE OLDEST MAN IN AMERICA

Tells How He Escaped the Terrors of Many Winters by Using Peruna.



Mr. Isaac Brock, Born in Buncombe Co., North Carolina, March 1, 1788. Says: "I attribute my extreme old age to the use of Peruna."

Born before United States was formed. Saw 22 Presidents elected. Peruna has protected him from all sudden changes.

Always conquered the grippe with Peruna. Witness in a land suit at age of 110 years. Believes Peruna the greatest remedy of the age for catarrhal diseases.

Isaac Brock, a citizen of McLennan county, Texas, has lived 111 years. He now lives with his son-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas.

In speaking of his good health and extreme old age, Mr. Brock says: "After a man has lived in the world as long as I have, he ought to have found out a great many things by experience."

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper remedy for ailments that are due directly to the effects of the climate."

"During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds, catarrh and diarrhoea. I had always supposed these affections to be different diseases, but in reading Dr. Hartman's books I have found out that these affections are the same and that they are properly called catarrh."

"I had several long sieges with the grippe. At first I did not know that Peruna was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that the grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peruna for the grippe and found it to be just the thing."

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Peruna, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy."

Very truly yours, Isaac Brock.

For a free book on catarrh, address The Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, Ohio.

O. R. & N.

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Table with columns: DEPART, TIME SCHEDULES From Portland, ARRIVE. Includes routes to Overland Express, Ogden, Salt Lake, El Paso, New Orleans and East.

Rebate tickets on sale between Portland, Sacramento and San Francisco. Net rates 10% first-class and 20% tourist.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RY.

The only Dining-Car Route from Portland to the East. The only route to the Yellowstone National Park.

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3 DAYS to Minneapolis, Omaha, Kansas City and St. Paul. 5 1/2 DAYS to Milwaukee and Chicago. 6 1/2 DAYS to Washington, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Boston, and other Eastern ports.

Baggage checked through to destination of ticket. For sleeping-car reservations, tickets, maps and full information, call on or write A. D. CHARLTON, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., Portland, Or.

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