

# Scrofula

It is commonly inherited. Few are entirely free from it. Pale, weak, puny children are afflicted with it in nine cases out of ten, and many adults suffer from it. Common indications are blemishes on the neck, abscesses, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, rickets, catarrh, wasting, and general debility.

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Eradicate it, positively and absolutely. This statement is based on the thousands of permanent cures these medicines have wrought.

### Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keep the promise.

An Absurdity. "Suppose," said the friend who had been reading the "Enoch Arden" story, "that you went away out on a sea voyage and came back to find that your wife had married another man?"

"That's an absurd proposition," answered Mr. Meekton. "Henrietta would never be so careless with me as to let me go away on a sea voyage?"

Hamlin's Wizard Oil knocks the spots off your throat when it is sore, and prevents diphtheria, quinsy, etc.

Sure to Come Down. Tom—Yes, we had quarrelled, but I was determined to see her.

FITS Permanently Cured. No fits or nervousness after the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

The Fun of It. Knox—We went to see the Cadleighs last night and had a most enjoyable time.

Cox—The idea! Why they usually fall drowsily at entertaining people.

Are You Using Allen's Foot-Ease? It is the only cure for swollen, smarting, burning, itching feet, corns and bunions.

Too Bad. "Do you know, Miss Frisbie," said the large-headed young author, "my most brilliant thoughts come to me in my sleep."

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption is an equal for coughs and colds.

Family Pride. "Mr. Cumrox is only suffering from an ordinary cold, I believe," said the sympathetic visitor.

The Modern Play. "Your friend, the theatrical manager, has gone abroad, I believe."

Muscular Soreness. As the result of over-exertion and exposure to heat and cold, or from whatever cause, may be treated successfully by the timely application of St. Jacobs Oil.

Lack Well—Brown—What a lucky fellow Robinson is.

Half-Sick. "I first used Ayer's Sarsaparilla in the fall of 1848. Since then I have taken it every spring as a blood-purifying and nerve-strengthening medicine."

If you feel run down, are easily tired, if your nerves are weak and your blood is thin, then begin to take the good old standard family medicine, Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

It's a regular nerve lifter, a perfect blood builder. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

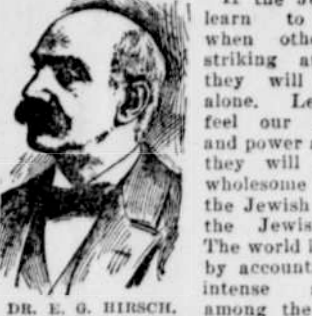
Ask your doctor what he thinks of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He knows all about this old family medicine. Follow his advice and you will be satisfied.

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# PAPERS BY THE PEOPLE

## THE JEW MUST STRIKE BACK.

By Dr. Emil G. Hirsch.



If the Jews will strike back, they will be let alone. Let them feel our strength and power and then they will have a wholesome fear of the Jewish fist and the Jewish kick.

DR. E. G. HIRSCH, among the women in the camps in South Africa, herded together like so many cattle by the British soldiers.

But I can fully understand it—they are Jews. What matter if they suffer? What concern is it of ours? They have no guns to back them; no armored ships to fight for them; they are only Jews.

This is a condition of affairs which calls for justice and not charity. I agree with you Zionists if these Jews feel they have no country they are justified in trying to establish one.

From the pale of Russia to the sweatshops of America does not spell redemption to me, but if their coming here would relieve their wretchedness, I say call them here.

## WORST SIGN OF THE TIMES.

By Dr. Timothy Dwight.

I heard a prominent graduate of that when he was a student many years ago there was in the student community almost a contempt for wealth.

There is surely no worse sign of the times in our day than this; but I believe that much of the old still remains—at least so far as our judgment of men goes. If the evil tendencies that are

## LAYING A CABLE.

Materials Required for the Construction of the New Pacific Line.

For the manufacture of the proposed Pacific cable—the largest in the world—an enormous amount of material will be required. It is estimated that there will be needed 1,980 tons of copper wire, 1,200 tons of gutta serena, 2,300 tons of jute yarn, 4,300 tons of compound and tar and 12,000 tons of steel wire.

As soon as all the cable on board a cable ship has been paid out the end is coiled carefully and attached to a rope, the other end of which is attached to a buoy and dropped into the sea.

## IMPORTED FROM THE ORIENT.

"Chit," a Praiseworthy Institution, Enforces Honesty in Servants.

What is a "chit"? This is a word that has crept into the English language of recent years, and although fairly common in England, its use in this country dates from the Philippine campaign, the war with China, and the still more recent immigration of Japanese into the United States.



manifesting themselves so strongly among our people are to be checked and the glory of the old ancestry is to be preserved, the result must be accomplished through the influence of educated men.

## FOOT-BINDING AMONG THE CHINESE.

By Wu Ting Fang.

The Chinese are abandoning foot binding. It is a fashion that is going out like waist binding among the Caucasians.

The Emperor Shun Chih, who reigned from 1044 to 1052, issued an edict against this fashion, positively prohibiting it.

The methods of binding in vogue in China and the period of commencing the practice vary, but the bandages are applied at from 5 to 8 years of age.

The dishonesty of native servants is proverbial among the English and American residents in India, the Philippines, China and Japan.

The diary of Captain Hoffman of the Royal Navy, which has been published under the title of "A Sailor of King George," contains a story of masquerade which must have been amusing from a British point of view.

Hoffman had been sent to a house in Jamaica where able-bodied seamen were reported to be in hiding. When the party entered the house they found three stately females sitting in a table draped stockings. Near by was a cradle covered with a net.

The lieutenant assured them that he entered with reluctance upon the duty he had to perform, but as he had information that seamen frequently hid in the house he must search it.

Such was the original meaning and application of the word "chit," a corruption of a Hindostanee word which has the same meaning as "receipt" in our own tongue.

## IMPRESSING SEAMEN.

The Old Women's Sewing Circle Was Abruptly Broken Up.

One of the causes of the War of 1812 was the impressment of Americans to serve on British ships. The practice was so extensive that when an English ship came to an American port able-bodied men hid in disguise for fear of being seized.

John Bull at that time claimed the services of every British sailor, whether the man had ever voluntarily entered the navy or not; and if the sailor could speak English he was assumed

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## GREATEST NEED OF NATIONS.

By Lord Rosebery.

The greatest need of the nations of the earth is trained men and women. The nation that has the brightest minds in the various lines in which it is brought in to competition with the world will best maintain its place in the struggle of their country.

What race is best fitted to receive this training? I unhesitatingly answer, the Anglo-Saxon. The Anglo-Saxon stock is capable of anything, whether it be the Anglo-Saxon of America or of Europe.

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Uncle Sam's Good Enough.

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## SORES AND ULCERS.

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