

# S.S.S. NATURE'S PERFECT TONIC

There is scarcely any one, no matter how vigorous and healthy, who does not need a tonic sometimes. Little physical irregularities upset the system, the appetite fails, digestion is poor, the body feels tired and worn out, and other unpleasant symptoms give warning that the system is disordered and needs assistance to ward off, perhaps, some serious sickness or ailment. S. S. S. is recognized everywhere as the best of all tonics, nature's medicine, made entirely of healing, cleansing, invigorating roots and herbs, a systemic remedy without an equal. S. S. S. has the additional value of being the greatest of all blood purifiers. It re-establishes the healthy circulation of the blood, rids the body of that tired, worn-out feeling, improves the appetite and digestion, and brings about a return of health to those whose systems have been weakened or depleted. S. S. S. acts more promptly and pleasantly than any other medicine, and those who are run down in health should commence its use at once. It will thoroughly purify the blood and tone up the system. S. S. S. is admirably suited for a systemic remedy because it is free from minerals; it may be used without harmful results by persons of any age, and no unpleasant effects ever follow.

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**Lifting the Referee.**  
Kotrick—Stood out in the middle of the road the other day to decide an automobile race. They both came in even.  
Van Albert—It was a toss-up, eh?  
Kotrick—I should say so. I was pressed over a haystack.

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**The Artistic Temperament.**  
"Yes," said Mrs. Nuritch, "my son means to be an artist."  
"Indeed?" replied Mrs. Ascum.  
"That's a very laudable ambition."  
"Yes, he thinks it's just cute to wear those flowing black ties."—Philadelphia Press.

**Not Good Form.**  
"When shall I call again with this bill, Mr. Ardup?"  
"I think, young man, as a concession to the conventionalities, you'd better not come any more until I have returned at least one of your calls."

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Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.  
**Recondescence.**  
"I see that Little Loejip is to sing and dance at another dinner somewhere or other."  
"What! Is she alive yet?"  
"No; again."

## MELBA'S SON HAS MARITAL TROUBLES.



MR. AND MRS. GEORGE GEORGE BENTLEY BENTLEY.

The son of Mme. Melba, the great prima donna, has been having marital troubles. The youth, George Armstrong, recently sued for a divorce, and in turn was sued by the beautiful girl he married less than two years ago. Before her marriage Mrs. Armstrong was Miss Ruby Orway, daughter of Sir Jocelyn Orway, owner of the famous Tufon collection of paintings. He has a town and a country house at Taphow. His wealth is estimated in the millions and his daughter is his principal heir.

Mme. Melba's son fell desperately in love about two and a half years ago at a garden party on the upper Thames, where Miss Orway's parents had taken a house. The attachment did not become known to the parents for three months. When the truth was admitted, both Sir Jocelyn and Mme. Melba expressed their strong disapproval. Mme. Melba settled \$10,000 a year on her son, of which \$4,000 secured the marriage settlements. Clouds of distrust and discontent began to gather, and then came separation. Most profound sympathy is expressed for Mme. Melba.

**Precursor of the Eagle.**  
Everybody recognizes the American eagle as the emblem of the United States, but not everybody knows that before the eagle was adopted the popular symbol of the young nation was a rattlesnake.

Early in the revolutionary war flags used to be carried by the colonists which bore a rattlesnake with this motto: "Don't tread on me."  
Those who adopted this symbol believed that the reptile was specially fitting as an emblem of the national character. The rattlesnake does not willingly attack man but when hard driven it becomes vicious; nevertheless, it always gives fair warning of its presence and intention. The poets of the day said that the bright eyes of the snake, free from lids, represented ceaseless vigilance.

In course of time, however, the humble snake became too insignificant as a national emblem and a more impressive symbol was desired and the aspiring and expanding colonists lifted their eyes from the creatures of the earth to the heavens and chose the eagle as best suited to their needs. The eagle means vigilance and activity and speaks of lofty heights, of endurance and fierce courage and of protection to home and young ones.—Philadelphia Record.

**Bullet That Does Not Kill.**  
A bullet that hits the mark but does not kill has just been invented by Dr. Dehrlers of Paris. The details of its construction are not mentioned, but it is said to be hollow and can be used several times. In a test for duel practice pistols were used with steel guards resembling a sword hilt, because, although the bullet does not penetrate the clothing, it will wound naked flesh. Both men wore goggles. Out of 272 shots 202 struck some part of the bodies of the duelists.

**The Fun as Bad as the Play.**  
"I see that Bentley's play has made quite a furor."  
"Indeed, and what did the few roar?"  
"Shoot the author!" "shoot!" and so forth!—Boston Transcript.

**The Only Way.**  
Relle—I told you not to kiss me repeatedly.  
Jack (already a delinquent)—But that's the only way I can kiss you now.—Boston Transcript.  
Many a man is too lazy to marry a rich widow.

## SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

Some of the great Atlantic liners employ 150 Bremen.

American automobiles sold in 1907 brought \$100,000,000.

Ginza telephone poles, reinforced by wire, are being used in some parts of Germany.

The average cost of supplying 1,000,000 gallons of water, based on the report of twenty-two cities, is \$32. This sum includes operating expenses and interest on bonds.

Orders have been posted in the shops of the Pennsylvania railroad system prohibiting swearing among the men while at work. The penalty will be an enforced vacation.

It is said that the method of producing anesthesia by means of electricity, discovered by Professor Le Duc of Nantes, France, is applicable to the painless execution of criminals.

The aluminum books for the blind now being printed in Edinburgh are of thin sheets embossed in the usual way. They are easier to read than paper books, do not soil and are practically indestructible. Their expensiveness is their drawback.

Representative Burleigh of Maine is one of the few members of the House whose biography omits the familiar sentence: "Studied law at the University." He is a real newspaper man, the publisher of the Kennebec Journal, and has been governor and state treasurer of his state.

Mrs. Boorman Wells, the "suffragette," said at a women's luncheon in New York: "You may ridicule us as you please, but when we get the suffrage in London we shan't abuse it as some of your Colorado women do. I heard two Denver men talking at dinner the other night. 'Hello,' said the first, 'here's a Philadelphia genius who has invented buttonless underwear.' 'Oh, that's nothing,' said the second, 'I've worn it ever since my wife got a vote.'"

Father Ehrle, the director of the Vatican library, has been appointed a member of the Academie des Inscriptions, which is one of the five academies that make up the famous Institut de France, and the one that presides over history, archeology and ancient Oriental languages. Father Ehrle is a German and a Jesuit. He is said to be the living authority on the care of books and on the preservation and restoration of old manuscripts.

The "Priory" at Bicester, near Oxford, England, which, as its name indicates, occupies the site of a former religious house, has quite lately been purchased by the Community of Olivetan Benedictine nuns, who, having been expelled from their home in Normandy, sought refuge in Bicester some five years ago. They had the happiness recently of celebrating a religious profession therein—the first that has taken place there since the Reformation.

For centuries Europe has enjoyed a monopoly on cathedrals, the highest exponents of Christian architecture. During the last few years, however, nearly a dozen beautiful structures have been in course of erection or have been completed in the United States, and the time may come when the whole land will be dotted with these masterpieces of art. One of these, now building at St. Paul, under the direction of Archbishop Ireland, will be one of the finest in this country.

Aerial letter boxes have been placed in all large tenement houses and apartment buildings in Budapest, Hungary. When the postman enters the hall on the first floor of a building he places the letters in the boxes allotted to the different families. A spring is then pressed and electricity does the rest. The boxes are shot up to the floor required, where they remain until emptied, or until the postman comes again and brings them down by touching another spring.

Before leaving Christchurch for the antarctic regions, says the Westminster Gazette, Captain Shackleton, the commander of the last British south polar expedition, was duly sworn in as postmaster of King Edward the Seventh Land. He has been authorized by the postmaster general of New Zealand to open an office in that most southerly of the King's dominions, to issue stamps and transmit mails as opportunity offers. These south polar stamps will doubtless be prized by philatelists and other lovers of curios.

Investigating the effect of compressed air on health, two British engineers have shown that a pressure of ninety-two pounds a square inch—more than six atmospheres—may be endured without unpleasant results. The pressure must be taken off at a uniform rate, however, at least twenty minutes being allowed for each fifteen pounds of reduction, and capillary circulation in the body must be kept up by muscular exercise during compression. Slight temporary neuralgic pain in the arms was the only ill effect of the great pressure.

**One Woman's Wisdom.**  
Mrs. Newed—And you paid only 99 cents for that hat?  
Mrs. Oldwed—That's all.  
Mrs. Newed—Your husband was delighted, of course?  
Mrs. Oldwed—I hope you don't think I was foolish enough to tell him I got such a cheap hat.  
Mrs. Newed—Where would the foolish part come in?  
Mrs. Oldwed—Why, if I told him what it cost he'd expect me to be satisfied with bargain counter hats all the rest of my days.

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"I used to know that man when he was a struggling lawyer. What business does he follow now?"  
"Skimming cream." Is he in the dairy business?  
"Dairy nothing! He's receiver for a bankrupt trust company."

**Gave Rein to Her Thoughts.**  
"Looks a bit like rain, ma'am," observed the friendly milkman as he handed in his morning pail.  
"It does, indeed," replied the ready-witted housekeeper, with her gaze fixed on the bottle.—Boston Transcript.

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Scholar—A wheelbarrow.—Illustrated Bits.  
**Standing and Sitting.**  
She sat for an oil portrait of herself, did she not?  
"Yes, Jinx was the artist."  
"How'd it come out?"  
"She sat for it but when she saw it she wouldn't stand for it."—Houston Post.

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"How long have you been at it?"  
"I begin to-morrow."

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