

## General Debility

Day in and day out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself. Food does not strengthen. Sleep does not refresh. It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy—vitality in the ebb, and the whole system suffers. For this condition take

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Brutality. Here the far western orator waxed fervent.

"Fellow citizens," he exclaimed, "ordinarily I pay no attention to campaign slanders, but the candidate on the other ticket has lied about me so persistently and maliciously that forbearance has ceased to be a virtue and I am going to handle him without gloves!" "You can't!" hoarsely bellowed a man with short hair, a thick neck, and a bulldog face.

"Why not?" demanded the orator. "Cause it's agin the rules. Anywhere in this State you've got to have gloves weighin' at least two ounces!"

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Worth Investigating. Sapleigh—A little learning is a dangerous thing, they say.

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## Another viewpoint.

"There is at least one thing to be said in favor of boarding houses," said Wedderly.

"What's that?" queried Singleton. "The man who boards usually gets what he kicks for," explained Wedderly, "but in his own home he kicks in vain."

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# BAD BLOOD

## THE SOURCE OF ALL DISEASE

Every part of the body is dependent on the blood for nourishment and strength. When this life stream is flowing through the system in a state of purity and richness we are assured of perfect and uninterrupted health; because pure blood is nature's safe-guard against disease. When, however, the body is fed on weak, impure or polluted blood, the system is deprived of its strength, disease germs collect, and the trouble is manifested in various ways. Pustular eruptions, pimples, rashes and the different skin affections show that the blood is in a feverish and diseased condition as a result of too much acid or the presence of some irritating humor. Sores and Ulcers are the result of morbid, unhealthy matter in the blood, and Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., are all deep-seated blood disorders that will continue to grow worse as long as the poison remains. These impurities and poisons find their way into the blood in various ways. Often a sluggish, inactive condition of the system, and torpid state of the avenues of bodily waste, leaves the refuse and waste matters to sour and form uric and other acids, which are taken up by the blood and distributed throughout the circulation. Coming in contact with contagious diseases is another cause for the poisoning of the blood; we also breathe the germs and microbes of Malaria into our lungs, and when these get into the blood in sufficient quantity it becomes a carrier of disease instead of health. Some are so unfortunate as to inherit bad blood, perhaps the dregs of some old constitutional disease of ancestors is handed down to them and they are constantly annoyed and troubled with it. Bad blood is the source of all disease, and until this vital fluid is cleansed and purified the body is sure to suffer in some way. For blood troubles of any character S. S. S. is the best remedy ever discovered. It goes down into the circulation and removes any and all poisons, supplies the healthful properties it needs, and completely and permanently cures blood diseases of every kind. The action of S. S. S. is so thorough that hereditary taints are removed and weak, diseased blood made strong and healthy so that disease cannot remain. It cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Sores and Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., and does not leave the slightest trace of the trouble for future outbreaks. The whole volume of blood is renewed and cleansed after a course of S. S. S. It is also nature's greatest tonic, made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, and is absolutely harmless to any part of the system. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores. Book on the blood and any medical advice free to all who write.

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"Then he turned and gazed at her questioningly. She smiled, a bright, unabashed smile, with the whole car looking at her. "Something in that smile warned him, and"—here the conductor paused impressively and tried to hide the twinkle in his eye—"he reached out two pink, chubby little hands to grasp her dangling chateleine. "Well, sir, she kissed one of those chubby little hands and pinched his little apple red cheeks and then asked the woman who held him a question. Guess it was his mother and she asked how old he was."—New York Sun.

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The authorities of the University of Berlin say that statements published abroad to the effect that the stringent regulations concerning the admission of students are designed to exclude many Americans altogether are untrue. Any graduate of an American college who presents a passport and the diploma of bachelor of arts or any other equivalent degree will be admitted without any questions. It is true that the diplomats of some of the smallest institutions bearing the name of colleges are omitted from the list of those recognized. The new regulations are directed against Russians not having sufficient means of support or who are academically unqualified.

## White Animals Can't Smell.

"Pure white animals," said a pet stock dealer, "have no sense of smell. Hence they are continually eating things that disagree with them, and in eight cases out of ten poison themselves and die. Pure white pigs should never be allowed to run loose in the fields and woods. For, without the protection of a sense of smell, such pigs, when they get out, eat all sorts of poisonous roots and berries and die off rapidly. In Africa the white rhinoceros poisons itself by eating the euphorbia, and pure white sheep are difficult to rear because they are continually munching shrubs and grasses that don't agree with them."

## Butler's Flag.

Feb. 21, 1866, General Benjamin F. Butler presented to congress their genuine American flag, made of American materials by American labor, ever constructed in this country. Prior to that time all American government flags had been made of English bunting. Since then all our official flags have been the product exclusively of American material and labor. There were twenty-six stars in the flag at that time.

## An Evidence of Value.

"I suppose you can remember when a lot of this land could have been bought for a song?" "Yes," answered Farmer Cornucopia. "But after seein' how much my daughter's singin' lessons cost that doesn't seem so cheap."—Washington Star.

## TEXTS FOR TELEPHONE USERS.

### Passages from Scripture that May Be Held to Apply.

The Company.—Their line is gone out to all the earth and their words to the end of the world. Ps. xix:4. Trunk Wires.—Thy land shall be divided by line. Amos vii:17. The Service.—Prepared for an hour, and a day, and a month, and a year. Rev. ix:15. They were employed in that work day and night. I. Chron. ix:33. Monopoly.—We have no might against this great company. II. Chron. xx:12.

Now, shall this company lick up all that are round about us? Num. xxii:4. Threatened Competition.—See! There come people down by the middle of the land, another company come along! Judges ix:27. Information.—Is there any number? Job xxv:3. I know not the numbers thereof. Ps. lxxi:15. Search may be made in the book of the records. Ezra iv:15. He telleth the number. Ps. cxlviii:4. His number is 666. Rev. xii:18. I understood the number. Dan. ix:2.

The Call.—When I call, answer me speedily. Ps. cii:2. I called him, but he gave me no answer. Cant. v:6. Then they waited according to their order. I. Chron. vi:32. Call now, if there be any that will answer thee! Job v:1. Where is the receiver? Isa. xxxiv:18.

Let every man be swift to hear and slow to speak. James i:19. Thou didst call me. I. Sam. iii:6. The Conversation.—Call thou and I will answer, or let me speak, and answer thou me. Job xlii:22. They could not take hold of his words. Luke xx:26. Ye have heard my conversation in time past. Gal. i:23. Except ye utter words easy to be understood, how shall it be known what is spoken? for ye shall speak into the air. I. Cor. xiv:9. We use great plainness of speech. II. Cor. iii:12. Except they give a distinction in the sounds, how shall it be known? I. Cor. xiv:7. I had rather speak five words with my understanding than ten thousand in an unknown tongue. I. Cor. xiv:19. The Interruption.—I said in my haste, "I am cut off." Ps. xxxi:22. There is no speech nor language. Ps. xix:3. His name should not have been cut off. Isa. xlviii:19. If he cut off, and shut up, who can hinder him? Job. xi:10. There are so many kinds of voices in the world. I. Cor. xiv:10. Thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh. John iii:8. Put off the former conversation. Eph. iv:22. I will cut him off. Lev. xxvii:10. A dreadful sound is in his ears. Job xv:21. The sound of the grinding is low. Eccles. xii:4. Who hath stretched the line upon it? Job xxxvii:5. Cut off his branches. Dan. ix:4. Rebuke the company! Ps. lxxviii:30. Thou and all thy company. Num. xvi:16. Be damned! Mark xvi:16. What a word is this! Luke iv:36. Forget it! Prov. iv:5. Evildoers shall be cut off. Ps. xxxvii:9.

They went to their own company and reported. Acts iv:23. The Party Wire.—Line upon line, line upon line. Isa. xxviii:10. Both parties shall come before. Exod. xxii:9. While they are yet speaking I will hear. Isa. lxxv:24. Not to boast in another man's line. II. Cor. x:16. Pay Stations.—Will they not pay toll? Ezra iv:13. I shall not be lawful to impose toll. Ezra vii:24. Thou hast nothing to pay. Prov. xxii:27. Wherefore kick ye. I. Sam. ii:29. Twenty and three! Judges x:2. —New York Sun.

Life in a Great City. They were not exactly from the rural districts, but near it. As he finished registering at the Grand Avenue Hotel the clerk politely asked: "Bath?"

The guest laid down the pen, looked at his wife, and asked: "Saray, do we want a bath?" "Why, no, Hiram," she replied, shyly. "You know we both took one before we left home."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Up to Date. "These whistling buoys are very much out of date," said the girl to her companion on the steamer sailing in New York bay. "I don't see anything the matter with them," replied the young man. "Why don't they fix 'em so they'll whistle 'Waiting at the Church.' I wonder?"—Yonkers Statesman.

How They Lay Up Money. Knicker—Rockefeller admires French thrift. Bocker—Well, then, they can't wear Paris gowns.—New York Sun.

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