

RHEUMATISM CAN NOT BE RUBBED AWAY

It is perfectly natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when the muscles, nerves, joints and bones are throbbing and twitching with the pains of Rheumatism the sufferer is apt to turn to the liniment bottle, or some other external application, in an effort to get relief from the disease, by producing counter-irritation on the flesh. Such treatment will quiet the pain temporarily, but can have no direct curative effect on the real disease because it does not reach the blood, where the cause is located. Rheumatism is more than skin deep—it is rooted and grounded in the blood and can only be reached by constitutional treatment—IT CANNOT BE RUBBED AWAY. Rheumatism is due to an excess of uric acid in the blood, brought about by the accumulation in the system of refuse matter which the natural avenues of bodily waste, the Bowels and Kidneys, have failed to carry off. This refuse matter, coming in contact with the different acids of the body, forms uric acid which is absorbed into the blood and distributed to all parts of the body, and Rheumatism gets possession of the system. The aches and pains are only symptoms, and though they may be scattered or relieved for a time by surface treatment, they will reappear at the first exposure to cold or dampness, or after an attack of indigestion or other irregularity. Rheumatism can never be permanently cured while the circulation remains saturated with irritating, pain-producing uric acid. The disease will shift from muscle to muscle or joint to joint, settling on the nerves, causing inflammation and swelling and such terrible pains that the nervous system is often shattered, the health undermined, and perhaps the patient becomes deformed and crippled for life. S. S. S. thoroughly cleanses the blood and renovates the circulation by neutralizing the acids and expelling all foreign matter from the system. It warms and invigorates the blood so that instead

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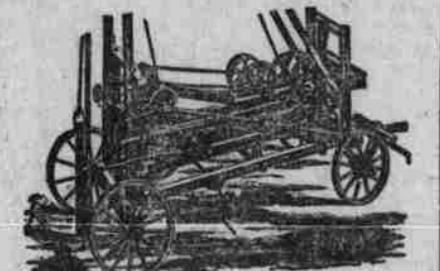
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"There are only fourteen of them," said the veteran after counting, "and now here's your chance."

"Chance to die?" I queried.

"Die nothing! You go at it and run those fellows off. I want a quiet smoke."

"He filled and lighted his pipe and lay down on the broad of his back and left me to do all the fighting. I had his weapons in addition to mine, and though my teeth were clicking together I banged away and did the best I could. Not a word of advice or encouragement did I get from my comrade. When I had fustigated for a quarter of an hour the Ladrones withdrew and the veteran got up and led the way over to where they had been thickest. There we found two dead and one wounded and evidences that two more wounded had crawled away.

"Humph!" sneered the vet. "What's the matter?"

"If you can't do better than that you'd better get detailed into the commissary department. Why, in my first fight I stood off 50 and killed 10."

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Streamers Route by Which W. A. Smith Reached the Senate.

Another notable demonstration that it is the "stuff" which is in a man and not the cultivation by school or college, however valuable these may be, is found in the case of William Alden Smith, chosen Senator from Michigan.



Smith is 47 years old and is one of the most popular men in the House of Representatives, where he has served SENATOR SMITH, a number of terms. He was born in a little Michigan town and his father was a tailor-musician. The dollars were rare and the best William Alden could do was to get a common school education. He sold popcorn and newspapers to help daddy pay for the clothes he wore.

When he was 14 he ran away from home and beat his way on a freight train to Lansing, where he obtained a position as a page in the House of Representatives. Here he became imbued with the ambition to become a lawyer, his enthusiasm and ambition arising from the speeches which he heard the legislators make and the pleasant living they seemed to have. After he had saved enough money he located in Grand Rapids and found a position as a messenger with a leading law firm. They did not want him at first, but when they discovered the kind of fellow he was they changed their minds.

Smith was eventually admitted to the bar and became a railroad attorney in a few years. He saved some money. Invested wisely, and to-day is well-to-do, being largely interested in banks and railroads, and owning a newspaper besides. He has been six times elected to Congress.

One of the most beautiful manifestations of Smith's character is the fact that when money came to him he located his parents in a home of their own amid beautiful surroundings in California, and from nowhere did the congratulations to Senator Smith come more heartily than from there.

Mexican Business Hours.

Some of the newspapers of the Mexican capital have taken up an agitation for a reform in the business hours. Heretofore it has been the custom to close all shops and offices absolutely between the hours of 1 and 2:30 or 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Some of the foreign stores have attempted to get away from this system, but the small amount of trade gained by thus doing away with the ancient "siesta" hour (now largely a tradition in the capital) was not enough to pay for the trouble.

The noon rest hour is a reasonable one in the tropics, where it is always a period of dullness and unusual heat, but there is also the other side, in that the long hour suggests a heavy noon meal, which in the tropics more than anywhere else is unreasonable. But the principal opposition to the noon rest hour is the consequent lengthening of the working hours into the evening, so that stores and offices never close before 7 o'clock, and often not before 8. This throws the evening's recreation into the night, so that no theater can begin a performance before 8:45 at the very earliest, and the time of recreation is lengthened into an "all night seance."

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—Philadelphia Press.

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"I dunno what they mean by telling folks to cart their waste stuff over to that dump at the end o' Grantham's Woods instead o' leaving it in the Lawton sulliar-hole," he said, indignantly, one day. "Suppose the sulliar-hole does show up from the road, what business has this town got to put an injunction on folks dumping stuff in it?"

"The town's bought the old Lawton place," said his neighbor, in the pacific tone people usually employed in addressing Mr. Hall. "And I thought you were one of those that said 'twas an eyesore. Do you want to dump any o' your old junk in there, Reub, tidy as you are?"

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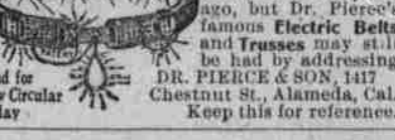
The good people of Salem had just burned another witch.

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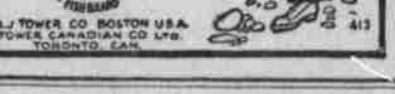
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