Salt Rheum

You may call it eczema, tetter or milk crust.

But no matter what you call it, this skin disease which comes in patches that burn, itch, discharge a watery matter, dry and scale, owes its existence to the presence of humors in the system.

It will continue to exist, annoy, and perhaps agonize, as long as these humors remain.

It is always radically and permanently cured by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which expels all humors, and is positively unequaled for all cutaneous eruptions.

Another Industry for Everett.

Establishment of another sash and door factory at Everett is planned.

Exceptionally Fine Sculpture.

The sculpture for the Pan-American exposition is being put in position. There are more than 135 pieces of statuary and model groups by the best sculptors in America.

Russia's Asiatic Possessions.

Russia's Asiatic possessions are three times the size of Great Britain's, but hold only 23,000,000 inhabitants, as compared with Great Britain's 297,000,000 subjects.

The Best Prescription for Malaria

Chills and Fever is a bottle of Groves, Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form, No Cure, No Pay. Price 50c.

Seattle Public Library.

Seattle people expect to spend some $200,000 in purchasing a site for a library, and $50,000 a year in maintaining it after Mr. Carnegie's $300,000 building shall have been erected.

DON'T GET FOOTSORE, GET FOOT-EASE.

A powder. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and uncomfortable. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It rests and comforts; makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and is a certain cure for Chilblains, Sweating, Damp or Frosted Feet. We have over 30,000 testimonials. Don't get footsore get Foot-Ease. Try it *today*. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Big Train Shed.

The big union depot in Portland is to have a train shed three blocks long—and then travelers will not step out of the cars into the rain.

Petrolem for Diphtheria.

A country doctor in Rouen, France, has discovered that swabbing the throat with common petroleum is an effective treatment of diphtheria.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Walla Walla Enjoys Sleighing.

For the first time in about 11 years Walla Walla enjoyed an extended season of fine sleighing during and after the holidays.

A $15,000 Organ.

The great pipe organ to be used in the temple of music at the Pan-American exposition was built to order at a cost of $15,000.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Bromo-Quinine** Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Portland Big Show.

Let all the country know that a notable centennial celebration and exposition will be held in Portland in 1905.

Oregon and Washington Should Do It.

One of the many appropriation questions which the legislature will have to pass upon this winter will be that of providing a fund for an exhibit at the Pan-American exposition to be held next summer at Buffalo, N. Y.

BAD BLOOD, BAD COMPLEXION.

The skin is the seat of an almost endless variety of diseases. They are known by various names, but are all due to the same cause, acid and other poisons in the blood that irritate and interfere with the proper action of the skin.

To have a smooth, soft skin, free from all eruptions, the blood must be kept pure and healthy. The many preparations of arsenic and potash and the large number of face powders and lotions generally used in this class of diseases cover up for a short time, but cannot remove permanently the ugly blotches and the red, disfiguring pimples.

Eternal vigilance is the price of a beautiful complexion

when such remedies are relied on.

Mr. H. T. Shobe, 3704 Lucas Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., says: "My daughter was afflicted for years with a disfiguring eruption on her face, which resisted all treatment. She was taken to two celebrated health springs, but received no benefit. Many medicines were prescribed, but without result, until we decided to try S. S. S., and by the time the first bottle was finished the eruption began to disappear. A dozen bottles cured her completely and left her skin perfectly smooth. She is now seventeen years old, and not a sign of the embarrassing disease has ever returned."

S. S. S. is a positive, unfailing cure for the worst forms of skin troubles. It is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and the only one guaranteed purely vegetable.

Bad blood makes bad complexions.

SSS purifies and invigorates the old and makes new, rich blood that nourishes the body and keeps the skin active and healthy and in proper condition to perform its part towards carrying off the impurities from the body.

If you have Eczema, Tetter, Acne, Salt Rheum, Psoriasis, or your skin is rough and pimply, send for our book on Blood and Skin Diseases and write our physicians about your case. No charge whatever for this service.

SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

LACE CAUSED FAMOUS QUARREL

Empress Josephine Cut a Costly Piece and Napoleon Slapped Her.

For $2,000 has been sold in Paris a piece of lace which was the cause of a quarrel between Napoleon and Josephine, in which the cheeks of the Empress were slapped. It had been the property of Mlle. Perusset, daughter of a favorite maid of the flighty Empress. Napoleon had brought the lace from Italy. He often brought her beautiful things on his return from a successful campaign, and Josephine never asked him how he had got them, for she thought that perhaps he would not care to tell.

It was a large square of the finest old point de Venise, and Josephine, as soon as she had it in her possession, sent for M. Duplan, her man-milliner, and asked him to make with it a certain fichu and a peplum.

"Impossible, your majesty," answered Duplan, "the piece is too large, and we could not arrange it gracefully."

"Well, cut it, then!"

"Cut a treasure such as that! Oh, madam, I could not do such a thing!"

"Nonsense!" cried Josephine. The lace was draped on her shoulders; she knew how she wanted it; so she calmly took a pair of scissors, and in a second had it set right, while long, narrow pieces of the priceless stuff fell round her.

At this moment the Emperor entered the room. "Cannibale!" he cried. And he gave her a sounding slap on her violently rouged cheeks, which were soon covered with tears. Duplan discreetly withdrew, and the lace was thrown into a chest of drawers. Josephine could not bear the sight of after that, and gave it to Mme. Perusset, her favorite maid. The odd bits of it have now been sold for $2,000. Another bundle fetched $1,000.

The passion of Josephine for lace caused frequently scenes between her and Napoleon. She would have lace, and she seldom let anything stand in the way of acquiring it. It is even said that this frivolous fancy helped to bring about her downfall, for Napoleon, who at first would not hear of forsaking her, one day said to the Prince De Wagram: "The cup is full now, Prince. What do you think Josephine did lately? 'Nobbled' one of my young generals, and made him pass lace for her in his top boots through my own frontier! Her soul is made of lace, Prince, and that is too fragile a stuff for an Empress' soul!"

GALLANT SENATOR SPOONER.

The Wisconsin Man Buys a Woman's Fried Oysters in a Restaurant.

While the national convention of the W. C. T. U. was in session in Washington one of the California delegates, an elderly lady, went into a restaurant on G street, looked the bill of fare over carefully, and ordered fried oysters.

"How many?" asked the waiter.

"Oh," she said, remembering the diminutive oyster of California, "I guess a dozen and a half will do."

The waiter lifted his eyebrows, but took the order back to the kitchen. In due time he appeared with an enormous platter full of fried oysters, each half as large as a man's hand.

The California lady nearly fainted.

"Take them away," she gasped. "I never, never ordered that great mass of food."

"That's a dozen and a half fried oysters, ma'am," the waiter replied.

There was some hysterical but vain argument on the part of the delegate from California.

She was told she would have to pay for the oysters, but she needn't eat them unless she chose to do so.

Just then Senator Spooner came in and sat down at the next table. The W. C. T. U. delegate, almost in tears, leaned over and asked imploringly: "Oh, sir, do you like fried oysters?"

Senator Spooner stared. "I have eaten them, madam," he replied, with dignity.

"Then please buy these; please, please do."

"But," said the Senator, laughing, "I never eat them now, for I find they promote indigestion."

The lady exhibited her white ribbon badge and implored again: "Oh, you haven't eaten anything yet; please buy these,"

"Well, I'll buy them, but I assure you madam, I do not contract to eat them."

And he paid the check, while the delegate from California almost ran out of the restaurant.

The Business Instinct.

Poverty-stricken Suitor—Sir, I have come to ask you for your daughter's hand.

The Merchant Prince—I am quite willing to believe you love my daughter, but I am anxious to know why you have brought your kodak at such an inopportune time?

Suitor—I'm so passionately fond of photography; besides, I am entered in an amateur photographers' competition, and I wished to take a snap at your astonished face when you heard my proposal. It will secure me a prize. Thus I shall profit either way.

The Merchant Prince—My son, come to my arms; I shall make you a partner in my house.—Collier's Weekly.

Poetry.

The Night Wind stirs uneasily.
"Why do you croon?" asks the Owl,
in fretful cadence.
"Well, I have to do something that
rhymes with moon, of course!" sighs
the Night Wind.
There is poetry in nature.—Detroit
Journal.

Vice Versa.

Tigg—There's one good thing about these college yells.

Wigg—What is it?

Tigg—They can't sing those glee songs while they are yelling.—Baltimore American.

Electric Fountains Grow Popular.

Electric fountains have become very popular, especially as attractions for amusement parks. In England especially they have lately been installed in large numbers.

Why do people have best clothes? They always look better in their everyday ones.

Every time a man's wife looks happy he flatters himself that he is the cause of it.

BUSINESS HAS BEEN QUIET.

Considerable Movement in Iron and Steel—Wheat Market Better.

Bradstreet says: Trade has been quiet in all lines, interest being concentrated largely in stock-taking and contemplation of 1900 results. Cereals and provisions have advanced this week, while stocks have declined; but the upward movement has been one of those familiar of late, a short selling with small fluctuations, limited bearish desire to bag profits. Failures show the usual large crop of small disasters, a feature of the turn of the year, but the results for 1900 as a whole are not all discouraging.

Cotton is rather quiet and unchanged on the week, while cotton goods are without much movement except to slightly weaker quotations for gray cloths at Boston.

Wool is dull and rather easy. Outside of the United States, however, the situation is a strong one. Manufacturers will only buy against orders and except in plain dress woolens nothing special is doing.

Lumber is rather quiet, but it is to be noted that white pine stocks are slightly smaller than last year. War is reported broken in rubber goods and quotations have certainly been cut. Sugar prices are also lower.

The feature of the week in iron and steel has been the large sale of steel rails reported from Chicago, 25,000 tons being reported sold in one lot.

Bessemer iron producers have reduced wages 15 per cent. Export trade is still quiet.

Wheat (including flour) shipments for the week aggregate 3,914,301 bushels, against 3,668,165 last week.

Business failures for the week number 266 in the United States, against 213 last week.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Seattle Market.

Onions, new yellow, 2@2¼c.
Lettuce, hot house, $1 per crate.
Potatoes, new, $18.
Beets, per sack, 85c@$1.
Turnips, per sack, $1.00.
Squash—1¼c.
Carrots, per sack, 60c
Parsnips, per sack, $1.00@1.25.
Celery—50c doz.
Cabbage, native and California, 2c per pounds.
Butter—Creamery, 30c; dairy, 18@22c; ranch, 16c@18c pound.
Cheese—14c.
Eggs—Ranch, 29c; Eastern 25c.
Poultry—12c; dressed, 14c; spring, 13@13½c turkey, 13c..
Hay—Puget Sound timothy, $14.00; choice Eastern Washington timothy, $10.00.
Corn—Whole, $24.00; cracked, $25; feed meal, $25.
Barley—Rolled or ground, per ton, $20.
Flour—Patent, per barrel, $3.30; blended straights, $3.25; California, $3.25; buckwheat flour, $6.00; graham, per barrel, $3.25; whole wheat flour, $3.25; rye flour, $3.80@4.00.
Millstuffs—Bran, per ton, $14.00; shorts, per ton, $14.00.
Feed—Chopped feed, $19.00 per ton; middlings, per ton, $20; oil cake meal, per ton, $30.00.
Fresh Meats—Choice dressed beef steers, price 7½c; cows, 7c; mutton 7¾; pork, 7¾c; trimmed, 9c; veal, 11@12c.
Hams—Large, 11¼c; small, 11½; breakfast bacon, 13¾c; dry salt sides, 8½c.

Portland Market.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 55@56c; Valley, nominal; Bluestem, 58½c per bushel.
Flour—Best grades, $3.40; graham, $2.60.
Oats—Choice white, 43c; choice gray, 41c per bushel.
Barley—Feed barley, $15.50 brewing, $16.50 per ton.
Millstuffs—Bran, $15.50 ton; middlings, $21; shorts, $17; chop, $16 per ton.
Hay—Timothy, $12@12.50; clover, $7@9.50; Oregon wild hay, $6@7 per ton.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 50@55c; store, 32½c.
Eggs—27½c per dozen.
Cheese—Oregon full cream, 13½c; Young America, 14c; new cheese 10c per pound.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, $2.50@3.50 per dozen; hens, $4.50; springs, $2.00@3.50; geese, $6.00@9.00 doz; ducks, $4.00@6.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 12c per pound.
Potatoes—50@60c per sack; sweets, 1½c per pound.
Vegetables—Beets, $1; turnips, 75c; per sack; garlic, 7c per pound; cabbage, 1½c per pound; parsnips, 85c; onions, $1.75; carrots, 75c.
Hops—New crop, 12@14c per pound.
Wool—Valley, 13@14c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 10@12c; mohair, 25 per pound.
Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 3½c; dressed mutton, 6½@7c per pound.
Hogs—Gross, choice heavy, $5.75; light and feeders, $5.00; dressed, $5.00@6.25 per 100 pounds.
Beef—Gross, top steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $3.00@3.50; dressed beef, 6@7c per pound.
Veal—Large, 6½@7c; small, 8@8½c per pound.

San Francisco Market.

Wool—Spring—Nevada, 11@13c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 10@14c; Valley, 15@17c; Northern, 9@10c.
Hops—Crop, 1900, 13½@15½c.
Butter — Fancy creamery 26c; do seconds, 22c; fancy dairy, 20 do seconds, 18c per pound.
Eggs—Store, 25c; fancy ranch, 31c.
Millstuffs — Middlings, $16.50 @ 19.50; bran, $14.00@14.50.
Hay—Wheat $9@13½; wheat and oat $9.00@12.50; best barley $9.50 alfalfa, $7.00@10.00 per ton; straw, 35@47½c per bale.
Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 60c@$1; Salinas Burbanks, 85c@$1.15; river Burbanks, 30@65c; sweets, 35@85c.
Citrus Fruit—Oranges, Valencia, $2.75@3.25; Mexican limes, $4.00@5.00; California lemons 75c@$1.50; do choice $1.75@2.00 per box.
Tropical Fruits—Bananas, $1.50@2.50 per bunch; pineapples, nominal; Persian dates, 6@6½c per pound.

SUBSIST BY EATING DIRT.

Strange and Repulsive Habit of Natives of the West Indies.

You can't convince the coolie of the Grenadine Islands, West Indies, that there is any harm in eating dirt. His own diseases ought to convince him, but they don't. The rest of their diet is simple and meager. For the most part they are vegetarians. They eat rice, peas, curry and ghee, a specially prepared butter in great use. Most professing vegetarians do not exclude from their diet milk and eggs, but these coolies will not touch either except when they are in a hospital and forced to do so. To hard workers in the cane fields under a scorching tropical sun such a frugal diet cannot be supposed to be productive of health or robustness. And when to this sort of food is added the luxury of dirt-eating it is no wonder that these coolies are bloodless and stiff jointed. These ills are characteristic of the race.

Coolie patients in the English hospitals of Carriacou, one of the Grenadine Islands, frequently are found to have gravel hidden in their clothing, and they cry and beg for it like the morphine eater for his dope. This stuff which they eat is a soft, slate-colored or grayish stone. Sometimes the pulverized dirt is made into cakes. If there isn't much of this to be had the coolies eat rags, paper and coke.

A coolie who is well along in the art of dirt-eating is swollen all over the body and the muscles of his legs are tense. His face is puffy and has a distressing look of weariness and premature age. He is short of breath and is unable to speak, so that he has to make signs to indicate his condition. His tongue is swollen and flabby and lies in the floor of his mouth, from which he cannot raise it, from pure weakness. It is marked strongly with impressions of the teeth. He has severe headaches, dimness of sight and pains in the abdomen. His skin is thin, flabby and lacking of firmness, and even in the case of children feels like the skin of an aged person. The complexion is pasty.

But to have the diseases incident to dirt-eating it is not necessary to eat dirt intentionally. Laborers in the fields, who rarely wash their hands, have been known to take enough dirt into their stomachs by handling their food with their unwashed hands to acquire all the ills which afflict those who eat dirt because they like it.

Hot Iron for Animals.

"When all other methods of controlling wild beasts fail, the keeper has only to employ an iron rod which has been made red hot at one end," said an old circus man to a Washington Star reporter. "Lions and tigers will cringe before the heated poker and no matter how restless and fretful they may have been the sight of the glowing iron immediately brings them to their best of animal senses. It has an almost hypnotic influence over the beasts. I have seldom heard of an animal being burned in this manner, however, so there is nothing cruel in the treatment. It would not do for the keeper to burn the charges under his care, for the scars would mar the animal for exhibition purposes. The hot iron is a terror just the same and under its persuasion the kings of the jungle are docile and ready to do what is wanted of them.

"In circus menageries the animals often become almost unmanageable. This is true of the younger specimens, who do not like the idea of being so closely housed, so much hauled about and often cut off from the light of the outside world. When it becomes necessary to give their cage a thorough and sanitary cleansing one attendant holds the beast in a corner by means of the red-hot iron, while another thoroughly cleanses the remaining portion of the cage—the work being accomplished by brooms and mops from the outside. In changing the wilder animals from the cages employed on the road to the larger and more commodious quarters of the winter station, what we call a strong box is used. The wagon is hauled alongside the large cage and the steel strong box, open at both ends, is constituted a passageway. The animals hesitate to make a journey through such a suspicious-looking object, however, and again the heated iron must be brought into play."

Closeness Personified.

There's a good story told on a young fellow here noted for his closeness. He went to spend the night with a friend. During the entire night he betrayed much restlessness, which kept the host wide awake, and finally the slumberer betrayed signs of violent emotion. "He's going to have a nightmare," said the friend, "but he always grumbles so when you wake him up that I hate to disturb him." He waited a while longer, sitting up in bed staring on the miserable sleeper, and finally, becoming alarmed, he roused him. He sprang up in bed, glared wildly around and said: "Where am I? I don't see the storm?"

"Why, here in my room," said the host, soothingly; "you remember you stayed all night with me? I beg your pardon for waking you up, but you carried on so I had to."

"Beg my pardon," gasped the guest. "I shall never be grateful enough to you. I dreamed I was out with Miss Rud and a terrible storm came up, and my shoes were new, and I was just ordering a coupe for two when you roused me. Old boy, you have saved me a dollar."

And the host says he was actually afraid to go to sleep again that night, for fear the coupe would come.—Louisville Times.

Reminded.

The queen having departed, after having deposited with her royal consort a piece of her mind, the court jester remarked:

"Sire, you remind me of King Henry VIII."

"Too much wife?" asked the monarch, in haste to get a horse on the jester.

"That ain't bad for an amateur," replied the court jester, "but I was alluding to the fact that he was called the bluff king. Gimme a cigar, will you?"—Indianapolis Press.

Prince to Stick Type.

Like all the male members of the royal house of Germany, the Crown Prince is about to learn a trade, which will probably be that of a compositor.

Change of Agents at Salem.

W. W. Skinner, who for nearly 80 years has been the S. P. agent at Salem, Oregon, is about to leave that position. The vacancy there will most probably cause quite a readjustment of the agents in the state through the system of selection and promotion in vogue.

Making Sacks at Walla Walla.

One thousand bales of jute will arrive at the Walla Walla penitentiary in a few days, to be manufactured into sacks by convict labor. It comes from Calcutta and costs the state $16.65 delivered at Walla Walla.

To Abolish the Whipping Post.

The law-makers are wrangling over the abolition of the whipping post. The man who succeeds in passing such a bill, will prove as great a benefactor to the breaker of man's laws as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has to the breaker of nature's laws. If you've neglected your stomach until indigestion, constipation, biliousness, liver and kidney troubles are upon you, there's but one cure Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Don't fail to try it for la grippe.

India's Noted River.

The Sutley, in India, is the fastest flowing river in the world. Its descent in one section is 12,000 feet in 180 miles.

Appropriate Souvenirs.

Ida—What kind of souvenirs did that tear-producing drama distribute?

May—Pocket handkerchiefs.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

To Extend Its Line.

It is reported that the Northern Pacific will extend its road from Hoquiam, Wash., to Long Beach this coming summer.

Queer Ways of Authors.

"Mr. Flambeau, have you any special methods in writing your novels?"

"Yes, I generally try to begin at the beginning and wind up at the end."

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Goverment Regulates Prices.

The prices of medicines in Prussia are regulated by the government. Every year a new price list is published.

Odd Fellows Will Celebrate.

If present plans are carried out Odd Fellows from all over Oregon and Washington will be invited to come to Portland on April 26 to celebrate the anniversary of the founding of this fraternal order

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

A Novel Sight.

Did you ever see a house and its contents upside down? The novel sight will be a feature of the Pan-American exposition midway.

Portland Death Rate.

During 1900 there were 909 deaths in Portland, 63 being Chinamen

BAD BLOOD

"CASCARETS do all claimed for them and are a truly wonderful medicine. I have often wished for a medicine pleasant to take and at last have found it in Cascarets. Since taking them my blood has been purified and my complexion has improved wonderfully and I feel much better in every way. MRS. SALLIE E. BELLARS. Latrell, Tenn.

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A Terrible Disease Conquered by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—Doctor's Efforts Had Proved Unavailing and a Cure was Despaired of.

From the Journal, Mount Pleasant, Iowa.

Another person released from the terrible grasp of an agonizing disease, another name added to the long list of those who have received new life by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

For years a sufferer from the cruel disease of St. Vitus' Dance, scarcely able to move, the power of speech almost gone, and all efforts to cure her proving in vain, Mrs. Minnie Fiedler, Mt. Plesant, Iowa, thought her case hopeless and she had sunk to the blackest depths of despair.

She turned as a last resort to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and the wonders worked by this remarkable medicine are told in her own words:

"I was afflicted for years with St. Vitus' Dance. The first symptoms of the disease began in 1889, when the nerves began twitching in my left hand. I consulted physicians of this city, but none of them ever did me a particle of good. After I had suffered for two and one half years, the disease continuing to grow worse, I heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

"It was in 1891 that I was induced to try them, and I was surprised at my rapid improvement. I took only two boxes, and was entirely cured. It was hard to realize that I, who for over two years was scarcely able to walk, and who often found it almost impossible to talk, should be restored to perfect health and in full possession of all of my powers by two boxes of this wonderful remedy.

"I am happy to state that my health is still perfect and I have never had the slightest symptoms of a return of the disease, although it is eight years since I was cured.

"I know of others who have been likewise benefitted and are as grateful as myself."

MRS. MINNIE FIEDLER.

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained, in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental strain, over work or excesses of whatever nature. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2,50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schnectady, N. Y.

Some Broad Streets in Europe.

Berlin boasts that "Unter den Linden" is the broadest street in any great city. It is 215 feet wide. The "Ringstrasse" in Vienna is 188 feet; the Paris "Grand Boulevard" 122 feet, and the "Andrasse Strasse" at Budapest 155 feet wide.

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Made Good Showing.

Assay reports just received on some rock from the Ninety-Nine mining property, on Slate creek, Wash., show an average of $400 to the ton.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900

New Mining Company.

A new mining company, known as the Co-operative Mining and Development Association, has been formed in Seattle. The company has a capital stock of $2,000,000, divided into 2,000,000 shares.

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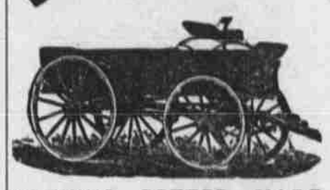

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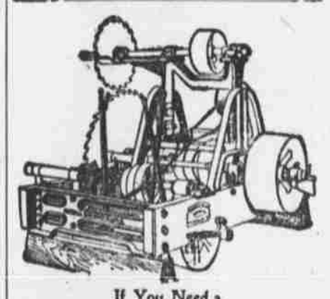

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