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A Word of Sympathy.

We should speak comfortably to those in sorrow and to the depressed. A word of sympathy timely spoken is balm to a wounded heart. The letter written in the spirit of Him whose words were full of comfort is sometimes the opening of the soul to grace and peace.

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

Oregon at the Pan-American.

The Oregon commissioners to the Pan-American Exposition say that the state's exhibits will include nine-pound potatoes, the largest cherries and apples grown and trees six feet in diameter.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Tower 391 Feet High at Buffalo.

An electric tower 391 feet high will be the centerpiece of the Pan-American Exposition.

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TAKING

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

The Midway of the Buffalo Exposition.

The midway of the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo costs \$3,000,000.

SORES AND ULCERS.

Sores and Ulcers never become chronic unless the blood is in poor condition—is sluggish, weak and unable to throw off the poisons that accumulate in it. The system must be relieved of the unhealthy matter through the sore, and great danger to life would follow should it heal before the blood has been made pure and healthy and all impurities eliminated from the system. S.S.S. begins the cure by first cleansing and invigorating the blood, building up the general health and removing from the system **A OCHSTANT DRAIN** all morbid, **UPON THE SYSTEM.** effetmatter.

When this has been accomplished the discharge gradually ceases, and the sore or ulcer heals. It is the tendency of these old indolent sores to grow worse and worse, and eventually to destroy the bones. Local applications, while soothing and to some extent alleviate pain, cannot reach the seat of the trouble. S. S. S. does, and no matter how apparently hopeless your condition, even though your constitution has broken down, it will bring relief when nothing else can. It supplies the rich, pure blood necessary to heal the sore and nourish the debilitated, diseased body.

Mr. J. B. Talbert, Lock Box 25, Winona, Minn., says: "Six years ago my leg from the knee to the foot was one solid sore. Several physicians treated me and I made two trips to Hot Springs, but found no relief. I was induced to try S. S. S., and it made a complete cure. I have been a perfectly well man ever since."

SSS is the only purely vegetable blood purifier known—contains no poisonous minerals to ruin the digestion and add to, rather than relieve your sufferings. If your flesh does not heal readily when scratched, bruised or cut, your blood is in bad condition, and any ordinary sore is apt to become chronic.

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CONSUMPTION

LOVED LIFE TOO WELL.

Ancient Natchez Indian Who Rebelled Against Being Sacrificed.

One of the repulsive features of the laws under which the Natchez Indians were governed was that when a member of the royal family of the nation died it was necessary that several others of the people should accompany him to the tomb by suffering death at the hands of executioners. When the "Great Sun," the hereditary chief of the whole nation, died, all his wives, in case he were provided with more than one, and also several of his subjects, were obliged to follow him into the vale of shadows. The "Little Suns," secondary chiefs, and also members of the royal family, likewise claimed, when dying, their tribute of death from the living. In addition to this, the inexorable law also condemned to death any man of the Natchez race who had married a girl of the royal line of the "Suns;" on the occasion of her death he was called upon to accompany her. "I will narrate to you upon this subject," writes an old French chronicler of Louisiana, "the story of an Indian who was not in a humor to submit to this law. His name was Etteactael. He had contracted an alliance with the 'Suns.' The honor came near having a fatal result for him. His wife fell sick, and as soon as he perceived that she was approaching her end he took to flight, embarking in a pirogue on the Mississippi, and sought a refuge in New Orleans. He placed himself under the protection of the Governor, who was at that time Mons de Bien-ville, offering himself to be the Governor's hunter. The Governor accepted his services, and interested himself in his behalf with the Natchez, who declared, in answer, that he had nothing to fear, inasmuch as the ceremony was over, and as he had not been present when it took place, he was no longer available as a candidate for execution."—New Orleans Picayune.

MRS. BECKWITH DIVORCED.

Granddaughter of Abraham Lincoln Freed from Marital Bonds. Mrs. Jessie L. Beckwith, daughter of Robert T. Lincoln, of Chicago, and granddaughter of President Lincoln, who in 1897 married Warren Beckwith, a baseball and football player at Iowa Wesleyan University, has been divorced from her husband. At the time Miss Lincoln met Beckwith he was playing on the Iowa Wesleyan football



MRS. JESSIE L. BECKWITH.

eleven. She was then visiting her grandfather, Senator Harlan, and it is said asked for an introduction. Mr. Lincoln tried to break up the courtship, but in vain, and it culminated in an elopement. A quarrel soon followed and the daughter returned home. Beckwith later enlisted as a private with Company F, Fiftieth Iowa Volunteers, and was sent to Jacksonville, Fla. In the meantime Mrs. Beckwith had applied for a divorce and it was granted on the grounds of desertion and non-support. Beckwith is now a brakeman on the Burlington road and lives at Creston, Iowa.

MISS HELEN HAY.

Daughter of the Secretary of State, Who is a Favorite in Washington.

One of the popular and beautiful girls of Washington society is Miss Helen Hay, who has a number of the characteristics of her father, the Secretary of State. At the many diplomatic, official and private social functions she is a welcome guest, and her social qualities are similar to those which have made Mr. John Hay so universally liked. Her mind is keenly alert to the world, and she possesses a knowledge of people. One of her most charming traits is her fondness for children, and her skill in verse is seen in the volume recently published by her, entitled "The Little Boy Book," the poetry of which appeals to all lovers of the fanciful, the quaint and the humorous.



MISS HAY.

Quakers in Parliament.

The Quakers are the most largely represented community in the British Parliament. There are only 18,000 members of that sect, and they have eight M. P.'s.

Something Out of Life

It is not to be denied that each one is getting something out of life. The man who lives for mere dollars and cents is not getting the most out of life; nor he who lives for the indulgence of the bodily appetites, or pleasure only. No one can get the most out of life except by contact with his fellows.—Rev. T. B. Payne.

The Power of the Press

Is a common expression, but few realize its actual power. Great as is the influence of the press, it cannot begin to equal the power of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters over disease. The Bitters strengthens the stomach, purifies the blood, and cures dyspepsia, indigestion and constipation. It will tone up the nerves, stimulate inactive kidneys, and as an appetizer, it is unequalled. If you want to get well, and keep well, use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.

Charity.

"There's a beggar at the door; shall I give him anything?" "Give him our bath tickets that are left over. It's too cold now, anyhow."

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Century-Old Relics.

Emery O. Pendleton has two interesting relics at his farm in East Bel- fast, Me. The old well sweep in the door yard has stood there just 100 years and he has a sign which was in use when the place was a tavern kept by J. Stephenson in the year 1800.

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. EDSLEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

No Typhoid in West Africa.

Inquiry made in Polynesian Islands, in New Guinea, and West Africa indicate that typhoid fever does not occur in those regions, but seems to be a by-product of civilization.

WOMAN'S DUTY.

In Justice to Herself, Her Husband and Her Children, Her Health Should Be Her First Consideration.

Thousands of women endure the tortures of living death and at last succumb to the diseases peculiar to their sex without knowing of the life and health which might be theirs if proper treatment had been used. How pathetic is the story of thousands of young mothers who every year are carried to their graves leaving little children to struggle alone in the world without the tender care and wise counsel of a mother. And how deplorable when it is known that there is a remedy so exactly suited to the needs of suffering women that it cures the most stubborn of their diseases.

Immediately after the birth of her first child in 1896, Mrs. Grace Campbell, of No. 391 Logan street, Grand Rapids, Mich., now 28 years of age, was afflicted with a complication of diseases. Her story, as told in her own words, follows:

"The birth of my first child left me in a deplorable condition. My system was broken down and I suffered from general debility. I was exceedingly nervous and rheumatism also troubled me. My appetite failed and the most delicate and inviting food failed to tempt me. I was thin and pale, and had neither energy nor ambition. My case had been growing steadily worse for two years. I had used several so-called remedies but found no curative qualities in them.

"In the summer of 1898 I was visiting my grandmother in Ludington, Mich., and there learned of the wonderful cures effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I tried the pills and had not finished one box before I felt much better. I continued taking them through the year and the result was a perfect cure. I am no longer nervous or rheumatic and have more than regained my lost flesh. I certainly recommend the pills to all who need them and their results have always been beneficial."

MRS. GRACE CAMPBELL.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1900.

B. F. BARENSEN, Notary Public.

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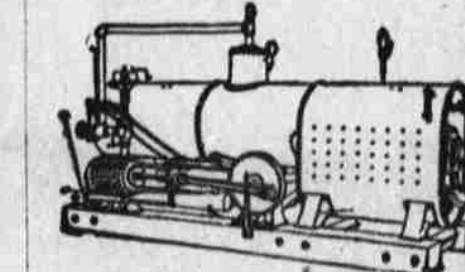
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