

# Get Rid of Scrofula

Bunches, eruptions, inflammations, soreness of the eyelids and ears, diseases of the bones, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, wasting, are only some of the troubles it causes.

It is a very active evil, making havoc of the whole system.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Eradicates it, cures all its manifestations, and builds up the whole system. Accept no substitute.

### A Scholar's Advice.

The German historian, Professor Theodor Mommsen, was noted for the facility with which he acquired languages. The tongues of modern Europe as well as the classics were to him not studies, but the familiar tools of his deadly work.

An American reporter who was interviewing him a few years ago asked to have a certain reference put into English, as he did not read German well.

"Not read German well? And you a journalist?" exclaimed the savant. "I do not see how it is possible. Young man, German is one of the four necessities for a student. The other three are English, French and Italian. Without them you can never know the tendency of modern thought. If you have them not, do not rest until you have learned them all."

### Mr. Albee's Opinion.

Alpine, Cal., June 6.—Mr. T. M. Albee, our postmaster has expressed an opinion based on his own experience which will no doubt be of interest to many. Mr. Albee is a man of few words, but his well known truthfulness and uprightness of character adds much weight to any statement he makes. He says:

"The first box of Dodd's Kidney Pills that I used convinced me of their good qualities and I used altogether four boxes with the very best results. I can heartily recommend this remedy."

This voluntary expression of opinion will doubtless find an echo in many homes in California for Dodd's Kidney Pills have been making some miraculous cures in this state.

From the evidence already published it seems safe to conclude that this medicine will be found to be a perfect cure for Rheumatism, Urinary trouble, Backache and any and every form or symptom of Kidney Complaint.

### The Masculine Way.

Wife—Have another piece of cake, John!

Husband—No; I don't like home-made cake.

Wife—But this isn't home-made; I bought it at a bake shop.

Husband—Oh, you did, eh? Well, I knew there was something about it I didn't like.

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### In a Box.

Old Friend—Seems to me you are paying your cook pretty stiff wages.

Jimson—Have to. If I don't she'll leave, and then my wife will do the cooking herself.

### Keely's LIQUOR-MORPHINE-TOBACCO CURE

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### Running Expenses.

Mistress—Want more wages? I thought you were being very well paid, considering that I do about half the work.

Domestic—You forget, mum, how much it costs me for advertising for new situations.

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Algy—Aw—can you spare me a few hundred to run over to Lunnion?

Father—What's the object?

"Gold!"

"Good! If you learn how to play golf, it may—"

"Oh, I don't want to play it. I want to learn how to pronounce it."

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# GOOD Short Stories

## Kirk La Shelle, the comic opera writer

has a son aged 8, known as "Bill," who is very fond of his father, but has no liking for society—especially for an afternoon tea crowd. His mother entertained a lot of friends recently, and Bill was the center of admiration. The men tossed him in the air, and the ladies kissed him—to all of which he submitted politely; but when the first opportunity presented itself he crawled up into his father's arms, and said, in very wee, pleading tones: "Father, let's get out of this—and have a rough house of our own!"

Kemble, the artist, while sketching in the mountains of Georgia recently, employed an angular "cracker" as a model. The native, when asked what his hour's work was worth, told Kemble that he thought a dime would be about right. The artist showed him the sketches, and asked what he thought of them. "Well," was the drawing reply, "seems to me it's mighty puddin' business for a man to be in, but you must be makin' suthin' out of it or you couldn't afford to throw away money like this fer jest gettin' a man to stand around doin' nothin'."

"Rube" Waddell, the baseball pitcher, conceived the idea that he would like to put in the spring months playing on a college team, and asked a friend what course of study he would better take. "Shooting and fishing," said his friend, with all evidence of seriousness. "Great," said Waddell; "I could pass that easy," and he set down and wrote to the dean of one of the Southern institutions, in regard to taking a "shooting and fishing" course at his college. He was pained later at receiving a stern note from the dean, who thought Waddell was making fun of him.

James F. Sweeney, a Massachusetts lawyer, had as a witness a very refractory woman, who in answer to his most polite questions, would reply sharply and evasively. Her meek and humble husband, who was in court, looked much distressed. At last, at one of Mr. Sweeney's innocent questions, the lady vindictively cried: "Mr. Lawyer, you needn't think you can catch me, no, sir, you can't catch me."

Mr. Sweeney responded: "Madam, I haven't the slightest desire to catch you, and your husband looks to me as if he was sorry he had succeeded."

A prominent Philadelphia educator, in telling of his early struggles, recounts that he once taught school in a district where he kept bachelor's hall, the neighboring farmers supplying him with food. One day a young boy came running breathlessly toward him. "Say, teacher," he gasped, "my pa wants to know if you like pork."

"Indeed, I do like pork," the teacher replied, concluding that the very stinky father of this boy had determined to donate some pork to him; "you tell your father if there is anything in this world that I do like, it is pork." Some time transpired and there was no pork forthcoming. One day he met the boy alone in the school yard. "Look here, John," he said, "how about that pork?" "Oh," replied the boy, "the pig got well."

### Timber that is Valuable.

Sydney H. Shadbolt, of Washington, largely interested in a 130,000-acre timber and plantation tract in the State of Vera Cruz on the Coatzacoalcos River, is familiar with all the phases of the timber trade, and for several years his attention has been given largely to the purchase and marketing of mahogany. Speaking of mahogany generally, he said:

"Mahogany has been esteemed a very valuable wood for more than 200 years, and during all that time the world has had substantially its whole supply from Mexico, Honduras, Cuba and Santo Domingo. Up to within about ten years the proportion secured from these districts was about 60 per cent from Mexico, 30 per cent from Honduras and 10 per cent from Cuba and Santo Domingo combined. Now comparatively little is obtained from Cuba, and practically none from Santo Domingo. The product of all of the four districts belongs to the same species, but there are marked differences in the fiber of the wood from West India islands and that from the mainland. The Mexican and Honduras growth is of a better grade than any other. The mahogany of Mexico is worth in the United States and Europe from \$80 to \$100 per 1,000 feet on the average. The value of individual logs, however, is occasionally very high, single sticks bringing as much as \$5,000."—Mexican Herald.

### An Appropriate Present.

Little Mary and Ben had been greatly exercised over the approaching anniversary of the parental wedding day. They had overheard so much discussion of the subject that they supposed that numerous presents would be quite the order of the festival, and Ben, with the responsibility of his eleven years, proposed that they secure their own pennies and "buy a nice present for mamma and papa."

Mary gladly agreed, and with great secrecy they made their preparations. With a dollar they ran away one day and with much excitement made their purchase, which was safely hidden until the important event came off. When the presents were exhibited their's proved no less interesting than more expensive gifts—there was "a beautiful picture," as they both assured their parents. Sure enough, there were two splendid lions in a large cage, and under them the inscription, "A Life Sentence."

### No Sympathy.

"You don't feel any sympathy for the colleague who was convicted of grafting?"

"Not the slightest," answered Senator Scrogum. "His lack of honesty was equaled only by the primitive insufficiency of his methods."—Washington Star.

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"Then give me two or three weeks."

"Very well."

"And in the meantime I wish you to show yourself dreadfully in love with me and I'll let folks see that I am quite interested in you."

"Um—what's the idea?"

"I want to see how Mr. Richfello takes it."

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The peninsula of India, which in area is half the size of the United States, has a population of 300,000,000, of whom 200,000,000 are farmers.

During the last decade American exports to China have increased sixfold.

### Applying Early Remedy.

"Why did you never marry?"

"I became convinced in my youth that the prevalence of divorce was becoming a menace to American institutions."—Brooklyn Life.

For bronchial troubles try PISO'S Cure for Consumption. It is a good cough medicine. At druggists, price 25 cents.

### Contaminated.

"You are an authority on history, I believe?"

"No," replied the scholar, sadly. "I used to be before I began reading historical novels."—Chicago Post.

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### Done to a Crisp.

A small boy was undressing the other evening before the open fire in his nursery, says the New York Tribune. His mother gave him his nightshirt and told him to hold it to the fire to warm.

She left the room for a minute, but returned quickly when she heard the boy say to his father:

"Papa, is this shirt done when it's brown?"



Mrs. Fairbanks tells how neglect of warning symptoms will soon prostrate a woman. She thinks woman's safeguard is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or irritability, with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for you need the best.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For over two years I suffered more than tongue can express with kidney and bladder trouble. My physician pronounced my trouble catarrh of the bladder, caused by displacement of the womb. I had a frequent desire to urinate, and it was very painful, and lumps of blood would pass with the urine. Also had backache very often.

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# FLASHES OF FUN

Mother Goldfish—Where have you been, Willie? Willie—Only just around the globe, ma—Chicago News.

Emeline—Sara and I can hardly understand each other over the telephone. Edgar—Well, talk one at a time.

"Know him? I should say so! We are husbands-in-law." "Eh?" "Our wives were divorced from the same man."—Ex.

"She told me that I might hope."

"Better look out! I've known girls to say that when they intended to accept a chap."—Puck.

"Smith has lost his job, and I'm hustling to get him another."

"Yes. I owe him ten dollars, and I'm afraid he'll be needing it."—Puck.

Stranger—Seems to me this crowded street is a queer place for a hospital. Native—Well, I don't know. Two trolley lines meet here.—New York Weekly.

"How did you get your black eye, Sambo?"

"Well, boss, yer see I was out a-lookin' fer trouble, and dis 'ere eye was de fust to find it."—Yonkers Statesman.

Philanthropist—Why did you change the title of "The Ladies Home" to "The Ladies Home"?

"I was becoming too crowded."—New York Weekly.

Parker—We've moved again. Barker—You have? Parker—Yes; the children were so noisy that we couldn't stand what the neighbors said about them.—Detroit Free Press.

Young lady—I can always tell your work the instant I see it. Magazine artist (delighted)—Can you, really? Young lady—Easily. The women all look alike.—New York Weekly.

"Woman is naturally of a clinging nature," observed he. "Yes," rejoined his wife, "but she isn't to be compared with a man when you come to holding on to a \$5 bill."—New Yorker.

Sam Shimbone—I see thinkin' ob marryin' dat youngest Jackson ob Mose Johnson—Don't do it, nigger—Don't do it. Why, dat gal never kep' a job for over two weeks in her life.—Ex.

"Bring me some coffee," said Mr. Nurox, as he finished his dessert.

"Dearness?" inquired the waiter.

"Sure, if that's the best you got, and say, bring one o' them little pots full of it."—Philadelphia Press.

"You are always more or less skeptical about what you see in print."

"Yes," answered the man who has his own ideas about things. "Truth may be at the bottom of a well, but it isn't an ink well."—Washington Star.

Husband (of popular author)—Do you mean to tell me, doctor, that my wife is insane? Doctor—No, not so bad as that, but she is hopelessly foolish.

I husband—Well, that's a relief. I was afraid her usefulness as a writer was impaired.—Life.

A prison visitor recently asked one of the prisoners how he came to be there. "Want," was the answer.

"How was that, pray?" "Well, I wanted another man's watch. He wasn't willing I should have it, and the judge wants me to stay here five years."—Tit-Bits.

Footnote (energetically helping at bazaar)—Won't you put in for a raffle for this cushion? Visitor—Oh, no, thanks! Footnote—Of course, it's rather useless and gaudy, and so forth; and personally I think the design's rotten. But do put in for it! Visitor—No, thanks! I made it!—Punch.

Little Willie, who is a Philadelphia boy, has been watching a dog chasing his tail for three minutes. "Papa," he asked, "what kind of a dog is that?" "That," said the father, "is a watch dog."

"Well," Willie was silent a moment. "Well," he finally said, "from the time he takes to wind himself up I guess he must be a Waterbury watch dog."—Philadelphia Ledger.

When the freckled girl took a seat directly across the car from the bright child the others were oppressed with forebodings. But they had not long to remain in suspense. "There's a complexion with a pattern in it!" exclaimed the bright child, almost at once. Hereupon the others breathed more freely, for it was likely that the worst was over.—Detroit Journal.

Mrs. Househunter—This house does not seem to be very substantially built. Even the floor shakes when we walk on it. Agent—But, madam, this spring is—er—the very latest thing in floor dancing floors. All the newest houses have them. Mrs. Househunter—And the stairs creak terribly. Agent—Oh, we don't make any extra charge for those patent burglar-alarm stairs, madam.—Chicago News.

Dick—Say—seen a letter of mine lying around, gray envelopes? Sweep (snaps making the bed)—Do you mean a letter starting off, "Dearest Dickie," and asking you to come down and spend Sunday, and telling you how lonely she has been all the week, and ending up, "Your own little Gladys"?

Dick—Ye-es. Sweep (going on making the bed)—Then it's in your top chiffonier drawer.—Yale Record.

Full Directions: "Your husband is a door walker in a department store, isn't he?" "Yes." "Then, why don't you have him get up and walk the floor with the baby when she cries?" "I can't wake him up. When I shake him and tell him what's the matter he mumbles something about soothing syrup in the drug department three aisles down, and then goes to snoring again."—Chicago Tribune.

### Remunerative.

"Well, Bobby, how do you like church?"

"asked his father as they walked homeward from the sanctuary, to which Bobby had just paid his first visit.

"It's fine!" ejaculated the young man. "How much did you get, father?"

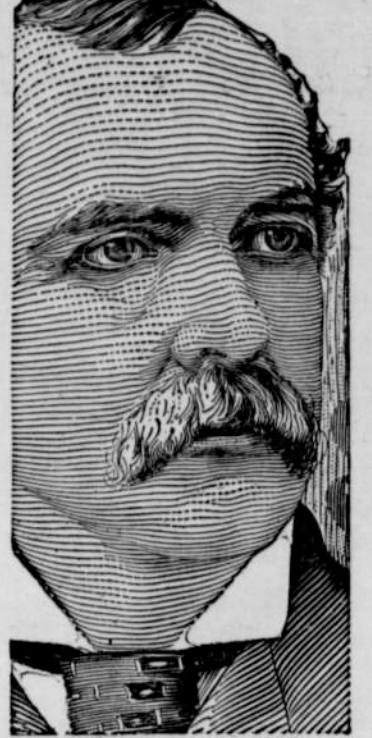
"How much did I get? Why, what do you mean? How much what?"

"asked the astonished parent at this evident irreverence.

"Why, don't you remember when the funny old man passed the money around? I only got 10 cents."

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Dear Sirs—I want to purchase six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, but I don't know exactly where to apply at, Buffalo or London. I suppose they can be sent by express or registered mail from either place. Please advise me of how to proceed in order to get the pills without delay. Yours truly,

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