

**Clear Headedness of Youth.**

While the merits of the various blood purifiers are being shown up to the best advantage possible by their several manufacturers, we would suggest to persons feeling the need of such a medicine, that they try a dose of St. Patrick's Pills, and assure them that they would not only be surprised but delighted with the result. Those who wish to feel the animation, buoyancy and clear headedness of youth should take St. Patrick's Pills. For sale by M. A. Miller.

"Competition is the life of trade," as is said by the old adage. Competition gets in its work in all the ramifications of life. Newspaper competition is as sharp and clear cut as a diamond.

In the opinion of the Southern Presbyterian Assembly Sunday newspapers rank with Sunday trains and Sunday saloons as "foes to the Sabbath." The true inwardness of the denunciation of the Sunday press is that people find their newspapers more interesting than sermons, and stay away from church.

If the ministry wish to hold the attention of the multitude, the sermon must be a feast to the soul and flow of reason that shall inundate and infuse itself through the intellect. When the minister does as much real hard work as the editor, and that work is as well and carefully executed, then and not until then can the multitude be drawn to the sanctuary. Editors are literary men, diligent students of knowledge; out of the miscellaneous mass of husks, the editor culls, sifts, bolts and polishes every sentence until it glitters like burnished gold. The pastor who has but one theme and the history of that theme stretches through the waste of the centuries past, ought to make every sentence of the sermon a glittering polished shaft of penetrating power. "The pen is mightier than the sword."

No trains run over the Narrow Gauge on either side yesterday; but they were set to running to-day, new men being secured. The old hands are not striking, they simply want their pay. For the company to hire new men without making settlement of some kind with the old men is simply contemptible. The people of the valley generally are getting tired of the present slipshod style of running the road.—Democrat.

**An Expression of Delight.**

"About a week ago," says a Los Angeles, Cal., druggist, "a Chinaman came in with a lame shoulder. I sold him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and guaranteed that it would cure him. He came in again last night, and as soon as he got inside the door, began swinging his arms over his head like an Indian club swinger. I thought the blamed fool had a fit, but he finally stopped long enough to say: 'Medicine velly fine, velly fine; all same make me feel plenty good.' Chamberlain's Pain Balm is without an equal for sprains, rheumatism, aches, pains or lame back. For sale by M. A. Miller.

**The Pride of Woman.**

A clear pearly and transparent skin is always a sign of pure blood, and all persons troubled with dark, greasy, or blotched skin can rest assured that their blood is out of order. A few doses of BEGG'S BLOOD PURIFIER & BLOOD MAKER will remove the cause and the skin will become clear and transparent. Try it, and if satisfaction is not given it will cost you nothing. M. A. Miller, Druggist.

A great many people may think they know what a kiss is; but it is peanuts to postage stamps they could not give a scientific definition of a kiss. A San Francisco doctor has made the effort, however, and this is the result: "A kiss is the anatomical juxtaposition of two orbicularis oris muscles in a state of contraction." Bah!

A law lately enacted in Minnesota makes it a crime to drink to excess. It provides a fine for the first and second offenses of drunkenness, and ninety days in the workhouse for the third.

**To Dispel Colds.**

Headaches and Fevers, to cleanse the system effectually, yet gently, when cystic or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, use Syrup of Figs.

Photos of all sizes and styles at Winter's, Brownsville.

Money can't buy a group photo of your family after you are separated forever. Have Winter take it this week and you will never regret it.

**Why is it**

That people linger along always complaining about that continual tired feeling? One bottle of BEGG'S BLOOD PURIFIER and BLOOD MAKER will entirely remove this feeling, give them a good appetite and regulate digestion. M. A. Miller, druggist.

Every bicyclist should use his personal influence to secure good roads, but his duty does not require him to get off his wheel over the handles and smooth the highway down with the back of his neck.—Yamhill Herald.

Young ladies who are accustomed to read newspapers, are always observed to possess winning ways, most amiable dispositions, invariably make good wives, and always select good husbands. An exchange says this is a fact.

The man who prefers a city weekly to a local paper, simply because "it has more reading in it," reminds one of the man who bought the largest pair of boots in the box because they cost no more than a small pair that fitted him.—Es.

EDITOR OF THE EXPRESS:—Please announce in the columns of your paper that we are sole agents for St. Patrick's Pills, the most perfect cathartic and liver pills in the market. They not only physic, but cleanse the whole system; purify the blood and regulate the liver and bowels; they are vigorous but gentle in their action and can always be depended upon. For sale by M. A. Miller.

Some two or three weeks since a prairie schooner passed through the country with the following on the side in box car letters: "China bugged in Illinois, white capped in Indiana, ball knobbed in Missouri and prohibited in Kansas—Oklahoma or bust." A few days since the outfit returned with following added: "B listed by Gad."—Ex.

There were 700 suicides in the United States between January 1st and May 1st. The self-slaughturers ranged in age all along between first and second childhood, and the causes embraced everything that can affect morbid self-consciousness.

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