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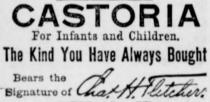
## Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

In Philadelphia a young woman who played ghost gave up the ghost from the blow of a brick. Which seems to argue that it may be safer to rock a boat.

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A German scientist says the world weighs 11,913,000,000,000,000 pounds. made it.



Native hens in New Zealand in addition to supplying the communities with eggs make themselves additionally useful by catching rats.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the



in metals succeeded in drawing a penny out into 5,700 feet of wire,

People marvel at the mechanism of the human body, with its 492 bones and sixty arteries. But man is simple in this respect compared with the carp. That remarkable fish moves no fewer than 4.386 bones and muscles every time it breathes. It has 4,320 veins, to say nothing of its ninety-nine muscles. Fifteen years ago bumblebees were introduced into New Zealand to aid by their fertilizing agency in the cultivation of clover. A recent report indicates that their beneficence has extended beyond the clover fields. Before the arrival of the bees, primroses, cowslips, pansies and other beautiful flowers never produced seeds under natural conditions in New Zealand. Now, fer-

all seed freely. Claude Fuller, the English govern-It will and does cure all ment entomologist in Natal, South Africa, says that the Basutos eat locusts, even making cakes of them, as he is informed. In Pietermaritzburg the natives, and some of the whites, gather the flying termites that are attracted by the electric lamps, and use them both for fish-balt and for food. They are sometimes toasted and sometimes fried in a pan with butter. He quotes from a friend the statement that bugong moths are cooked by the natives on hot ashes and eaten with great gusto.

> Printing of books with Braille type for the benefit of the blind has made immense progress in England within the last few years. The Central lending library of Birmingham has no less than 500 books printed with Braille type. This extensive library comprises

the works of such favorite authors as A powder. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and uncomfortable. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try outh ave smarting feet or tight shoes, try outh public library has also a similar makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and the country possess similar collections the country possess similar collections of their sight.

The distance separating the earth from the sun is of so much importance in astronomical computations that it is sometimes spoken of as the "astronomer's yardstick." An opportunity to This is a ton or two more than we increase the accuracy of this fundamental measure will be presented next December, when the recently discovered asteroid Eros, famous for approaching the earth nearer than does any other heavenly body except the moon, will be in opposition to the sun. The method of observation will be by making photographs showing the position of Eros among the stars as seen from different parts of the earth. From the comparative displacement of the asteroid in the various photographs, owing to the separation of the points of observation, the distance of the sun can

GOOD FORTUNE HOW AN ENTERPRISING FARMER STRUCK IT R.CH.

Shattered by Disease, Robert White, On a recent scientific test, a worker

From the Democrat, shelbyville, Ind. Near Waldron, Ind., resides Mr. Robert White, one of the best known farmers of the community. He is well situated, and just now has had an unusual share of good fortune. In his earlier days Mr. White was strong and athletic, but now while on the declining side of forty, hard work

and disease have made him a different man, although today he is in good health.

While Endeavoring to Cure Hi uself, Made a Fortunate Discovery.

For a number of years he has been troubled with rheumatism, catarrh of the head and stomach. Often in bad weather his ailments would be aggravated and he would be in a serious condition.

When the grippe visited this section tlized by the bumblebees, those plants seven years ago, Mr White was one of those attacked by this fearful disease a d was confined to his bed for several days. After recovering enough to sit up for a few days, concluded he was well enough to get out about his work. He went out too soon. Most all patients do that. He had a relapse and was confined to his bed for several weeks. His old disorders became greatly affected. The efforts of his physician, who had been attendin;g him all the time, proved unavailing. The doctor was disniissed. Several others were tried but their treatment was useless.

Mr. White doctored himself and used many remedies said to be good for his

diseases, but he was not helped. He want to Matisville and took the baths, but they did him only temporary good. "It seemed impossible to get relief," said he, "and I did not know what to do.

"At last I was persuaded to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and they cured me. I commenced taking them last June, and atter taking five boxes, I was entirely cured. They relieved me from all suffering. Of course I suffered from rheumatism most, and I am now completely cured for the entertainment of those deprived of that. I had tried two catarrh specialists, who were said to be good for the trouble, and they each said my was incurable. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People cleansed out my system, purified my blood, and I am now strong and well. These pills relieved me of miserable suffering, and my only regret is, that I did not have the good fortune to take them seven years ago. I have recommended the

medicine to a number and the dealer in Waldron says he has a large demand for it." It was nature's own remedy that accomplished this cure caused by impure

blood, for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are composed of vegetable remedies that exert a powerful influence in purifying and enriching the blood. Many diseases long supposed by the medical profession to be incurable have succumbed to the potent inflube computed. It is probable that these ence of these pills. This universal

## A Cemetery for Dogs.

In Paris there has recently been opened a special cemetery for dogs where the deceased canines can be buried with as much pomp and be marked by as pretentious a headstone as their late masters can afford. Along the front of the cemetery grounds a handsome

stone wall has been erected, and within the entrance meither side are the house of the concierge and the office. Directly in front of one entering is a handsome marble monument. A heavy relief in the stone represents the dog bearing a child on his back, and commemorates the saving of a little one lost in the snow of St. Bernard pass whom a St. Bernard dog found and brought to a safe refuge.

ing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

forced into the arena to fight a silly

This is so true that it is hard to understand why this popular bubble thus deftly pricked did not collapse for good and all

bill just now. "But 1 did, doctor, and it didn't make any difference. He said he knew he couldn't pay it anyway. What Will Become of China?

None can foresee the outcome of the quarrel between foreign powers over the division of China. It is interesting to watch the going to pieces of this race. Many people are also going to pieces because of dyspepsia, constipation and stomach diseases. Good health can be retained if we use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.

It Didn't Matter.

dam, your husband musn't worry.

Perhaps you'd better not show him my

The Doctor-Above all things, ma- Nothing

Some people spend so much of their whole digestive system. time trying to be amiable that they haven't time to earn a living.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption Robbins, Maple street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

Wood says in his recent book on the subject, have families of 40,000 cbildren for whom life is simply one long urbroken dinner time. We are all regarded by a mosquito simply in the light of a full meal.

And eating is simply perfunctory done because it must be.

**Tastes** Good

This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

If eating sparingly would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla cured the niece of Frank Fay, 106 N. St., South Boston, Mass., who writes that she had been a great sufferer from dyspepsia for six years; had been without appetite and had been troubled with sour stomach and headache. She had tried many other medicines in vain. Two bottles of

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of a stock broker to execute some re-.CHICKEN LICE AND VERMIN. pairs was taken by the butler into the dining-room and was beginning his

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of us. My next duty may be one I do

not enjoy, but for conscience' sake to

do it as though I enjoyed it is to be

made a better man. Something that

is a great delight to me knocks at my

door. To make the best of it is not

only to enjoy it heartily, but "heartily

as unto the Lord" who let me have it.

Then by my joys I am made a better

man. So with sorrow and disappoint-

ments. They are not meant to disfig-

ure, but to transfigure me. Live with

and make the best of us.-S. S. Times.

Sweet Breath I Love.

An offensive breath is an insult to your friends when it can be quickly, permanently remedied by Cascarets Candy Cathartic. Drug gists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

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work when the lady of the house en-

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A plumber who was sent to the house

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"A tape worm eighteen feel least came on the scene after my to CASCARETS. This I am sure has bad health for the past three years. taking Cascarets, the only cathartic poince by sensible neople."

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Some insects, so Rev. Theodore Hood's Sarsaparilla made her well.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pro-nounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitu-tional disease, and therefore requires constitu-tional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, man-iactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to end nuccus surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Ad-dress, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Bold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's family Pilis are the best. cure, Send for circulars and testin dress, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

"Emerson Beaconstreet, making mud pies in your finest attire?" "What matters that, nurse? There should be no complaint until I will make mud pies upon my finest attire."

## Contagious **Blood** Poison

There is no poison so highly contagious, to deceptive and so destructive. Don't be you are cured because all external too sure signs of the disease have disappeared, and Many perthe doctor says you are well. sons have been dosed with Mercury and Potash for months or years, and pro-nounced cured — to realize when too late that the disease was only covered up-

Like Begets Like. driven from the surface to break out again, and to their sorrow and mortification find those nearest and dearest to them have been infected by this loathsome disease, for no other poison is so surely transmitted from parent to child Often a bad case of Rheumatism, as this. Catarrh, Scrofula or severe skin disease, an old sore or ulcer developing in middle life, can be traced to blood poison con-

tracted The Sin of the Parent. early life, for it remains smoldering in the system forever, unless properly treated and driven out in the beginning. S. S. S. is the only antidote for this peculiar virus, the only remedy known that can overcome it and drive it out of the blood, and it does this so thoroughly and effectually that there is never a return of the disease to embarrass or humiliate you afterwards.

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shadowed from the light. Some practice is needed in accurately tracing the lines of the drawing, because the pencil point is accompanied by a refracted image of itself.

It is obvious that the picture is re-



obviate this, a French inventor has derised the arrangement given in the accompanying illustration. The picture s placed vertically; it is reversed in the mirror set before it at an angle of 15 degrees; then it is righted in the secand image seen as if thrown upon the paper. The church tower in the picture now appears on the same side of the edifice as in the drawing copied. 12 this process, the partition should be of plate glass, which would give no distortion; but common glass will do for approximate outline, to be corrected

## The Records of Rome.

Three thousand bronze tablets, containing the records of Rome from the foundation of the city to the time of Vespasian, are buried in the marshes gear Ostia, according to Signor Costantino Maes, an Italian archaeologist. They were saved from the fire which destroyed the Capitol in the year A. D. 69 and taken to Ostia. Signor Maes wants the Italian Government to drain the marshes and hunt for the tablets.

tording to the bills.

In a hundred thousand farm houses ed as on of the most valuable of family

in the cold water furnished to having hands for drinking. It makes a wholesome beverage for any one in hot Persons of weak digestion will find

of the glass, where the sheet should be a few drops of the essence useful if taken in water before breakfast without sugar.

> Ginger tea, made from the root, is of service, like catnip tea or sage tea, to produce presperation in colds, or to stimulate the system after exposure. It is more palatable than the decoctions of sage and catnip.

In toothaches a bit of root ginger chewed slowly will remove the pain and make one comfortable till a dentist can be consulted

Nearly all the good effects of alcoholic stimulants can be secured from ginger. But the so-called ginger habit has to be guarded against. So has the cayenne pepper habit

### An Overwhelming Thought.

Our sun is a third-rate sun, situated in the milky way, one of myriads of stars, and the milky way is itself one of myriads of sectional star accumulations, for these seem to be countless, and to be spread over infinity At some period of their existence each of these suns had planets circling around it, which, after untold ages, are fit for some sort of human beings to inhabit them for a comparatively brief period, after which they still continue for years to circle around without atmosphere, vegetation or inhabitants, as the moon does around our planet. There is nothing so calculated to take the conceit out of an individual who thinks himself an important unit in the universe as astronomy. It teaches that we are less, compared with the universe, than a colony of ants is to us, and that the difference between men is less than that between one ant and an. other .- London Truth

They who know 'God love Him, and they who love Him learn to know Him best.

It is a curious and interesting coincidence that while the old confederate cruiser Alabama was for a long time known as "No. 290," the new battleship Alabama was numbered "290" at the builder's yard before her name was decided upon, and without any thought of the original.

Brown-I can hit a good canteloupe every time.

Jones-You can! Well, say, how All public speaking is "good," ac- do you do it-by physiogomy or paychology?-Indianapolis Journal.

'remove the silver from the sideboard the essence of Jamaica ginger is regard- and lock it up at once." But the man of lead was in no wise disconcerted. medicines. It is still used with sugar "Tom," said he to his apprentice who accompanied him, "take my watch and chain and these coppers home to my missus at once. There seems to be dishonest people about this house."

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