

## What are Humors?

They are vitiated or morbid fluids coursing the veins and affecting the tissues. They are commonly due to defective digestion but are sometimes inherited.

How do they manifest themselves? In many forms of cutaneous eruption, salt rheum or eczema, pimples and boils, and in weakness, languor, general debility.

How are they expelled? By **Hood's Sarsaparilla** which also builds up the system that has suffered from them.

It is the best medicine for all humors.

**Love idealizes.**  
All active love idealizes—that is, sees and loves the ideal of the loved one. Often, indeed, the absorption in the ideal is so complete that the outer life is mistakenly supposed to be identical with it, thus opening the way to shock and bitter disappointments.

**A Lawyer's Fine Distinction.**  
A lawyer was passing along the street carrying under his arm a law book when he was accosted by a friend.

"Ha! Mr. Blank, and where are you going to preach today?" "I don't preach, I practice," replied the lawyer.

**Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.**

**A Delusion.**  
Willie—Those gold fish you sent home are fakes.  
Simon—How do you know?  
"Why, I took them out of the water and they turned brown in 15 minutes."

The wise ones use Hamlin's Wizard Oil for Rheumatism and Pain; the foolish ones try experiments.

**Animal.**  
"Eridget, did the dog eat much when he got into the pantry?"  
"Shure, mum, he ate everything but the dog biscuit."

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**In Nautical Terms.**  
Parson—Yes, on one occasion I married four couples in a quarter of an hour. Quick work, wasn't it?  
Nautical Young Lady—Yes, rather. Sixteen knots an hour.—London Punch.

## Contagious Blood Poison

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

**Like Begets Like.** driven from 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 as this. Often a bad case of Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula or severe skin disease, an old sore or ulcer developing in middle life, can be traced to blood poison contracted in early

**The Sin of the Parents.** 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.

**SSS** Cures Contagious Blood Poison in any and all stages; contains no mineral to break down your constitution; it is purely vegetable and the only blood purifier known that cleanses the blood and at the same time builds up the general health.

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## WIT THAT AVERTED A RIOT.

John Brougham's Well-Timed Joke Calmed a Turbulent Crowd.

"There have been a good many stories told of the quick wit of actors who have turned an accident or a panic or a row into a joke," said Tom Leigh, the old-time actor. "A good many of the stories are fakes, I suppose," he continued, "but some are true, and there are lots that have never found their way into print. The press agent wasn't as numerous or as clever in the old days as he is now."

"I remember an instance in which John Brougham carried off a most difficult situation by a clever bit of improvisation and saved the old Winter Garden from the disgrace of a riot. It was the first night on which he played his burlesque 'Columbus' there and the house was filled with his friends.

"Among the most enthusiastic of these friends were a great crowd of Fenians, headed by Mahoney, the man who had just then been elected president of the Irish republic at the old Fenian headquarters in 17th street. There was a jollification in honor of his election, and as he was a personal friend of Brougham's it was natural that he and his followers should buy up all the orchestra seats in the house for the opening night, as they did.

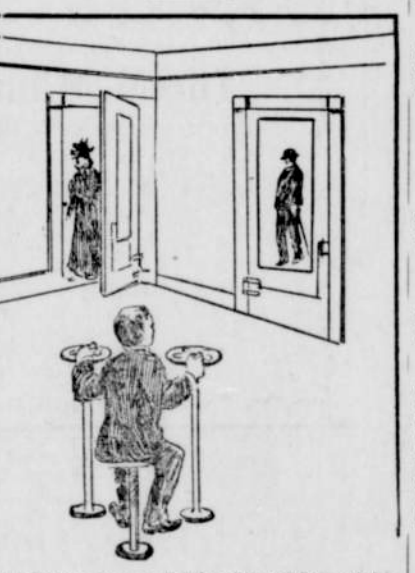
"I was in the cast, and so was Jack Studly, but if anybody else in the company is now alive I don't remember who it is. I played the part of a big Indian who first appeared on the stage as a messenger bringing dispatches from Washington.

"Just as I came on a discussion that had sprung up among some of the excited Fenians developed into a quarrel. The house was already disturbed and there was every prospect of a fight in the orchestra in another minute.

"I delivered my message and Brougham replied to me in the words of the piece:  
"Confound you, have done!"  
"Then turning from me to the footlights he went on, as if it was a part of his speech:  
"Or would you like a band of Fenian brothers,  
All fame abandon to defame each other?  
If with such sentiments I sent out any, Remember I'm head center here, Mahoney."

"There was a roar of laughter from the whole house at this, and the Fenians joined in it as heartily as any one else. There was no further talk or indication of trouble and the play went on without interruption."—New York Sun.

## NOVEL CONTRIVANCE TO OPEN STORE DOORS.



A door opener is the invention of M. J. Donnell, of St. Louis, designed primarily for the doors of retail stores at which boys are usually stationed. It consists of a series of rods connecting the door with a lever or wheel, which may be placed any desired distance from the door. By pulling the lever or turning a wheel the operator opens and closes the door noiselessly, and one boy can attend to a number of doors connected in the same manner. All the mechanism except the operation appliance is placed under the floor.

## A Congenial Caller.

The Maid—"There is a gentleman at the door who wishes to see you ma'am."

The Widow—"Does he look like a caller, Marie?"

The Maid—"Yes, ma'am."

The Widow—"But, Marie, you know I'm in full mourning and can't receive calls."

The Maid—"But this is the young undertaker, ma'am."

"Oh, that's very different. Show him in."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Had Found His Strong Point.

A member of the bar not richly endowed with intellect after years of briefness married a rich widow. She died. Again he sought a bride with a large dowry and again became a widower. Then he thought he would return to his long neglected profession. He approached an old friend, who had meanwhile become a judge of the Supreme Court, and asked what in his opinion would be the wisest course for him to pursue. "Stick to the probate and matrimonial," said the judge.

## Family Pride.

"Mr. Cumrox is only suffering from an ordinary cold, I believe," said the sympathetic visitor.

"Well," answered Mrs. Cumrox, "we've done our best to keep it from being ordinary. We've sent for the most expensive physician in the city."—Washington Star.

## Where Hats Come From.

Hat dealers buy principally from the English and Italian markets. England furnishes stiff and Italy soft hats.

They now say that bad grammar is a disease. We are afraid we have it.

## Sick Women

Mrs. Valentine Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her.

Happiness will go out of your life forever, my sister, if you have any of the symptoms mentioned in Mrs. Valentine's letter, unless you act promptly. Procure Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once. It is absolutely sure to help you. Then write for advice if there is anything about your case you do not understand.

You need not be afraid to tell the things you could not explain to the doctor—your letter will be seen only by women. All the persons who see private letters at Mrs. Pinkham's Laboratory, at Lynn, Mass., are women. All letters are confidential and advice absolutely free.

Here is the letter:—"It is with pleasure that I add my testimony to your list, hoping it may induce others to avail themselves of the benefit of your valuable remedy. Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt very badly, was terribly nervous, and tired, had sick headaches, no appetite, growing pains in stomach, pain in my back and right side, and so weak I could scarcely stand. I was not able to do anything. Had sharp pains all through my body. Before I had taken half a bottle of your medicine, I found myself improving. I continued its use until I had taken four bottles, and felt so well that I did not need to take any more. I am like a new person, and your medicine shall always have my praise."—Mrs. W. P. VALENTINE, 566 Ferry Avenue, Camden, N.J.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co.

## Society for Preventing Tuberculosis.

A society has been organized in Moscow, Russia, the members consisting of both physicians and laymen, for the purpose of preventing tuberculosis by putting into practice those means which science has indicated as effective.

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## The Man-Who-Didn't-Get-Off.

"For deep-laid, underground, double-dyed, contrary meanness, give me a woman."

"Goodness! What do you mean?"

"They always go to cleaning house just when a man is thinking of going fishing."—Chicago Herald.

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## The Real Thing.

She—You don't mean to say professor, that you have given up all your studies in the higher mathematics in order to play golf?

Professor—Yes; I have. I wanted something to discipline my mind.

## His Own Chance.

"Goodness! I do hope our young minister won't marry that Miss Strongmind."

"I didn't think you took so much interest in him as to care very much."

"I'm thinking of myself, that's all. If he marries her he'll never have a chance to talk except from the pulpit, and then we'll suffer."—Philadelphia Press.

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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## Use Knives in Quarrels.

In Burma in Ceylon, and, though fortunately in a lesser degree, in Madras, quarrels are constantly occurring in which knives are brought into play and serious wounds inflicted, resulting more than often not in death. The knives used in Ceylon are sheath knives, and for long the law abiding community has been trying to get the authorities insist on these knives being made with a button on the tip. They would thus be rendered harmless for stabbing, while still available for legitimate use.

## Motors for Fire Engines

The first town in England to do away with horses at the fire stations is Eccles. Mayor F. Smith has supplied the engine houses with powerful little motors, which were proved successful in every way. The engine carries five men, four ladders, 300 yards of hose, two standpipes and other appliances. It is driven by a seven horse power double cylinder water cooler engine fitted with variable ignition.

## Surely Not.

Mrs. Uphurch—Maud, I wish you wouldn't have so much to do with that young Hinningside. I am told he is a confirmed agnostic.

Miss Maud—Why, mamma, the agnostics don't confirm people, do they?—Chicago Tribune.

## A Bad Break in Society.

Jack Fortune—Hunt—Yes, she rejected me and all because of a bad break I made when I was proposing.

Dick Adams—What was that?  
Jack Fortune—Hunt—Oh I told her she was one in a thousand. She thinks she's one of the Four Hundred.—Catholic Standard.

## Horny-Handed.

When the labor organizations turned out the other day several well known politicians were seen in their ranks.

"Didn't know those fellows belonged," said a querulous onlooker.  
"Oh yes," said a man of information,—"they're members of the Wire-workers' Union."—Indianapolis News.

## Craft in Our Ports.

There are about \$30,000,000 worth of craft in our Atlantic and gulf ports any day in the year. The weather bureau can reach every vessel master in every port of material size within an hour in case of danger.

## Profits in Attar of Roses.

One of the most profitable products of Bulgaria is the oil or attar of roses, which amounts to more than \$1,000,000 annually. The town of Skipka, where was fought the decisive battle of the Russo-Turkish war, on the 7th of July, 1877, is the center of the rose gardens.

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## A Letter From the Executive Office of Oregon.

Pe-ru-na is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Letters of congratulation and commendation testifying to the merits of Pe-ru-na as a catarrh remedy are pouring in from every state in the Union. Dr. Hartman is receiving hundreds of such letters daily. All classes write these letters, from the highest to the lowest.

The outdoor laborer, the indoor artisan, the clerk, the editor, the statesman, the preacher—all agree that Pe-ru-na is the catarrh remedy of the age. The stage and rostrum, recognizing catarrh as their greatest enemy, are especially enthusiastic in their praise and testimony.

Any man who wishes perfect health must be entirely free from catarrh. Catarrh is well-nigh universal; almost omnipresent. Pe-ru-na is the only absolute safeguard known. A cold is the beginning of catarrh. To prevent colds, to cure colds, is to cheat catarrh out of its victims. Pe-ru-na not only cures catarrh, but prevents. Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and so forth.

The governor of Oregon is an ardent admirer of Pe-ru-na. He keeps it continually in the house. In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman he says:  
State of Oregon,  
Executive Department,  
Salem, May, 9, 1898.  
The Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio:  
Dear Sirs—I have had occasion to use your Pe-ru-na medicine in my family for colds, and it proved to be an excellent remedy. I have not had occasion to use it for other ailments.  
Yours very truly,  
W. M. Lord.  
It will be noticed that the governor says he has not had occasion to use Pe-ru-na for other ailments. The reason for this is, most other ailments begin with a cold. Using Pe-ru-na to promptly cure colds, he protects his family against other ailments. This is exactly what every other family in the United States should do. Keep Pe-ru-na in the house. Use it for coughs, colds, influenza, and other climatic affections of winter, and there will be no other ailments in the house. Such families should provide themselves with a copy of Dr. Hartman's free book, entitled "Winter Catarrh." Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

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