

### BABY'S TORTURING SKIN HUMOR

Ears Looked as if Would Drop Off—Body Entirely Covered—Face Mass of Sores—Three Doctors Could Not Cure—Child Grew Worse.

### CURED BY CUTICURA IN TWO WEEKS FOR 75c.

Mrs. George J. Steese, of 701 Coburn St., Akron, Ohio, tells in the following letter of another of those remarkable cures of torturing skin humors daily made by Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, after physicians, and all else had failed: "I feel it my duty to parents of other poor suffering babies to tell you what Cuticura has done for my little daughter. She broke out all over her body with a humor, and we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, they all claimed they could help her, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was being eaten away; her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of soap and box of ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents, which is all it cost us to cure our baby, after spending many dollars on doctors and medicines without any benefit whatever."

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### LARGEST EGG SHELL IS OWNED IN AMERICA

Journal Special Service. New York, Dec. 12.—Charles L. Wachter of Hoboken has brought here on the Carmania the largest egg shell in the world. It was laid more than four hundred years ago in Madagascar by a bird which has been extinct for 400 years. This is the only egg of the kind in the United States. There are only a few such eggs in the British Museum, and only nine specimens in France. The egg, which is empty, is as big as a rugby football. It was found by the king of Madagascar some time ago and sent to London, where Wachter bought it for \$2,500. He has not yet decided what he will do with it.

### BAD! BAD!! BAD!!!

Bad blood comes from bad digestion—bad stomach, bad liver, bad kidneys—attended with bad, foul breath, coated tongue, bad tastes, bad headaches, bad appetite and kindred symptoms. Bad as these are, and serious as are the diseases to which they lead, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery comes to the relief and cure of all these by regulating and invigorating STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS and KIDNEYS, and putting all these organs in good order. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, opium or other harmful drugs; neither does it contain sugar or syrup, which are injurious to some stomachs. Without any of these, it has a pleasant taste and marvelous healing qualities in the most trying climate. It will let a selfish medicine seller cheat you out of your health by giving you a substitute. He's only looking out for a larger profit, not for your good. Shun him! Honest, unselfish dealers recommend the "Golden Medical Discovery." "That your remedies are not for the few, but for the many is evident, for I personally know of many scores of persons in this city who have been restored to health and strength by your medicines," thus writes Henry Landshoff, Esq., Alderman in 17th Ward, Buffalo, N. Y., of 104 Jefferson street. "I know that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is most valuable in cases of derangement of the liver having taken the medicine some two years ago when I had a bad attack of liver trouble, and I never used medicine before that did me so much good. I have known Dr. Pierce for twenty-six years, and do not waver at his success, for he is a physician and man of high qualities, is possessed of extraordinary skill, and he has in his Sanitarium a corps of specialists who are chosen because of their unusual knowledge and professional skill." If suffering from any obstinate, lingering ailment, write to Dr. Pierce and get, free of charge, sound medical advice. He has the counsel and assistance of a large staff of expert specialists.

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### RAILROADS GETS THE CONTRACT

MILWAUKEE FIRM WILL BUILD 800 MILES OF MILWAUKEE'S PACIFIC COAST EXTENSION.

Special to The Journal. Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 12.—The railroad construction firm of McIntosh Brothers of Milwaukee, is reported to have been given the contract by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad for the construction of 800 miles of that company's Pacific coast extension from Evans, S. D. The contract for the rails has been awarded to the United States Steel corporation. The company has completed seventy-five miles of grading on the extension from Chamberlain to Rapid City, a distance of 213 miles, and forty miles of this line are in operation. It is the expectation to complete this extension by Nov. 1, 1906.

### TO RESEATTLE IOWA Great Western Road Will Seek to Bring Eastern Farmers.

Iowa is to receive the attention of the Great Western road next year. The company will seek to reseatle that state, which forms a great part of the territory of the system. A. J. Van Patten's appointment as immigration agent, Jan. 1, has to do with this new department of the company's work. It is well known that as Iowa farmers became prosperous they began to sell their land at good prices and to invest in northwestern and Canadian farms at low prices, so as to repeat their wealth-producing experiences in Iowa. The Great Western will show farmers of eastern states that they can find attractive homes in Iowa and will reach to repeat some operations of the Iowa farmers and thus secure much better land than they are now tilling in the effete east.

The Great Western officials realize that some of the lands in Iowa are not so productive as they should be, and they intend to stir up agricultural activities along the lines. There are some farms for sale along the Chicago Great Western lines, and it will be part of Mr. Van Patten's duties to try to place new settlers on them.

### PASSES STILL EXTANT Western Lines Do Not Seem to Contemplate Extensive Change.

While eastern lines are taking a strong stand against the issuance of railroad passes western lines do not give evidence of probable changes. Clerks in the various headquarters offices are mailing passes about the same list as before. The action of the eastern lines is suspected to refer mainly to free transportation which has been given in the past to politicians. Western line officials have received no notice of probable changes affecting themselves and their right to travel free over lines east of Chicago. Some of the agents of the eastern lines in this territory have received notice that they are not to send in a list of the passes they require until they are requested to do so. From this grows the supposition that the eastern roads do not intend to exchange with the western roads next year.

### OMAHA SPENDING MONEY Extensive Improvements Being Made on St. Paul & Sioux City Division.

Special to The Journal. Mankato, Minn., Dec. 12.—Grading contractors along the Omaha road are beginning to lay their forces off for the winter. Never so much undertaken in one year as on the St. Paul & Sioux City division. Money is being spent in large amounts in straightening the line and improving the roadbed. The track between St. Paul and Worthington has been ballasted with gravel and many new steel rails have been laid.

The most expensive improvement is between this city and Minneapolis, the station in the proposed new state park, four miles west of Mankato. Several sharp curves will be avoided by cutting through a rough country. A gigantic stone culvert, to cost \$45,000, is being constructed over Minnesota creek below the falls. James McClure of St. Paul has the subcontract for this work and stone from his Mankato quarry is being used.

### COMMISSION APPROVES New Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba Railway Is Inspected.

After inspection of the trackage of the new line the state railway commission has given permission for the operation of the Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba railway from Bemidji to Nash. Today the commission is at Portage, on the Northern Pacific road, investigating the probable need of a railroad station. The commission is acting upon a petition of citizens. The interlocking plant at the Warren crossing of the Great Northern and the Soo line will be inspected tomorrow. This is the point where the Winnipeg line of the Great Northern crosses the Thief River Falls-Kemmerer extension of the Soo.

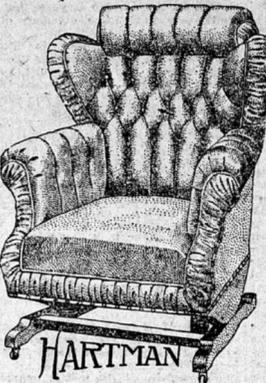
### REED A FIGUREHEAD Real Executive of "Alphabet" Road Will Be "Another, It Is Said."

Special to The Journal. Albert Lea, Minn., Dec. 12.—While Captain A. H. Reed has been re-elected president of the Duluth, St. Cloud, Glencoe & Mankato Railroad company, it is said the real executive head will be another man, whose name has not been made public. There has been some friction and dissatisfaction over the Glencoe man's administration. Indications are that little work will be done until spring. Then, if the Mil-

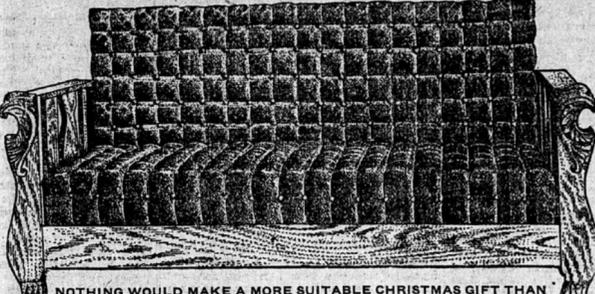
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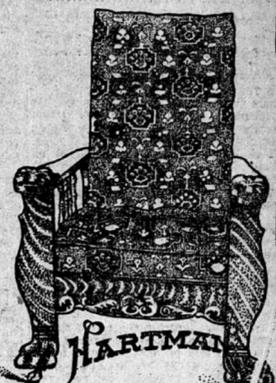
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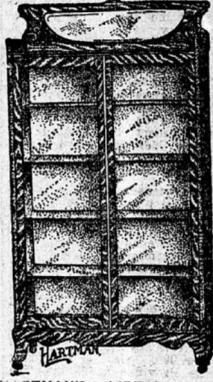


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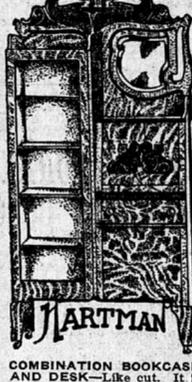
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waukee has not gobbled up the work already done, it will be pushed on toward Mankato.

8:10 a.m. Returning the limited leaves Nashville at 7 p.m., arriving at Chicago at 9:30 a.m.

Chicago-Nashville Trains. The Illinois Central road has acquired the right to operate trains over the line of the Tennessee Central between Hopkinsville, Ky., and Nashville, Tenn., and on Sunday inaugurated a fast daily service between Chicago and Nashville. The train is named the Chicago and Nashville Limited, leaving Chicago at 5:35 p.m. and arriving at Nashville at

Considering Corn Rate. At a Chicago meeting today railroad are considering the export corn rate made by the Milwaukee road. It is believed that the Milwaukee will withdraw the rate from the Missouri territory and that the result will be a restoration of peace. The Western Passenger association is also holding a meeting in Chicago.

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