

# Skin Diseases

ECZEMA, TETTER, PSORIASIS, SALT RHEUM, ACNE and a great many other diseases of like character are classed as skin diseases, when they could just as properly be called blood diseases, for they undoubtedly originate in the blood, like Cancer, Catarrh, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Contagious Blood Poison, etc.; the only real difference being in the intensity and nature of the poison. The more serious diseases, Cancer, Catarrh, etc., are caused by some specific poison or virus, which is either inherited or in other ways gets into the blood and attacks certain vital organs or appears in the form of terrible sores and ulcers, while the milder and less dangerous skin diseases are caused by blood humors or an over acid condition of that fluid. These acid poisons, as they ooze out through the pores of the skin, cause great irritation, with intense itching and burning. The eruption may be of a pustular kind, with excessive discharge of thick, gummy fluid, or the skin may be hot, dry and feverish, swollen and fissured. Skin diseases, whether they appear as sores, blotches or pimples, become more deeply rooted and intractable the longer neglected, the skin in time having a thick, hard, rough and unsightly appearance. You can hide the blemishes for a time with cosmetics; and washes, lotions, soaps and powders may relieve temporarily the itching and burning, but eventually the pores of the skin become so clogged up by the treatment that the poisonous matter thrown off by the blood cannot pass out of the system, and settles on the lungs, heart or some other vital organ and endangers life.

I can cheerfully and most sincerely endorse your specific as a cure for Eczema, the most irritating and annoying disease, I think, that flesh is heir to. I was troubled with it for twenty-five years, and tried many remedies with no good effect. After using your medicine a short time I think I am entirely relieved. You can give this statement any publicity you may desire, as it is voluntarily made, more for those afflicted than notoriety for myself.

Very respectfully,  
WM. CAMPBELL,  
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clogged up by this treatment that the poisonous matter thrown off by the blood cannot pass out of the system, and settles on the lungs, heart or some other vital organ and endangers life.

To purify and build up the polluted blood is the right treatment for skin diseases, and for this purpose no other medicine is so deservedly popular as S. S. S. It is a perfect antidote for all blood humors, and when taken into the circulation, gently but thoroughly eliminates all impurities and puts the blood in a healthy, normal state. The skin can't remain in an irritated, diseased condition when nourished with rich, new blood. S. S. S. is the only guaranteed purely vegetable remedy, and the safest and best skin beautifier. Write our physicians if you have any blood or skin disease, and they will cheerfully advise you without charge.

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### WIFE LOOTS HUSBAND'S POCKETS

And is Arraigned on an Unusual Charge—Both Cry.

New York, Sept. 5.—Herman Hollander, a wealthy whisky dealer of Patterson, N. J., and his wife Lena, were in the police court there today as disorderly persons. This morning Mrs. Hollander arose and left the house after rifling her husband's pockets and getting \$600. The husband awoke half an hour later and discovered that his wife had gone. He followed her to the Erie depot and caught her. She admitted taking the money, but said that in her excitement to get away from her husband she had lost it.

The husband induced the wife to go back toward the house, but on the way the wife became frightened and refused to go farther. The police were called in and the pair taken to the station house. There the woman was searched but no money was found on her. She said that she wanted to leave her husband because he had threatened to shoot her. The couple cried in the court room each accusing the other.

Hollander was frantic when told by his wife that she had lost the money. The Jersey laws do not permit a husband to make a complaint against a wife for stealing, so the two were dismissed after the court had warned them to behave on the streets.

Mrs. Hollander agreed to go back provided her husband gave her \$15 a week. He will leave the house for six months. Articles to this effect were drawn up.

Many physicians are now prescribing Kodol Dyspepsia Cure regularly having found that it is the best prescription they can write because it is the one preparation which contains the elements necessary to digest not only some kinds of food but all kinds, and it therefore cures indigestion and dyspepsia no matter what its cause. City Drug Store.

Census Enumerator Clawson, who is also editor of the Herald at Howc, Ind. Ter., writes:

To whom it may concern—I was a sufferer from stomach trouble until I was induced to try a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and I want to say that in my opinion it has no equal as a stomach remedy. I had tried many different remedies, but none with the happy results of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

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Respt. yours S. ELLIOTT.  
Elk City, Kas., Dec. 13, 1900.

### DREW THE LAST PRIZE.

Now, it is Believed, a Reward Will Be Paid for It.

Nocona, Tex., Sept. 5.—It is currently reported at Lawton that the Rock Island company has offered \$1,000 in cash to the person who drew the last number in the Lawton district.

It turns out that John W. Graham at this place is the one who made this draw, his number being 86,384, and the total number registered being 86,384.

Mr. Graham is an Alabamian by birth, is 53 years old and has been in Texas thirty-two years. He has been a resident of Nocona five years. He is very much elated over the prospect of getting more in cash than hundreds of the claims in the Lawton district are worth.

Geo. W. Lane, Pawamo, Michigan, writes: "Your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the best remedy for indigestion and stomach troubles that I ever used. For years I suffered with dyspepsia, and at times compelling me to stay in bed and causing me untold agony. I am completely cured by Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. In recommending it to friends who suffer with indigestion I always offer to pay for it if it fails. Thus far I have never paid." City Drug Store.

Chas. Repligie of Atwater, O., was unable to work on account of kidney trouble. After using Foley's Kidney Cure four days he was cured. Bonner & Bonner.

Those who use Charter Oak cook stoves declare that cooking on them is a positive pleasure. They have always been the standard. Bivens & Williams sell them.

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### The Water Beetle.

The great carnivorous water beetle, the dytiscus, after catching and eating other creatures all day, with two minute intervals to come up, poke the tips of its wings out of the water and jam some air against its spiracles before descending once more to its sub-aquatic hunting grounds, will rise by night from the surface of the Thames, lift again those horny wing cases, unfold a broad and beautiful pair of gauzy wings and whirl off on a visit of love and adventure to some distant pond, on to which it descends like a bullet from the air above.

When people are sitting in a greenhouse at night with no lamp lighted, talking or smoking, they sometimes hear a smush as if a pebble had been dropped on the glass from above. It is a dytiscus beetle whose compound eyes have mistaken the shine of the glass in the moonlight for the gleam of a pond.

At night some of the whirling beetles, the shiny beetle-like creatures seen whirling in incessant circles in corners by the bank, make a quite audible and almost musical sound upon the water.—Spectator.

### She Showed Him Her Work.

The woman had her arms in the tub and was fiercely scrubbing one dirty garment after another. Book agents don't often penetrate to that part of Chicago, but this one did. He knocked on the front door until he was tired, and then he went around to the back door. The woman was bobbing up and down over the washboard.

"Good morning, madam," said the book agent pleasantly.

"Good mornin'," said the woman shortly.

"Pleasant day," observed the book agent, sparring for an opening.

"Good enough," answered the woman.

"Excuse me, madam," said the book agent, "but I have here a work that I would like to show you."

"Have you?" answered the woman.

"Well, I've got a lot of work that I'd like to show you." She took one soapy hand out of the tub and waved it at a great pile of dirty clothes.

"That's my work," went on the woman. "If your work can beat that, all right; if it can't, why, skip out."

The book agent skipped.—Chicago Tribune.

### Beavers' Teeth.

Of the cutting power of the beaver's teeth Frank H. Risteen says in Rod and Gun:

"The beaver is really a sort of portable pulp mill, grinding up most any kind of wood that comes his way. I once measured a white birch tree, 22 inches through, cut down by a beaver. A single beaver generally, if not always, amputates the tree, and when it comes down the whole family fall to and have a regular frolic with the bark and branches. A big beaver will bring down a fair sized sapling, say three inches through, in about two minutes and a large tree in about an hour.

"One of the queerest facts about the beaver is the rapidity with which his long, chisel shaped teeth will recover from an injury. I have known beavers to break their teeth in biting a trap, and when I caught them again ten days afterward you couldn't see a sign of the break. The teeth had grown out to their former perfection in that short period."

### Curiosities of the Cacao Tree.

The cultivation of cacao, says a writer in The Scientific American, is an inviting agricultural pursuit in Trinidad and parts of Venezuela. The cacao tree cannot withstand strong sunshine, and the young plants have to be shaded by banana or plantain trees and later, when they attain their growth, by tall trees known as "immortelles," or the "mother of the cacao." These make a kind of canopy over the entire plantation. The fruit of the cacao tree is a pod resembling a cucumber and growing on the trunk or large branches, where it "looks as though it were artificially attached." The seeds are like large, thick lima beans imbedded in pulp. These form the cacao beans of commerce. The processes of curing and drying require much attention.

### Handy Things to Carry.

Few people carry pocket scissors of the folding sort. Those that do never part with them. Convenient for manicure use, to cut a clipping from a paper at a moment's notice, a string, etc., they answer almost every purpose of the pocketknife and are much more convenient to handle. Give a person accustomed to their use a knife and the pocket scissors, and he will part with the former first.—Hardware.

### So They Do, Some of Them.

The teacher had been giving a class of youngsters some ideas of adages and how to make them, and to test her training she put a few questions: "Birds of a feather—do what?" "Lay eggs," piped a small boy before anybody else had a chance to speak.

### Unappreciative.

"You find spring water a very great advantage in dairying, I presume?" "Oh, I don't know," said the milkman. "The average person buying milk doesn't know the difference between spring water and any other kind."—Detroit Journal.

### A Good Bargain.

Minister (reading wedding service)—And you, Hans, take this woman for better, for worse? Hans Frankfurter (conscientiously)—For better, sir! She haf \$40; I got nothings!—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Reciprocal Help.

Doctor—Well, my good woman, what do you want? Beggar—A quarter, doctor; give me a quarter, and I'll tell everybody that you helped me.—New York Times.

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