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COUGH

The Rev. Ira M. Roswell has resigned as pastor of the Christian Church at Lebanon.

A Texas Wonder Hall's Great Discovery.

One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emission, weak and lame back, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned.

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Groesbeck, Tex., Sept. 28, 1896.—This is to certify that I have been cured of kidney and bladder trouble with one bottle of Hall's Great Discovery, and I can fully recommend it to the public. J. W. THOMPSON. Texas testimonials at T. D. Armistead's.

The wheat crop never looked better in Breckinridge county at this season of the year.

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

How to Prevent Pneumonia. At this time of the year a cold is very easily contracted, and if left to run its course without the aid of some reliable cough medicine is liable to result in that dread disease, pneumonia. We know of no better remedy to cure a cough or cold than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it quite extensively and it has always given entire satisfaction.—Olagah, Ind. Ter. Chief. This is the only remedy that is known to be a certain preventive of pneumonia. Among the many thousands who have used it for colds and influenza, we never yet learned of a single case having resulted in pneumonia. Persons who have weak lungs or have reason to fear an attack of pneumonia, should keep the remedy at hand. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by R. C. Hardwick.

There's talk of starting a furniture factory up the Tennessee river next spring.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

The Infants' Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock* is on every wrapper.

Capt. Ryman, of Nashville, purchased the steamer Skaggs at Paducah for \$8,500.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles!

SYMPTOMS—Moisture, intense itching and stinging, most at night, worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed, and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases cures the tumors. At druggists, or by mail for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

Sam Anderson Republican, won the contested election case for the office of Circuit Clerk in Ohio county.

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EXTRAVAGANCE IN LIVING.

Ian Maclaren's Criticism of Americans—Some Wholesome Advice.

Ian Maclaren's latest comment on the American people concerns their wastefulness. There is enough aptness in the criticism of Dr. Watson to make the thoughtful reader dwell on it for more than the casual reading. Unquestionably our extravagance as a people is one of our greatest defects. It matters not how small our personal incomes may be, we all have the same prodigality of ideas as to the scale on which we would live if we could. There is some excuse for this prevailing attitude to be found in the splendid abundance of resource with which we are favored. It is no wonder that we have regarded our stores as inexhaustible, and it is perfectly true that we have not begun to be able to compute them even yet. And again, we can remind Dr. Watson with perfect truth that this government was founded, as he says all our great empires are, in frugality. The fathers of the 13 original colonies were saving and prudent, and the first presidential years were years of simple living, even in the highest official circles. We do not believe that even our general wastefulness and prodigality will be sufficient to swamp us as a people. Gradually, as the strenuousness of the occasion comes, we shall learn small lessons of economy. The past few years have left their impression with many of this generation, and it will not be forgotten in the new wave of success.

Nevertheless, the essential fact remains that we are extravagant in the detail of living, and it is incumbent on all who recognize that fact to set upon it and use such influence as they may have towards improvement. The burden of this work must rest largely with women. American housewives need not so much to revert to the spare and meager methods of their Puritan ancestors, or rather, of the immediate successors of the earlier Puritans, as to require the more artistic frugality of the European housewife, and especially of the French. The New England woman of small means used to "do without." The French woman makes much of a little. It is a common saying that the waste of one not affluent family in this country would keep a similarly circumstanced family in Paris. The same thing applies more or less along the line of all our American life. We do not economize in eating, clothing or furnishing, and when we take our pleasure we are absolutely ridiculous in our extravagance. And it is not only for the sake of accumulation, as Dr. Watson says, that we need to improve, but for the sake of a wholesomer standard and a development of character and individuality in our daily life.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

NEW PRODUCTS OF WOOD.

Over Sixty Per Cent. of Wood Can Be Converted Into Liquid.

It is not generally known that over 60 per cent. of wood may be converted into liquid. The strongest hydraulic pressure would not squeeze one-half of one per cent. of moisture from dry wood, but by putting the same material into an iron retort and converting it into charcoal by means of heat, the gases and smoke, to the extent of fully 65 per cent. of the weight of the wood, may be condensed into a liquid called pyrolygineous acid, and from it are obtained wood alcohol, acetate of lime and wood tars. A cord of wood weighing 4,000 pounds produces about 2,650 pounds of pyrolygineous acid and 700 pounds of charcoal. The pyrolygineous acid from one cord of wood produces nine gallons of 82 per cent. crude wood alcohol, 200 pounds of acetate of lime and about 25 gallons of tar, besides 35 bushels of charcoal. After the pyrolygineous acid is neutralized with lime the wood alcohol is distilled off, the lime holding the acetic acid in solution. After the separation of the wood spirit, the remaining liquid is boiled down in open pans to sugar, which is dried, and becomes the acetate of lime of commerce. Acetate of lime is used for making acetic acid. Fully three-fifths of all the wood alcohol and acetate of lime produced in the world are made in the United States. Fully 15,000 acres per year are cleared for this purpose. Wood alcohol affords a perfect substitute for grain alcohol for manufacturing and mechanical purposes, and at less than one-third the cost. It is used principally as a solvent in the making of shellac varnish, in making celluloid, photographic paper, etc. It makes many beautiful eye tints. It is antiseptic, and much used for liniments and for skin-rubbing in bath houses.—N. Y. Ledger.

Increase of German Scholars.

For years people here have viewed with something akin to alarm the apparent advent of a highly-educated proletariat, due to the increasing excess of the supply over the demand for scholars. Indeed, the extent to which university education is availed of here is giving rise to serious anxiety. At the Prussian universities alone the number of students has increased as follows: In 1870-71 there were 6,644; in 1878-79, 9,506; in 1888-89, 13,246; in 1895-96, 14,742. In 25 years, therefore, there has been an increase of 100 per cent. The town of Danzig has for some time been desirous of maintaining a university of its own, but has desisted from carrying out its project on reference to these disquieting figures.—Pall Mall Gazette.

As an Extractor of Coins.

A man in Galena, Kan., swallowed a five-dollar gold piece. When a friend asked which physician should be called, he replied: "Oh, never mind a physician. Send for my wife; she will answer the purpose." When asked for an explanation, he said: "If she doesn't succeed, it will be the first time she ever failed to get money out of me."

A Curious Trade.

One of the most curious trades extant is that of a man in Berlin, who gets a living by breeding rats for vivisection purposes.

THE LAST BOY.

Enough Experiences of Apprentices in the Paint Room.

"The last boy in the paint room has a hard time of it," said a well-known scenic artist to a New York Sun reporter. "I know that from experience. I began as the last boy, and I am always interested in last boys. My latest last boy has disappeared, faded, gone, and I have been wondering what happened to him."

"We have been doing the work for two big productions this fall, and I have been so rushed that I employed extra men. Until two weeks ago my boy was a German named Fritz. He was about 14 years old and very stolid. Fritz's only answer to every question was 'Yah,' and in two days every man in the paint room made it his special business to make things lively for Fritz at every opportunity. He had an unusual number of brushes to clean, and there was work for him all the time. They nearly drove Fritz crazy the first week, and after that the boy settled down and did the best he could, and when that didn't suit he said 'Yah.' He never smiled, and it was impossible to guess what his thoughts were. Nearly every man in the room had been through much the same experience, and each was ingenious in testing Fritz.

"Two weeks ago I engaged a new boy to help Fritz, and told Fritz to tell him what to do and see that he did it. Fritz's face broke into a satisfied smile for the first time since I had known him. He was pleased. Authority had been given to him to boss another boy and the anticipation delighted him. The new boy was about Fritz's age. He told me that he was an orphan, and I judged that he had been brought up in the streets. His profanity was complete and well assorted. He had oaths for every occasion, and he was never at a loss to find them. With it all he was a cheerful little chap and much brighter than Fritz. He told me that he had never had a whole dollar in his possession at any time, and the salary that I gave him seemed riches to him. I placed him under Fritz, and during the week that he was with me I was too busy to pay any attention to him. I could not help noticing, however, that Fritz was unusually cheerful. Several times he broke out singing, and didn't stop until one of the men threw a paint brush at him. When Saturday night came I paid my last boy and expected that he would turn up on Monday for work again. He didn't appear, and on Tuesday I became suspicious that something had happened to him. One of my men, however, assured me that the last boy had told him on Saturday that he was going to look for a softer job where no Dutchman could boss him.

"I found that the whole room had been entertained by the way in which Fritz had used his authority over the new boy, and that undoubtedly the little chap has had a hard time of it. Fritz assumed all the airs of a scenic artist. He would soil a clean brush and then order the new boy to clean it again. If the work was not done satisfactorily he would make the new boy do it over again, scolding him violently all the time in broken English and German. Fritz devoted every spare minute that week to torturing the new boy, and whenever the little chap protested he would say: "Well, what of it? Ain't I der boss! Yah!"

"That was the reason that the little chap struck, and now Fritz is the last boy again, and he is paying the penalty. It's hard training for a kid. I went through it myself. The next boy who comes to work for me will be instructed carefully as to his privileges, and a hint will be given to him that if Fritz attempts to haze him too much he may take his own revenge. Just now I am looking for a good, strong boy, and I suspect that there is trouble ahead for Fritz."



"To tell the truth my mother has lived with one foot in the grave," writes Mrs. Eugene Stantzenberg, of No. 1604 Walker Ave., Houston, Texas, in a letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y.

"With a most thankful heart I will tell you the wonderful cure effected in her case. She has been a perfect wreck for seven long years. No words can describe what she has suffered. She could not sleep on account of severe pains. She tried every doctor around here and spent hundreds of dollars without benefit. After hearing of your wonderful remedies I wrote to you. My mother has taken six bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and six of the 'Favorite Prescription,' and is now perfectly cured. Please receive the heartiest thanks and blessings from my father and seven children for saving the life of dear mother. May God bless you and your Institution, is the wish of your friend."

Tens of thousands of women have found complete and permanent relief from obstinate and seemingly incurable disease by using the wonderful remedies referred to above. The "Golden Medical Discovery" possesses the peculiar property of nourishing and vitalizing the blood with the life-giving red corpuscles which build up healthy flesh and muscular strength.

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Hawesville's new waterworks plant may attract a large manufactory to that city soon.

Wonderful South American Blood Cure

Quickly dissipates all scrofulous taints in the system, cures pimples, blotches and sores on the face, thoroughly cleanses the blood of boils, carbuncles, abscesses and eruptions, renders the skin clear, young and beautiful. If you would escape blood poison with all its train of horrors, do not fail to use this masterly blood-purifier, which has performed such stupendous cures in all cases of shattered constitution and depravity of the blood. Bad health signifies bad blood. Sold by R. C. Hardwick druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

The Hawesville Plaindealer's boom edition was a creditable issue indeed.

Mr. C. M. Dixon, a well known merchant of Pleasant Ridge, Fulton Co., Pa., has a little girl who is frequently threatened with croup, but when the first symptoms appear, his wife gives her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which always affords prompt relief. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by—R. C. Hardwick.

When the right woman comes along she finds a man's heart-strings as easy to play on as a hand organ.

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When a telephone girl breaks her engagement it is another case of "ring off."

Scars on His Neck. "My little brother had scrofula very badly, but after taking a few bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla he was cured and no symptoms of the scrofula remain except a few scars on his neck. It has been three years since he was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." Miss Alice Perry.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

The best way to make a slow horse fast is not to feed him.

It is the want of health that makes wealth—for the physicians.

The presence of a neighbor's hog in your garden is the root of evil.

A stag party is known by the number of horns made to disappear from the board.

Some people use a jackass to draw a conveyance and others employ a lawyer.

Most people would be content with their lot if it was only a lot of money.

The funny man who falls from a high-grade wheel gets off a good thing.

The road to ruin is kept in good repair at the expense of the travelers thereon.

DAUGHTERS
budding into womanhood. Development slow, eyes dulled, face pimpled, complexion sallow, pains in back and side and constantly tired.

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Most trying and critical time of life for both mother and daughter. Regulate and strengthen the delicate organs which should perform the natural functions of

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