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"Please, sir," said the bell-boy to a Texas hotel clerk, "No. 40 says there ain't no towel in his room." "Tell him to use one of the window curtains." "He says, too, there ain't no pillows." "Tell him to put his coat and vest under his head." "And he wants a pitcher of water." "Suffering Cyrus! But he is the worst kicker I ever saw in my life. Carry him up the horse pail." "He wants to know if he can't have light." "Here! give him this lantern, and ask him if he wants the earth, and if he'll have it fried on one side, or turned over."

Specimen Cases:

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklin's Arnica Sa ve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by W. C. Gaston.

An admirer of Huxley once reprimanded his negro slave for devotion to the Christian religion. "I don't see why you are so determined in this matter," he said. "There is getting to be entirely too much of this Christ business on this plantation. You ought to know anyway there is no hereafter." To which the slave replied: "I dunno, massa, 'bout dat, but I look at it in dis way—if I beliee on the Lord as it says in de Bible an' do what it says I'll be a bettah man while in dis world."

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family have always found that the best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy, that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at W. C. Gaston's. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

Let any victim of the liquor habit eat tomatoes, sprinkled with salt, consuming as much as possible each day. Let the eating of tomatoes and salt to excess be continued for several days and the tomato eater will find liquor offensive, undrinkable, or if drunk, ungrateful to the stomach, so much so that it will be thrown up. This is the cheapest gold cure yet heard of and it is said to be effective.

Sent it to His Mother in Germany.

Mr. Jacob Esbensen, who is in the employ of the Chicago Lumber Co., at Des Moines, Iowa, says: "I have just sent some medicine back to my mother in the old country, that I know from personal use to be the best medicine in the world for rheumatism, having used it in my family for several years. It is called Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It always does the work." 50 cent bottles for sale by W. C. Gaston.

Gov. Stone appointed H. C. Ireland, of Chillicothe, as inspector of oils for Livingston county last Monday. The appointment is a good one, as Mr. Ireland is an untainted Democrat and withal a gentleman of sterling worth.

Call and see those new style leather belts at Mrs. C. P. Vandiver's. They are only 25c each.



Mrs. J. P. Bell, Osaucatomic, Kan., wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes "I was troubled with heart disease for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. They said there was no help for me, that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart, which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and it completely cured me. I sleep well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did: there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial."

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at \$1.00 per bottle, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Restores Health

MEN OF MARK.

Richard Watson Gilder published an amateur newspaper at the age of 12 years.

Will T. Hale, the sweet singer of Tennessee, like Frank L. Stanton, is a newspaper man. He is one of the editorial staff of the Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

Police Commissioner Roosevelt, of New York, according to Julian Ralph, is not a martinet. He is too fond of fun to be stern except on rare occasions.

Sir Knight Isaac Mass, of Vincennes, Ind., is one of the oldest Masons who visited Boston. He is 85 and a thirty-second degree Mason. He stood the fatigue of the parade remarkably well.

John I. Blair, the New Jersey railroad king, who has over \$25,000,000 invested in western railroads, boasts that he has never bought a road merely for speculation, and none of his money has been made by bulling or bearing stocks.

Mr. John Burns declares that in America the miners' wages are a shilling a day less than they are in Nottingham, Durham or Northumberland; their hours of work are longer, their houses are worse, and their condition is indescribably sad, and this he attributes to the want of trades unionism among them.

The commander-in-chief of the Sultan of Morocco's army is a Scotchman by the name of Kaid McLain.

M. Chassepot, the inventor of the rifle on which the French relied in the war against Prussia, is now keeping a hotel at Nice.

Senator Morrill, of Vermont, "the father of the senate," is now 65 years of age. He never touched wine until he was 40 years of age, and has always eschewed stimulants, worry and late hours when possible.

Emory Speer, United States judge for the southern circuit of Georgia, has been chosen orator for the opening exercises of the Cotton States and International exposition, and has signified his acceptance of the invitation.

Count Mutzu, the Japanese foreign minister, has tendered Sheridan P. Read, American Consul, at Tientsin, the official thanks of the Japanese government for the assistance rendered

ed by the consul in the exchange of ratifications of the Cheefoo treaty.

Lord Lonsdale's residence, Lowther Castle, where he is now entertaining Emperor William, is one of the most wonderful places in England. It has a stately terrace a mile in length, overlooking a magnificent mountain gorge, and a vast panorama of wild northern scenery.

Prof. Judd, who succeeds the late Prof. Auxley, as dean of the Royal College of Science, South Kensington, has spent most of his life in geological study. He is a fellow of the Royal society, has twice been president of the Geological society and is the holder of the Wollaston medal, the highest honor a geologist can obtain.

Arch-bishop Ireland is the only arch-bishop who wears the button of the Loyal legion.

Fred Hovey, the new tennis champion, is an all-round athlete and a very creditable baseball player, having been a member of both the Harvard and Brown university nines.

Richard and John McGriff, twins, of Geneva, Ind., are said to be the oldest twins in the world. They have just celebrated their 91st birthday.

United States Ambassador Bayard has promised to deliver the annual address in the autumn to the Edinburgh Philo-sophical society.

Chas. H. Cramp says the yacht of the future will be of steel, and that its motive power will be of electricity.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

RIVALING JERRY SIMPSON.

The Moberly Monitor stands sponsor for the following. If any of our readers have seen the fellow referred to they will please not say anything about it:

"A few days ago a country man, fresh from the hay-mow, stepped into one of Moberly's fashionable gents' furnishing houses and intimated to the proprietor that he was going up to Chariton county a visiting and would like to buy a pair of socks.

Several sorts were shown him, and the proprietor in the mean time expatiating on the good points of each, finally holding up a pair he said: 'Now here is a bang up good wearing sock two pairs for 25 cents.' The effect on the buyer was electrical—jumping like a bee had stung him and glaring at the merchant with eyes widely distended, he exclaimed: 'My God, Mister! I don't want your hul stor; I ain't a gwine ter stay but three weeks, one par's all I need!' He got them."

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The greatest pile ointment in the world. It cures where all others fail. A positive guarantee with every box. Call for sample box sold by Sneed, your popular druggist.

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right down through the fevered parts to where the inflammation is rooted. That is why Mustang Liniment "cures all aches and pains of man or beast." If it evaporated or remained on the skin it could not cure. That is why volatile extracts fail. They can't go down through the inflamed parts.

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Mustang Liniment has been used for one-half a century.

Write for "Fairy Story Book," illustrated, also "Hints from a Horse-doctor's Diary." Both books mailed free.

Lyon Manufacturing Co., South 5th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

At Louisiana, Mo., last Thursday, Dr. and Mrs. Lannigan crossed the Mississippi on a ferry boat, which landed a short distance from the shore. The pier was covered with water on account of a sudden rise in the river. They attempted to drive to the shore in a buggy when the current took them into deep water. Men in skiffs succeeded in rescuing the doctor, but his wife was drowned.

Your Blood is Your Life.

Without good blood coursing through your veins you will soon look wrinkled and dried up. A few doses of Beggs' Blood Purifier and Blood Maker will change your whole system, giving you a healthy, fresh and youthful appearance. Sold and guaranteed by your popular druggist, H. L. Sneed.

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Gates—The only time I ever use whiskey is when I am getting a tooth pulled. My wife will not allow me to touch it under any other circumstances.

Barnes—Had any pulled lately?

Gates—No. Haven't any left.

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It Cures

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Get only the genuine—it has crossed red lines on the wrapper. All others are substitutes. On receipt of two 2c. stamps we will send set of Ten Beautiful World's Fair Views and book—free. BROWN CHEMICAL CO. BALTIMORE, MD.

It is reported that Col. Dick Dalton, Democratic candidate for governor in 1892, and who is now collector of the port at St. Louis, will wed Miss Mayme Carr, of Jonesburg, on or about October 3rd. The young lady is said to be beautiful and accomplished, aged 19 years, while the colonel is a widower, and has past his half century mile-stone on the journey of life.

Six weeks ago I suffered with a very severe cold; was almost unable to speak. My friends all advised me to consult a physician. Noticing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised in the St. Paul Volks Zeitung I procured a bottle, and after taking it a short while was entirely well. I now most heartily recommend this remedy to anyone suffering with a cold. Wm. Keil 678 Selby Ave. St. Paul, Minn. For sale by W. C. Gaston.

The driest place in the world is that part of Egypt between the two lower falls of the Nile. Rain has never been known to fall there, and the inhabitants do not believe travelers when told that water can fall from the sky. And the wettest place is Glencoe, in Scotland, where, according to local legends, when it is not raining it is snowing, the annual rainfall being 127 inches.

Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away is the truthful, startling title of a book about No-To-Bac, the harmless, guaranteed tobacco habit cure that braces up nicotine nerves, eliminates the nicotine poison, makes weak men gain strength, vigor and manhood. You run no physical or financial risk, as No-To-Bac is sold by W. C. Gaston under a guarantee to cure or money refunded. Book free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago.

That wasn't very bad advice that a woman gave a Michigan preacher the other day. He had been preaching for eight years without making a convert, and she got right up in meeting and advised him to get religion himself, and be quick about it, too, and then his preaching might have some effect on his flock.

The Jefferson City Tribune pays this compliment to the uniform intelligence and integrity of the Missouri newspapers. "There are not a dozen Democratic newspapers in the state opposing the cause of free silver, and those that are supposed to lean toward the gold standard are picking their steps like a blind horse crossing a pile of fence rails."

Bucklin's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by W. C. GASTON.

A female horse thief is a very rare specimen of humanity, but Mrs. Laura O'Bannon, a disreputable woman, 20 years of age, and a daughter of Josiah Lissent, was lodged in jail at Boonville a few days ago on that charge. She, it is alleged, stole a horse from Max Douer, four miles west of Boonville, on the 13th of last July.

Because the BUCKSKIN BREECHES are the best Jeans Pants made it's natural to expect they cost more than other pants. That's a mistake. They cost no more than common grades. They fit better, wear better, look better, than any other make. If these things count, they're the cheapest pants made.

King Christian, of Denmark, is the oldest European monarch, while King Alfonso, of Spain, is the youngest.

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