

# Chronic Rheumatism.

From the Industrial News, Jackson, Mich.  
The subject of this sketch is fifty-six years of age, and actively engaged in farming. When seventeen years old he hurt his shoulder and a few years after commenced having rheumatic pains in it. On taking a slight cold or the least strain, sometimes without any apparent cause whatever, the trouble would start and he would suffer the most excruciating pain.

He suffered for over thirty years, and the last decade has suffered so much that he was unable to do any work. To this the frequent occurrences of dizzy spells were added, making him almost a helpless invalid.

## IN ALL SORTS OF WEATHER.

He tried the best physicians but without being benefited and has used several specific rheumatic cures, but was not helped. About one year and six months ago he read in this paper of a case somewhat similar to his which was cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and concluded to try this remedy.

After taking the first box he felt somewhat better, and after using three boxes, the pains entirely disappeared, the dizziness left him, and he has now for over a year been entirely free from all his former trouble and enjoys better health than he has had since his boyhood.

He is loud in his praise of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and will gladly corroborate the above statements. His post office address is Lorenzo Neely, Horton, Jackson County, Michigan.

## BEYOND BELIEF.

The lady in the railway car would have claimed undisputed recognition as the most overdressed person in any of the counties through which the train passed had it not been for her son. He was one of the wealthy-faced, scrupulously clad little people who afford support to the theory that "nervy" may be a comparative blessing to a very young. He did not look as if a genuine good time would fit him. The ambition to drill him into unflinching self-consciousness had met with obvious and pathetic success. He sat with his neck stretched out to keep from wrinkling his face, and his eyes were fixed on the ground.

He made no reply, but penitently turned his back upon the mental luxury with which he had hoped to provide himself. His mother evidently prided herself upon her achievements as domestic disciplinarian. In a loud voice she continued: "Now, you sit there perfectly quiet, and remember what I tell you. If you do anything like that again, I will have you sent to the penitentiary."

As she paused to consider her threat the child gazed into her face with tense apprehension. "I'll open that window and toss you out and let the cold run over you, and that all the wheels will cut you up in little bits of pieces!" His eyes grew big with dread, and in tones of mingled incredulity and dismay he exclaimed: "Mamma! In my new brown suit!"

Washington Star.

# MINNESOTA STATE NEWS

**By the Hypnotic Route.**  
If the authorities will permit it, John Moshik, who is to be hanged in Minneapolis next month for murder, will be hypnotized as he stands on the gallows. Dr. Edward H. Haas, a skillful hypnotist of St. Paul, is anxious to try the experiment.

Acting upon the suggestion that he is to stiffen all the muscles, Moshik may drop through the trap as rigid as any of the hypnotized subjects so often exhibited with head upon one chair and feet upon another. Thus the metallic muscles of his neck may prevent the rope from compressing his wind pipe and from causing him to strangle. The same muscular resistance may keep the shock of his fall from wrenching apart the vertebrae of his upper spinal column. Or, if he really does die, his death may be spiritually serene.

The execution of Moshik will take place in the large vacant space on the jail floor between the hospital and the insane wards on the Fifth street side of the building.

Government officials made a rapid raid on room 11 of the Missabe block at Duluth and secured a complete outfit of counterfeiters' stamps, moulds and tools. The room was occupied by J. H. Williams, who was arrested in Ashland, Wis., for passing counterfeit money.

For several months past Hibbing and other range towns have been flooded with bad coin, of denominations up to a dollar, but the officials did not get a clue of the counterfeiters until Williams was arrested at Ashland. He is supposed to be at the head of a well organized gang, the other members of which are believed to have left the country.

One of the greatest libel suits ever tried in Minneapolis came to an end with a verdict of not guilty. The action was brought by the Minneapolis Trust company against the Minneapolis Times, W. E. Haskell, its manager, and John Blanchard, its editor, and was a criminal prosecution by indictment. The case was on trial two months, and the jury, after being out 24 hours, brought in a verdict of not guilty as to the defendant Haskell, which will settle all the cases. The jury, however, declared that the editorial went beyond the statements in the affidavit on which it was based.

At a recent meeting of the medical faculty of the university a number of changes were made in the constitution of the instructing force of the school. Dr. Arthur Gillette of St. Paul was elected professor of joint surgery. Dr. J. C. Christianson, also of St. Paul, clinical instructor of children's diseases, and Dr. Frank Todd, of Minneapolis, clinical professor of diseases of the eye and ear.

A Minneapolis butcher has been arrested for selling mutton that had died before being butchered.

The postoffice and the store of Pressnell & Bennett at Eagle Lake was robbed. The thieves got very little plunder.

# ARE YOU TO LIVE IN ALASKA?

The universal article of diet in that country, depended upon and indispensable, is bread or biscuit. And to make the bread and biscuit, either in the camp or upon the trail, yeast cannot be used—it must be baking powder; and the powder manufactured by the processes of the Royal Baking Powder Company, miners and prospectors have learned, is the only one which will stand in that peculiar climate of cold and dampness and raise the bread and biscuit satisfactorily.

These facts are very important for every one proposing to go to Alaska and the Yukon country to know, for should he be persuaded by some outfit to take one of the cheap brands of baking powder, it will cost just as much to transport it, and then when he opens it for use, after all his labor in packing it over the long and difficult route, he will find a solid caked mass or a lot of spoiled powder, with no strength and useless. Such a mistake might lead to the most serious results. Alaska is no place in which to experiment in food, or try to economize with your stomach. For use in such a climate, and under the trying and fatiguing conditions of life and labor in that country, everything must be the best and most useful, and above all it is imperative that all food supplies shall have perfect keeping qualities. It is absurd to convey over such difficult and expensive routes an article that will deteriorate in transit, or that will be found when required for use to have lost a great part of its value.

There is no better guide to follow in these matters than the advice of those who have gone through similar experience. Mr. McQuesten, who is called "the father of Alaska," after an experience of years upon the trail, in the camp, and in the use of every kind of supply, says: "We find in Alaska that the importance of a proper kind of baking powder cannot be overestimated. A miner with a can of bad baking powder is almost helpless in Alaska. We have tried all sorts, and have been obliged to settle down to use nothing but Royal. It is stronger, and carries further, but, above all things, it is the only powder that will endure the severe climatic changes of the Arctic region."

It is for the same reasons that the U. S. Government in its relief expeditions, and Peary, the famous Arctic traveler, have carried the Royal Baking Powder exclusively.

The Royal Baking Powder will not cake nor lose its strength either on board ship or in damp climates, and is the most highly concentrated and efficient of leavening agents. Hence it is indispensable to every Alaskan outfit. It can be had of any of the trading companies in Alaska, but should the miner procure his supplies before leaving, he should resist every attempt of the outfit to palm off upon him any of the other brands of baking powder, for they will spoil and prove the cause of great disappointment and trouble.

**BIRDS EAT 400 SHEEP.**  
The Feast Took Place 100 Miles From Dawson and Cost \$20,000.  
Jack Collins, who started for Dawson City with a band of sheep last summer, has been heard from. He sold part of his flock for \$30,000. The other and biggest half of the flock fed the birds of the arctic zone. This is how it happened:

He drove the sheep in over the Dalton trail. Some time before Dawson was reached cold weather came on, and Collins decided to kill his sheep. He killed and sold 500, and received nearly \$20,000 for them.

Then he concluded to hold the remainder for a better market. He killed the remaining 400 in a sort of secluded place off the line of travel and suspended the carcasses on poles far enough above the ground to be out of the reach of bears, wolves or other wild animals. He left two young men to watch the mutton, and proceeded to look for a mining section. Having found one, he located a claim and proceeded to test it. After he had dug out a few thousand dollars' worth of gold he thought he would, as the French say, "return to his muttons."

His stay had been so prolonged that the young men had become weary of holding a wake over the sheep, and, imagining Dawson to be only a few miles away, had started for that city to enjoy some of the pleasures a metropolitan city can afford. It proved to be about 100 miles to Dawson, so their absence was more extended than they had intended, and when Collins reached the place where he had left the carcasses of 400 sheep he found only 400 bleaching skeletons.

# IMPRISONMENT FOR LIFE.

**Jury Finds Luettger Guilty of the Murder of His Wife.**  
Chicago, Feb. 10.—Adolph Louis Luettger was pronounced guilty of the premeditated murder of his wife, Louise, at 11:25 o'clock Wednesday night, and his punishment was fixed at imprisonment in the penitentiary for the remainder of his natural life.

[Adolph L. Luettger's wife, Louise, disappeared the night of May 1, 1897. Her disappearance was reported to the police May 3 by her brother, Dietrich Bickness, of Oakdale, Ill. The police searched the clay holes of the northwest side and the river for her body, followed false clues of her whereabouts, and through Illinois and Wisconsin; then May 15 searched the Luettger sausage factory, at Hermitage avenue and Diversey street, finding two women's gold rings in a vat in the basement, as well as numerous circumstances believed to be incriminating. Mary Simmering, Luettger's servant, was the following day arrested and held to the grand jury on a charge of wife murder by Justice Kersten. Habeas corpus proceedings proved futile to effect his release. Luettger was returned June 6. The first trial was brought before Judge Tuttle August 23 and closed October 21, the jury failing to agree on a verdict. The second trial began before Judge Gary on a change of venue from Judge Horton November 26. In this trial 146 witnesses were called. Luettger testified in his own behalf for the first time. It was claimed by the state that Luettger looked down upon his second wife as though she occupied a station beneath him; that he loved other women and desired to rid himself of her that she might not stand in the way of the fulfillment of his purposes, and that he disintegrated her body in a vat at the sausage factory with a solution of potash after having effected her death. The defense claimed that Mrs. Luettger, disappointed over the business failure and despondent, had wandered away.]

**BARRIOS ASSASSINATED.**  
President of Guatemala Said to Have Been Killed at San Jose.  
Washington, Feb. 10.—Senor Lajo Arriaga, the Guatemalan minister to the United States, received an official cablegram from the minister of foreign affairs of Guatemala, announcing the assassination of President Barrios and the succession to the presidency of First Vice President Manuel Estrada Cabrera.

Oscar Salinger, who killed President Barrios, was shot while attempting to escape. Gen. Morales, formerly secretary of war, has been declared president.

**VETERAN PASSES AWAY.**  
Death at New York of Brig. Gen. John Cochrane.  
New York, Feb. 8.—Gen. John Cochrane died Monday night at his home in this city.

Gen. Cochrane was an old-time soldier, a member of the Royal Legion and several other military orders. On July 17, 1869, while with the Army of the Potomac, he was made brigadier general. In 1864 he was nominated for vice president of the United States on the independent republican ticket. Gen. John C. Fremont being the candidate for president. Gen. Cochrane also served as attorney-general of the state of New York, as president of the New York aldermanic board, and in 1876 was appointed to a police justiceship. One of the most notable things in his career was his selection to fill the unexpired term for mayor of New York city at the time of the retirement of Oakley Hall.]

**Heavy Receipts.**  
Washington, Feb. 11.—The treasury department has issued a statement to the effect that the average receipts from all sources for the first ten days in February was \$1,057,890, or at the rate of \$38,130,580 per annum, which is \$36,000,000 in excess of the average annual expenditures for the past nine years.

**His Second Gift.**  
Cleveland, O., Feb. 10.—John D. Rockefeller on Wednesday presented land worth \$25,000 to the city of Cleveland for park purposes. This is the second gift of the kind he has made to the city.

**THE MARKETS.**  
New York, Feb. 11.  
LIVESTOCK—Native Steers \$4.60 @ 5.20  
Hogs 4.15 @ 4.40  
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents 5.10 @ 5.25  
WHEAT—No. 2 Red 1.03 1/2 @ 1.05 1/2  
OATS—No. 2 34 1/2 @ 35 1/2  
BUTTER—Creamery 14 1/2 @ 15 1/2  
CHEESE—Light Skims 11 @ 12  
EGGS—Western 14 1/2 @ 15 1/2  
CATTLE—Shipping Steers... 3.70 @ 4.50  
Texas Steers... 3.75 @ 4.50  
Stocks and Feeders... 3.95 @ 4.60  
HOGS—Fair to Choice Heavy... 2.50 @ 4.00  
SHEEP—Fair to Choice Heavy... 3.25 @ 4.05  
BUTTER—Factory... 11 @ 12  
EGGS—Dairy... 12 @ 17  
POTATOES (per bu.)... 62 @ 62  
PORK—Mess, May... 10.35 @ 10.75  
LARD—May... 4.25 @ 4.35  
RIBS—May... 5.15 @ 5.22 1/2  
FLOUR—Patents... 4.80 @ 5.50  
GRAIN—Wheat, May... 96 @ 96 1/2  
Corn, Cash... 28 @ 28 1/2  
Oats, No. 2... 25 @ 25 1/2  
Rye, No. 2... 47 1/2 @ 48  
Barley, Choice to Fancy... 38 @ 38  
GRAIN—Wheat, May Spring... 96 1/2 @ 97 1/2  
Rye, No. 1... 49 @ 49 1/2  
Barley, No. 2... 41 @ 41 1/2  
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red... 94 1/2 @ 95  
Oats, No. 2... 30 @ 30 1/2  
Corn, No. 2... 25 1/2 @ 25 1/2  
Rye, No. 2... 50 @ 50 1/2  
ST. LOUIS.  
CATTLE—Native Steers... 4.25 @ 5.30  
Texas Steers... 4.25 @ 4.35  
Stocks and Feeders... 3.75 @ 4.35  
HOGS—Packers... 3.60 @ 3.85  
SHEEP—Wool... 3.00 @ 3.50  
OMAHA.  
CATTLE—Native Steers... 3.50 @ 4.50  
Stocks and Feeders... 3.70 @ 4.75  
HOGS... 3.00 @ 3.50  
SHEEP... 3.00 @ 4.50  
Cows and Heifers... 3.00 @ 3.50

# THE MAN WHO LIVED.

He should have been dead.  
But he wasn't, because

"There's nothing succeeds like success." There is no withstanding the living argument of the man who should be dead, who isn't dead, but who would be dead, but for a preserving medicine. That's about the way it seemed to strike Editor Lawrence, of the Ohio Farmer, Cleveland, Ohio. He was afflicted with one of those colds that have, thousands of times over, culminated in consumption, when not promptly cured. In this condition he met a friend, a consumptive, whom he had not expected to see alive. The consumptive friend recommended Dr. J. C. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for the editor's cold, on the ground that it had "helped him wonderfully." It helped the editor just as wonderfully, giving "almost instant relief." But read his letter:

"About two months ago, I was afflicted with a bad cold, and, meeting a friend, he advised the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which, he claimed, would help him wonderfully. As he was a consumptive, whom I had not expected to see alive for several years, I concluded there must be merit in this preparation. I accordingly bought a couple of bottles, one of which I keep on my desk all the time. This is certainly the best remedy for a cold I ever used. It gives almost instant relief, and the J. C. Ayer Co. are to be congratulated on possessing the formula for such a very valuable remedy."—W. H. LAWRENCE, Editor, The Ohio Farmer, Cleveland, Ohio.

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**Free McKinley vs. Free Silver.**  
A battle of giants is going to take place this summer on 30,000 farms in America, no in talk or votes, but in yields. Salzer's new potato marvels are named as above, and he offers a price for the biggest potato yield also \$400 in gold for suitable name for his corn (17 inches long) and oat prodigy. Oat seedmen in America growing grasses, clovers and farm seeds and selling potatoes at \$1.50 a barrel. The editor urges you to try Salzer's Northern-grown seeds, and to SEND THIS NOTICE WITH 10 Cts. in STAMPS to John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. for 11 new farm seed samples, worth \$10.00, to get a start, and their big catalogue.

How silly it makes one feel to reach out to shake hands and not be noticed by the other fellow.—Washington Democrat.

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No man was ever blamed for being a gentleman, but many have been falsely accused of it.—Chicago Daily News.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
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Woman's inhumanity to woman causes many men to live and die in the bachelor class.—Chicago Daily News.

Pleasant, Wholesome, Speedy, for cough is Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

It's difficult for a man to check his creditors unless he has a bank account.—Chicago Daily News.

Pine's Cure for Consumption has saved me many a doctor's bill.—S. F. Hardy, 1109 Kings Place, Baltimore, Md., Dec. 2, 1894

The man with a grievance always proves grievance to his friends.—Chicago Daily News.

Lots of men mistake a coarse, harsh voice for a good bass voice.—Washington Democrat.

Made worse by cold. Neuralgia needs St. Jacobs Oil to cure. It cures.

Everybody has some pet adjective.—Washington Democrat.

Any ache, from toothache to backache, St. Jacobs Oil will cure.

Lots of very shiftless people get up early.—Washington Democrat.

Bad feet from frost-bites are made sound by St. Jacobs Oil. It cures.



PRESIDENT BARRIOS.

# BEWARE OF MORPHINE.

**Mrs. Pinkham Asks Women to Seek Permanent Cures and Not Mere Temporary Relief From Pain.**

Special forms of suffering lead many a woman to acquire the morphine habit. One of these forms of suffering is a dull, persistent pain in the side, accompanied by heat and throbbing. There is disinclination to work, because work only increases the pain. This is only one symptom of a chain of troubles; she has others she cannot bear to confide to her physician, for fear of an examination, the terror of all sensitive, modest women. The physician, meantime, knows her condition, but cannot combat her shrinking terror. He yields to her supplication for something to relieve the pain. He gives her a few morphine tablets, with very grave caution as to their use. Foolish woman! She thinks morphine will help her right along; she becomes its slave!

A wise and a generous physician had such a case; he told his patient he could do nothing for her, as she was too nervous to undergo an examination. In despair, she went to the nearest friend. She said to her, "Don't give yourself up; just go to the nearest druggist and buy a bottle of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It will build you up. You will begin to feel better with the first bottle. It did so, and after the fifth bottle her health was re-established. Here is her own letter about it:

"I was very miserable; was so weak that I could hardly get around the house, could not do any work without feeling tired out. My monthly periods had stopped and I was so tired and nervous all of the time. I was troubled very much with falling of the womb and bearing-down pains. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; I have taken five bottles, and think it is the best medicine I ever used. Now I can work, and feel like myself. I used to be troubled greatly with my head, but I have had no bad headaches or palpitation of the heart, womb trouble or bearing-down pains, since I commenced to take Mrs. Pinkham's medicine. I gladly recommend the Vegetable Compound to every suffering woman. The use of one bottle will prove what it can do."—Mrs. LUCY PEARLEY, Derby Center, Vt.

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