TWO LITTLE BEAUTIES SAVED FROM DEATH BY PE-RU-NA.

MRS. H. H. OVERMANN'S TWO LITTLE GIRLS.

Enclosed find a picture of my two little girls who couldn't be without their Pe-ru-na. They have both had the measles since I last wrote to you, but even through the sickness I gave them the Pe-ru-na.

"We have used Pe-ru-na constantly for the past two years with our children and have received the most satisfactory results. We would not be without it. The youngest one, Elsie, is the one that had bronchial trouble, and had it not been for your medicine she would have choked to death. It has done wonders for her. Yours gratefully,

Mrs. H. H. Overmann,
2865 Winslow Av., Cincinnati, O."

Mrs. L. G. Vandegriff, Carrollton, Ga., writes: "I indorse your Pe-ru-na. I had a little girl afflicted with catarrh and have had two physicians to treat her and found no relief. After using two bottles of your Pe-ru-na she is sound and well. I am now giving it to my other children."

Mr. Joseph Kirchensteiner, 87 Croton street, Cleveland, O., says: "We have used Pe-ru-na for eight years as our family medicine. During the whole of that time we have not had to employ a physician. Our family consists of seven, and we always use it for the thousand and one ailments to which mankind is liable. We have used it in cases of scarlet fever, measles and diphtheria. Whenever one of the family feel in the least ill, mother always says: 'Take Pe-ru-na and you will be well,' or if we do not happen to have any, 'We will have to get more Pe-ru-na.' Pe-ru-na is always satisfactory in colds and coughs."

Children are especially liable to acute catarrh. Indeed, most of the affections of childhood are catarrh. All forms of sore throat, quinsy, croup, hoarseness and laryngitis are but different phases of catarrh. These affections, in the acute form, may pass away without treatment, but they leave a foundation for chronic catarrh in later years. Even a slight cold is acute catarrh, and renders the mucous membranes of the head and throat more liable to chronic catarrh afterwards. The child is constantly assailed, winter and summer, with catarrh. Affections of the stomach and bowels, colic and diarrhœa, are due to catarrhal derangements of these organs.

A great many families are learning by bitter experience that these affections must be promptly treated or the child's health is permanently injured.

Pe-ru-na is the remedy. No family should be without it. As soon as the symptoms of cold, cough, or any other affection of the throat or stomach is noticed, Pe-ru-na should be given according to directions. A vast multitude of families are relying entirely upon Pe-ru-na for safety in this direction.

That Pe-ru-na can be relied upon is evinced by the great number of testimonials which Dr. Hartman is receiving daily. Only a very few of these can be published. Only one in a thousand.

Every household should be provided with Dr. Hartman's free book on catarrh. Sent free by The Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

SPION KOP MISTAKE

CORRESPONDENTS TELL OF THE BLUNDER MADE BY BRITONS IN RETREATING

GEN. BULLER NONPLUSSED

Did Not Know Who Issued the Orders for the British Forces to Retire—Despair in Ladysmith When Expected Relief Failed to Materialize—Caustic Criticisms Are Freely Indulged In.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The aftermath of Spion Kop brings countless criticisms from correspondents at the front. Bennet Burleigh, of the Telegraph, writes:

"You can rely upon it that no one more than Gen. Buller deplores the mistake that led to the foolish evacuation of that key of the Boer position. When the general retreat was ordered Buller waited by the single, scant pontoon, part trestle, bridge, until everybody was got safely across. The day previous he had critically re-examined the position held by the left, and was repeatedly under the fire of the snipers. Indeed, at last the general's staff had to get him to retire behind cover, as they said he was unnecessarily risking himself."

The Globe's correspondent is particularly bitter about Spion Kop.

"No one knows," he writes, "who gave the order to retire. The whole business is inexplicable. We met a staff officer on the way. He asked us what we were doing. He knew nothing of the order, but presumed we had better keep on our road. And so ended seventeen hours of fight. We gave the enemy a victory. The whole of Warren's division had retired. Call it what you like, it was a sad and deplorable business. There is no explanation, no one was more surprised at our action than the Boers themselves; indeed, their officers openly expressed their surprise to our doctors. If, owing to some unknown reason, it was really necessary to take Spion Kop (although it was said to be decided weeks ago that it would be an act of folly to attempt to do so), why give it up after sacrificing so many lives to take it? It is a question which will have to be answered soon. A well-planned strategical movement was to be carried out, and every one felt satisfied that it would be successful. In the middle of it the whole plan was abandoned, and troops are detailed from all sides to perform a herculanean task, fraught with danger and disastrous in result."

Bennet Burleigh relates this gruesome incident, which included a serious insinuation against the Boers:

"The Colonial Imperial light infantry went into action upon Spion Kop at 9 a. m., and remained upon the mountain until 8 p. m. Out of 850 men they had thirty-nine killed and ninety wounded. Most of these volunteers were outlanders, and at least six of them, whose bodies were afterwards discovered, had been clubbed to death by the Boers."

DESPAIR IN LADYSMITH.

All the correspondents with Buller, writing in the beginning of February, after the defeat of Spion Kop had become a matter of history, aver that, to a man, the British troops are confident, and want to push on to Ladysmith. From that beleagured camp there come several mailed dispatches sneaked out by Kaffirs, of great interest. Writing on Jan. 22, while Buller was trying to fight his way through the Boers, the Times correspondent says:

"The weary state of siege still drags on. One day is so similar to another that we have begun to lose all account of time. A week ago a flutter of excitement roused the garrison. The distant rumbling of artillery, heavy and continued, foretold relief. Already we knew that the southern column was in the vicinity of Potgieter's Drift, the heliograph had told us this. But the booming of the heavy guns was the first substantial evidence of relief. Would it be a day, or two days, before Buller was here. Excitement spread through the town. Some hurried to the postoffice with three months' collected correspondence. Others seizing binoculars climbed to the highest points and swept the horizon. Women, who for weeks had forgotten how to smile, stood laughing on the river banks, holding their babes that they, too, might hear the muffled sounds which meant so much. Buller is coming. These magic words were in every mouth. But as hours grew into days, and days into weeks, they lost their charm, and the garrison sank back into its previous state of apathy, the sounds of distant artillery were accepted as a sidelight in the three months' dream.

"On occasions a disturbance among the pickets will precipitate an artillery duel. The apathy for a moment breaks, and the garrison strains for some more definite 'sound of the pipes' than the monotonous rolling of the siege train twenty miles away. Hitherto such hopes have been dispelled as soon as they have arisen, and the garrison subsides to snatch a frugal meal during the intervals in the practice of the enemy's six-inch guns. Then came the sad realization that Buller had once more failed."

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FELL FIFTEEN FEET.

Whelan Dropped From a Scaffold and Was Badly Bruised.

J. Whelan, living at Rosemount, fell from a scaffolding where he was working on a building on Ninth street, near Robert street, yesterday afternoon. He fell about fifteen feet and was badly bruised. The injured man was taken to the home of a sister living on West Seventh street.

BENCH SHOW PRIZES

THE PREMIUM LIST WAS RECEIVED FROM THE PRINTER YESTERDAY

LARGE NUMBER OF ENTRIES

It Is Estimated That Five Hundred Dogs Will Be on Exhibition—How the Prizes Are to Be Divided—Event Opens at the Ryan Annex March 21, Continuing Three Days.

The printed premium lists for the fourth annual bench show, which is to be held at the Ryan annex March 21 to 24, was issued yesterday.

The premium list is a strong one, and there will be nearly 1,000 entries, representing the attendance on the show of about 500 dogs, a considerably larger show than St. Paul has yet had. The prizes are divided as follows:

St. Bernards (rough) 12 firsts, 10 seconds.
St. Bernards (smooth) 6 firsts, 2 seconds.
Mastiffs, one class; first prize, $8; second, $4.
Great Danes, 12 firsts, 10 seconds.
Russian wolfhounds, 7 firsts, 5 seconds.
Deerhounds, first and second in both open and local classes.
Greyhounds, 7 firsts, 5 seconds.
Bloodhounds, 4 firsts, 3 seconds.
Foxhounds (American), 4 firsts, 3 seconds.
Beagles, 12 firsts, 10 seconds.
Pointers, 16 firsts, 13 seconds.
English setters, 12 firsts, 9 seconds.
Third prizes in novice classes.
Irish setters, 12 firsts, 9 seconds.
Gordon setters, 12 firsts, 9 seconds.
Chesapeake Bays, 3 firsts, 3 seconds.
Irish water spaniels, 6 firsts, 5 seconds.
Clumber spaniels; first, $8; second, $4.
Cocker spaniels, 16 firsts, 13 seconds.
Collies, 12 firsts, 9 seconds.
Dalmatians; first, $8; second, $4.
Poodles, corded, 2 firsts, 2 seconds.
Poodles, curly, 4 firsts, 4 seconds.
Bull dog, 4 firsts, 4 seconds.
Bull terriers, 11 firsts, 8 seconds.
Airedale terriers, 5 firsts, 4 seconds.
Boston terriers, 4 firsts, 4 seconds.
French bull dogs; first, $8; second, $4.
Dachshunds, 6 firsts, 4 seconds.
Fox terriers (smooth), 10 firsts, 8 seconds.
Fox terriers (wire), 11 firsts, 9 seconds.
Irish terriers, 6 firsts, 4 seconds.
Black and tans, 5 firsts, 4 seconds.
Skye terriers; first, $8; second, $4.
Scottish terriers, 2 firsts, 2 seconds.
Yorkshire terriers, 2 firsts, 2 seconds.
Toy terriers, 6 firsts, 5 seconds.
Pugs, 5 firsts, 4 seconds.
Pomeranian; first prize, $8; second, $4.
King Charles spaniels, 4 firsts, 4 seconds.
Blenheim spaniels, 4 firsts, 4 seconds.
Prince Charles, Ruby and Japanese spaniels, 2 firsts, 2 seconds.
Miscellaneous—This class is for dogs for which no regular class has been provided. There will be first and second prizes in two classes. First, dogs under twenty-five pounds, and the other dogs over twenty-five pounds.

HALL MEDAL CONTEST.

Semi-Finals Played Off Last Night at the Nushka Curling Club.

The semi-finals of the Hall medal contest in the local 'spiel were played off last night at the Nushka club. Both rinks were from the Selby avenue club, the St. Paul Curling club men having fallen by the wayside early in the contest. C. M. Griggs skipped one rink, and L. P. Ordway went against him with a combination which has lately won many games. A match game was also played between a rink skipped by W. R. Dorr and J. N. Kirby's men. E. Hadley won from W. J. Murray in the eights of the novice singlehand competition, 10-4. Last nights games were:

J. B. Emerson,	Evan Rees,
T. L. Wann,	D. E. Scott,
W. H. Lightner	William Rees,
C. M. Griggs, skip—9.	L. P. Ordway, skip—13.
O. L. Taylor,	C. A. Clark,
C. B. Matteson,	Dr. J. Fulton,
T. W. Griggs,	W. C. Read,
W. R. Dorr skip—10.	J. N. Kirby, skip—7.

Two single-handed matches will be played tomorrow at 4 p. m. by Homer Clark and G. E. Bunn, and W. R. Ordway and H. Hadley.

MRS. SHATTUCK'S SHOOTING.

It Was Witnessed by Scores of Women at Hot Springs.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 7.—Scores of women were in the big crowd today which saw Mrs. Shattuck, of Minneapolis, champion woman trap shot of the world, shoot with C. E. Delong, the Arkansas champion, after Delong had just defeated Capt. A. H. Bogardus, who held the world's championship for seventeen years. In the shoot of 20 single targets Delong broke 20 straight to Bogardus' 18. In the double target event, ten paces each, Delong smashed 13 to 19 for Bogardus. Delong then killed 16 live birds out of 20, while Bogardus settled 15. Mrs. Shattuck shattered 16 out of 20 single targets to Delongs's 17. The ten paces event resulted in 11 for Mrs. Shattuck and 13 for Mr. Delong. Mrs. Shattuck killed 16 out of her 20 live birds. Delong scored 19 dead pigeons and won the triangular contest.

JEFFRIES IN GOOD SHAPE.

Stories to the Contrary Are Denied From New York.

NEW YORK, March 7.—Jim Jeffries is even now in good condition. The stories as to his being in poor health are without foundation. A World reporter who has just returned from Hot Springs saw the champion at work there. He says: Jeffries is in fine shape. His skin is clear and he has reduced himself by baths and exercise until he will take but little training to put him in better condition than when he fought Sharkey.

"He takes the baths regularly, and then goes for long runs and walks. He uses his dumbbells, boxes, wrestles and skips the rope. In fact, he is training now.

"The friends of Corbett will find him in tip-top shape when he steps into the ring on May 11."

MR. FREEDMAN WINS.

National League Returns His One Thousand Dollars.

NEW YORK, March 7.—The National league magnates began their annual spring schedule meeting at the Fifth Avenue hotel today. After three unsuccessful attempts the magnates got things into shipshape at 7 o'clock this evening and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8:30 p. m.

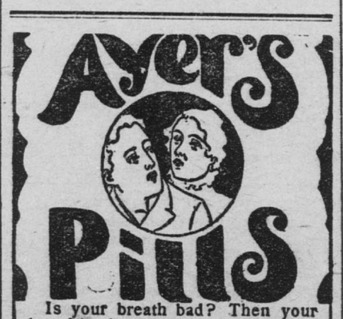
The national board of arbitration will meet tomorrow morning, and after the board's session the magnates will get together again.

Secretary Young says the magnates spent most of the time in discussing the rescinding of the $1,000 fine imposed upon the New York club two years ago. The following was adopted:

"Resolved, That N. E. Young be directed to pay to the New York club from any funds in his custody in the treasury of the league $1,000, with 5 per cent interest from Aug. 15, 1898 to date."

The matter was really settled by a mail vote some time ago, and the New York management received its check several days since. Tonight's action was merely formal ratification.

According to Mr. Wagner, Washington wants $46,500 for its franchise in case the league reduces the circuit.



Is your breath bad? Then your best friends turn their heads aside. A bad breath means a bad liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick headache. 25c. All druggists.

WHIST CLUB SCORES.

Results of Two Games Played Last Night at the Arcade.

Messrs. Donaldson and Stoltze made the net high score in the games of whist played last night at the rooms of the St. Paul Chess and Whist club. Following are the scores:

Sixteenth Game.—	N. & S.	E. & W.
Helm-Warnicke	90	..
Sargent-Metcalf	..	79
Garrity-Kreychle	90	..
Coburn-Deuel	..	79
Kipp-Dugan	91	..
Greene-Prest	..	78
Countryman-Larkin	98	..
Dunlap-Chapin	..	71
Bunn-Gordon	93	..
Smith-Ford	..	76
Armstrong-Wilson	92	..
Erwin-Bixby	..	77
Gilbert-Beckhoefer	99	..
Markham-Arnold	..	70
Stoltze-Donaldson	100	..
Wright-Yale	..	69
Buford-Clark	92	..
Baker-Smith	..	77
Fetter-Williams	91	..
Kane-Gemmell	..	78
Carson-Relf	87	..
Armstrong-Sanders	..	78
Totals	1,023	836
Averages	93	76

Seventeenth Game—	N. & S.	E. & W.
Garrity-Kreychle	98	..
Sargent-Metcalf	..	71
Greene-Prest	109	..
Helm-Warwick	..	60
Ward-How	97	..
Kipp-Dugan	..	72
Sperry-Ringold	103	..
Dunlap-Chapin	..	66
Erwin-Bixby	100	..
Countryman-Larkin	..	69
Smith-Ford	103	..
Markham-Arnold	..	68
Armstrong-Wilson	97	..
Stoltze-Donaldson	..	72
Gilbert-Beckhoefer	96	..
Buford-Clark	..	73
Fetter-Williams	104	..
Wright-Yale	..	65
Baker-Smith	103	..
Carson-Relf	..	66
Kane-Gemmell	99	..
Armstrong-Sanders	..	70
Totals	1,107	752
Averages	100 7-11	68 4-11

ROUNDS WERE TAME.

Bout Between Tom Ward and Joe Sopp Declared a Draw.

The sparring bout between Tommy Ward, of Milwaukee, Wis., and Joe Sopp, of this city, at the Palm Garden theater last evening, was declared a draw at the end of six rather tame rounds. Ward had much the advantage of Sopp in almost every particular, but worked slowly, while the smaller man rather pushed the argument. Neither sustained any material damage, however, and the go was not wholly uninteresting, Barney Smith was the referee.

INTEREST IN GOLF.

Minnikahda Club Proposes to Enlarge Its Limits.

House—E. C. Cooke, C. A. Willard, John McMillan, D. M. Chute, W. B. Packer and E. S. Woodworth.

Finance—F. D. Semple, George Lane, A. L. Belknap.

Entertainment—L. B. Elwood, C. S. Langdon, J. S. Bradstreet, C. M. Case, F. M. Crosby, Mrs. J. S. Bell, Mrs. L. K. Hull, Mrs. J. C. P. Wheelwright, Miss H. E. McKnight and Miss May E. Heffelfinger.

Golf—C. T. Jaffray, H. E. Rand, L. B. Elwood, George C. Christian, E. S. Woodworth, H. N. Peck and W. W. Heffelfinger.

To Bowl for Big Money.

CHICAGO, March 7.—The tenth annual bench show of the Mascoutah Kennel club opened at the First regiment armory today. From the number and quality of the entries, the show is expected to be the most successful ever held here. Nearly 1,200 dogs are on exhibition, including the principal entries from the recent New York bench show, and scores of other prize winners from all over the country. The New York exhibit alone includes 300 dogs, among them being the kennels owned by Frank Gould and G. W. Carnochan; Dix Toy Pommeranians, owned by Miss Marion Smith, of Philadelphia; some English bulldogs, owned by Richard Crocker Jr., the Lexington kennels, of Pittsburg, and some of the finest dogs of Europe are also benched. The exhibit will continue for four days. The judges are Theodore Markles, Manchester, England; Dudley E. Waters, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Dr. H. J. Glove, New York; Arthur Trombling, Chicago. Judging began today.

OFF FOR SEASONING.

Cincinnati Ball Players Start for New Orleans.

CINCINNATI, March 7.—The Cincinnati baseball team left tonight for their training quarters at New Orleans. The following players were in the party: Manager "Bob" Allen, Catchers Peitz, Kahoe and Wood, Pitchers Scott, Newton, Phillips, Breitenstein and Cronin, Infielders Irwin and Corcoran, and Outfielders Smith, Barrett, Crawford and McBride. Beckley and probably Hahn will join the team at Memphis, and Accorsini, Steinfeldt and McPhee will be at New Orleans when the team arrives.

GARDNER AND M'GOVERN.

Omaha Lad Expects to Make a Good Showing.

NEW YORK, March 7.—Oscar Gardner is in town, and will finish up his training at Coney Island for his match with Terry McGovern Friday night. He has been working at Wheeling, and says he will be strong when he goes against Terry. Oscar has paid particular attention to his hands during the last few months, and they are in better shape than at any time within a year. He is confident of making a good showing, notwithstanding the fact that McGovern will be a prohibitive favorite in the betting.

Our Increase of Insanity.

Much discussion has been aroused lately by the alarming increase of insanity. Our high rate of living is the cause assigned. In the rush for money, both men and women neglect their bodies until the breakdown comes. The best way to preserve health is by a faithful use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. By curing all stomach ills, this remedy prevents nervous breakdown. It is also an excellent medicine for constipation, dyspepsia and biliousness.

Chicago Bench Show.

NEW YORK, March 7.—The bowling team of the Pontiac Wheelmen, New York, has issued a challenge to the All-Star team, which is now touring the country, to roll a game, or series of games, for $1,000, or any part thereof a side, the games to be rolled at the coming international bowling tournament at Union Hill, N. J., during the week of July 15 to 22.

Oakland Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Oakland results:

First race, five-eighth of a mile—Leipsig won, Hiram Johnson second, Garbo third. Time, 1:04.

Second race, one mile—Durward won, Almoner second, Tallac third. Time, 1:46½.

Third race, one-half mile, maiden two-year-olds, purse—Bernato won, Sublime second, Screenwell Lake third. Time, :52.

Fourth race, one mile and a sixteenth—Topmast won, Morinel second, Cormorant third. Time, 1:50½.

Fifth race, three-fourths of a mile—Peace won, Novia second, Clarando third. Time, 1:16.

Sixth race, one mile—Grand Sachem won, Charles Lebel second, Wild Cat third. Time, 1:45½.

New Indoor Skating Record.

PITTSBURG, March 7.—At Duquesne Garden John Nilsson, champion ice skater of the world, lowered the indoor record made by Baptie, recently, by skating a mile in 2:34½ on the Duquesne's official nine lap track. Baptie's mark was 2:52¾.

Ruhlin to Meet Quinn.

NEW YORK, March 7.—Charley Harvey has been appointed matchmaker of the Niles Athletic club, of Niles, O., and has matched Jack Quinn, the former amateur heavyweight, to meet Gus Ruhlin there the latter part of this month for twenty rounds.

All-Star Bowlers Defeated.

TOLEDO, O., March 7.—The All-Stars went down to defeat tonight before the Toledo Stars. The game was played before one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a bowling match.

ARE NOT VAGRANTS.

People With Homes and Means of Support Cannot Be So Classed.

According to a decision of Judge Orr in the municipal court yesterday the police cannot make indiscriminate arrests on the charge of vagrancy and hope for a conviction. The court held that any one arrested and charged with vagrancy who could prove that he had a home and means of support could not be sent to the workhouse, and therefore discharged the ten young men whom the police rounded up Tuesday night. The accused were young fellows who live here in the city, some of them with their families, but who, perhaps, have no regular employment, and from this cause have fallen into disfavor with the police. Chief of Detectives McIntyre directed the detectives to arrest such persons, and the ten young fellows were locked up on the charge of vagrancy. They were each able to prove their exemption from this charge, and the court ordered their release.

CASTORIA. Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Judge Bunn Denied the Motion.

Judge Bunn yesterday filed an order denying the motion of the defendant for judgment or for a new trial in the case of Rose Walker against the St. Paul City Railway company. A similar order was filed in the case of Henry Vogt against George T. Hontain.

Was Mistaken for Another.

G. W. Parker, who was one of the ten arrested Tuesday night by Detectives Christian and Murnane, was discharged yesterday in the municipal court, as were the other nine. Parker says his arrest was the result of mistaken identity on the part of the officers, and he declares he will make it interesting for them.

Governor Named Gibson.

Gov. Lind yesterday announced the appointment of Joseph Gibson, of Duluth, as a member of the state barbers' board.

Rheumatism Absolutely Cured!

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Endorsed by many of the leading business men of the Northwest, who testify to the merits of this great discovery, as the following testimonials will show:

Office of RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,
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Railroad Commissioner.
Madison, Wis.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.

I have used three bottles of your most excellent remedy and am free to say that it has cured me of rheumatism. I regard it as one of the most valuable discoveries of the century, and am convinced that it will positively cure rheumatism. You have certainly got the best thing that I have ever found.

Yours very respectfully,
GRAHAM L. RICE.

Office of FRANK E. JOY.
Stillwater, Minn.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.,
West Superior, Wis.

Dear Sirs—I have been a sufferer from rheumatism for eighteen years in my right leg, and for the past two months have had it in my shoulder very bad. I was advised to try your Rheumatism Cure, Matt J. Johnson's No. 6088. On using I got relief at once, and I take pleasure in recommending it as the finest Rheumatism Cure there is, and take pleasure in recommending it to my friends and all who are troubled that way.

Respectfully,
FRANK E. JOY.

Office of ANDREW JERGENS & CO,
Toilet Soap.
St. Paul.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.

Your great Blood and Rheumatism Cure, 6088, worked upon me like a charm. I have suffered several months with that troublesome complaint, and before the second bottle was gone I was well and felt like a new man, with no symptoms of the return of the malady.

Very truly,
E. A. SHEPLEY.

N. W. Agt. Andrew Jergens & Co., Cincinnati, O.

PLANKINTON HOUSE,
Wm. King, Mgr.
Milwaukee, Wis.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.,
West Superior, Wis.

Being a sufferer from rheumatism, I was induced by Frank J. Matchette, proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel, to try your 6088, and I did with best of results of anything I ever used. I very cheerfully recommend it to all who suffer from rheumatism, as it cured me.

Very truly yours,
WM. G. KING.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL,
Frank Matchette, Prop.
Milwaukee.

MATT JOHNSON CO.

Please send me two more bottles 6088 for a friend of mine who is suffering with rheumatism. The bottle I got of you I gave to Mr. William King, manager of the Plankinton Hotel, who says it did him more good than any rheumatism cure he ever took.

Yours truly,
FRANK J. MATCHETTE.

DAVID TOZER,
Dealer in Logs and Manf. of Lumber,
Stillwater, Minn.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.,
West Superior, Wis.

Dear Sirs—I wish to state that I have tried your Rheumatism Cure, Matt J. Johnson's 6088, and I have obtained great relief. Therefore I wish to cheerfully recommend it to any one suffering from rheumatism.

Respectfully,
DAVID TOZER.

West Superior, June 4, 1898.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.,

Dear Sirs—I have been troubled with rheumatism for some time, and I can say 6088 has cured me. I can also say it is the finest blood purifier that I have ever taken, and I am ready to recommend it to any one.

Yours truly,
C. A. DINEEN,
Engineer D. M. & N. R. R.

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St. Paul, Minn., July 4th, 1898.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.,
West Superior, Wis.

Dear Sirs—I write to let you know how your 6088 helped me. I must say it's the only thing that brought me out of the last attack of rheumatism and I cheerfully recommend it as a sure cure for that dread disease. If this will do you any good you are welcome to use it. Respectfully yours,

JAMES W. SARGENT,
Conductor St. P. & D. Ry.,
Duluth, Minn

West Superior, June 1, 1898.

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.,

This is to certify I have used your 6088 for rheumatism. A year ago last fall I was crippled with rheumatism so I could not get around without pain. I used one bottle of your rheumatism cure and it commenced at once to make me feel better, and one bottle cured me so I did not feel any pain, and could get around as good as ever. I can recommend it as the best cure for rheumatism there is. I have not been crippled since.

S. A. RICHES,
Deputy Sheriff.

NORTHERN PACIFIC R. R. CO.
West Superior, Wis., March 26, 1898.

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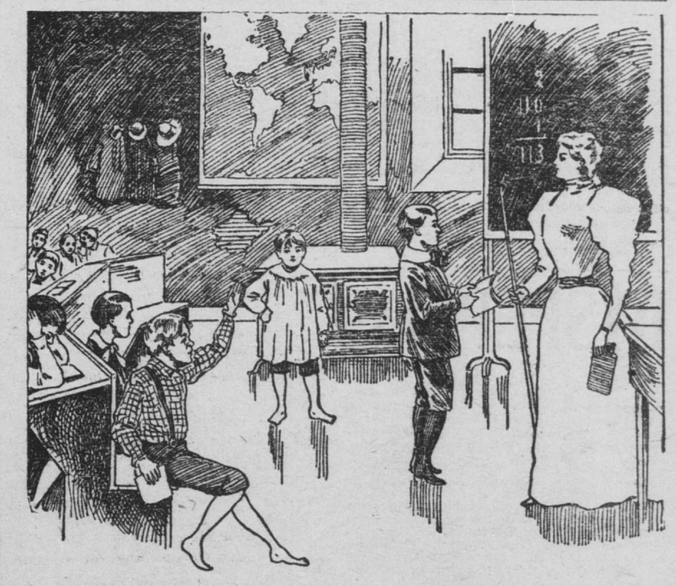

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