

# Rheumatism

It is the use of telling the rheumatic he feels as if his joints were being dislodged? He knows that his sufferings are very like the tortures of the rack, but he wants to know what will permanently cure his disease. According to thousands of grateful testimonials, is

**Hood's Sarsaparilla** promptly neutralizes the acid in the blood on which the disease depends, completely eliminates it, and strengthens the system against its return. Try Hood's.

## Coincidence in Three Deaths.

President McKinley's death occurred on the anniversary of the death of the Duke of Wellington, who died September 14, 1852, and also on the anniversary of the death of General Montcalm, who was killed September 14, 1759, at Quebec.

Everybody wants to be WELL for Christmas. Nothing so good as promoting happiness and good cheer. Therefore, take GARDIE'S TEA now; its benefits are manifold: it cures all derangements of the liver, kidneys or bowels; it cleanses the system and purifies the blood; thus removing the cause of rheumatism, gout and many other diseases. It is good for young and old and has been held in the highest repute for many years. Physicians recommend it.

## Colonies as Kingdoms.

Queen Elizabeth was commonly known as queen of Virginia, Virginia and Carolina were kingdoms under the Stuarts. Massachusetts recognized as a sister kingdom Cromwell's parliament.

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## For the Name.

Why is Richemann adding so many new designs to that house he is building? So that he will have an excuse for calling it "Biltmore" — Chicago Record-Herald

**Wish All A Good Christmas.** Tell them of Gardie's Tea which cures indigestion and liver disorders and insures the enjoyment of many happy Christmas dinners by giving the cause of illness and ill health.

## Some Distinction in That.

Don't let my refusal of your proposal embitter you, Mr. Simpkins. He—Oh, not all. After all, it is something to have been rejected by a girl who owns a \$500 dog.—Detroit Free Press.

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Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

Two hundred carloads of steel have been sent to supplant the wooden bridge in the Sacramento canyon, California.

Why experiment with untried remedies for pain? Use Wizard Oil at once, and be happy. Your druggist has it.

Wanta Claus is beginning to look over the stockin' trade.

# BAD BLOOD, AND COMPLEXION.

The skin is the seat of an almost endless variety of diseases. They are known by various names, but are all due to the same cause, acid and other poisons in the blood that irritate and interfere with the proper action of the skin.

Give a smooth, soft skin, free from eruptions, the blood must be kept pure and healthy. The many preparations of soda and potash and the large number of face powders and lotions generally used in this class of diseases cover up the skin for a short time, but cannot remove permanently the ugly blotches and the red, burning pimples.

**Special vigilance is the price of a beautiful complexion.** In such remedies are relied on.

H. T. Shobe, 2704 Lucas Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., says: "My daughter was afflicted for years with a disfiguring eruption on her face, which I had all treatment. She was taken to two different health springs, but received no benefit. Many medicines were prescribed, but without result, until we decided to try S. S. S., and by the use of the first bottle was finished the eruption to disappear. A dozen bottles cured her completely and left her skin perfectly smooth. Now seventeen years old, and not a sign of the disfiguring disease has ever returned."

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# TWO TRAINS WERE WRECKED

## THIRTEEN REPORTED DEAD.

Passenger and Oil Trains Come Together—All Coaches and Freight Cars Were Burned Up—The Heat Was Too Severe to Rescue the Injured.

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 16.—A fast passenger train on the Illinois Central railroad eastbound from Dubuque for Chicago, was wrecked about 1 o'clock near Perryville, Ill., the first station southeast of this station. Thirteen persons are reported killed and several injured.

Every one of the six passengers was burned, including the diners and the sleepers.

Both trains were consumed by the flames.

The following persons were killed and their remains incinerated in the wreck:

Richard Ormsby, passenger engineer, Chicago.

James Reardon, Freeport, fireman, passenger train.

Robert Thompson, American Express messenger.

J. W. Fulk, passenger brakeman.

David Liechan, Freeport, freight engineer.

David Carey, Freeport, freight fireman.

Newsboy on passenger train, name unknown.

Colored man, porter on passenger train, name unknown.

Old man living in Genoa, name unknown.

Possibly four others, names unknown, and possibly bodies burned.

The fire was caused by the explosion of an oil tank in the freight train.

The passenger was an Omaha-Chicago train and was running at a high speed, being three hours behind time.

Scarcely a person escaped without more or less severe bruises and cuts.

Only three or four persons in the smoking car escaped. The survivors made heroic efforts to rescue the injured who were imprisoned in the



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wreck, but the flames drove them back at every point. The hissing of escaping steam from the engine and the roar of the flames drowned the cries of the perishing victims of the wreck. With the mercury standing at 20 degrees below zero the suffering of those who escaped from the wreck was intense. Many of those who were in the sleepers were scantily clad.

The wounded who escaped were placed on bunks in a way car that was detached from the train before it caught fire and an engine that came from the east took the car to Irene, a small station four miles east.

## Later.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—J. W. Higgins, general superintendent of transportation of the Illinois Central railroad, places the blame for the wreck at Perryville on the conductor and engineer of the freight train. They are said by Mr. Higgins to have disobeyed orders, which were to stop at Irene, several miles east of Perryville.

## Nine Lives Lost.

Philadelphia, Dec. 18.—Conservative estimates place the loss from the floods at from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000. So far reports have been received here of the loss of nine lives in various parts of the state.

Piso's Cure can not be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 4, 1906.

## His Great Anxiety.

Athlete—Did I—break—it, doctor? Doctor—I will be plain with you. The arm is broken, the collarbone crushed, the skull is fractured—Athlete—No, no, no! The—did—I—break—the— "What?" "Record?"—Tid-Bits.

## What Ages a Woman.

It ain't hard work so much that makes a woman old, fur she kin work an' toil an' grub for them she loves an' still come up smilin' an' rosy, but it's waitin' an' hopin' an' starvin' that ages'em.

## A Christmas Philosopher.

He asks three great gifts—Health, Wealth and Happiness! Then give him Gardie's Tea; it brings Good Health, promotes Happiness and makes the pursuit of wealth possible.

## New Postmaster General.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Announcement is made today that Postmaster General Smith has tendered his resignation, and that it has been accepted. Henry C. Payne, national committeeman of Wisconsin, has been offered the position, and has accepted it.

## On the Way to Peking.

London, Dec. 17.—A dispatch received here from Peking announces that the imperial court left Kai Seng Fu, bound for Peking, last Saturday.

## \$100 REWARD \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, etc. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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## Nothing New in That.

"You can't dispute the miracles in the Bible, man. Why just consider the raising of Lazarus!" "Humph! I've seen people raised that have been dead longer than Lazarus. Why my wife raises Cain every day!"—Denver Times.

# CASTORIA

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## Son of Crown Prince.

Athens, Dec. 15.—Crown Princess Sophia, wife of Crown Prince Constantine, gave birth to a son.

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