

WHAT UNCLE SAM IS AT.

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT THE BUSY YANKEE.

Neighborly Interest in His Doings—Matters of moment and mirth gathered from his daily record.

The United States consumed 1,285,000,000 bananas last year.

The Boston voting list this year contains the names of 8,472 women voters.

Mr. Kurino, the new minister from Japan to the United States, is a Yale graduate.

Mrs. Robert Kinzie, with one exception the oldest settler of Chicago, died in Omaha.

Mrs. John Jacob Astor is ambitious to excel in all she undertakes, and sailing is her craze.

Gov. McKinley and ex-Speaker Reed have been invited to make camp speeches in Texas.

Thomas Osborn and Marcus Murphy quarrelled over hogs at Polkville, Ky. The men are dead.

A child named Eugene Dickson, at St. Louis, swallowed a fly on Tuesday and died therefrom.

Don Pio Pico, the last Mexican governor of California, died at Los Angeles. He was 94 years old.

It is said that a nugget of gold worth \$15 was picked up the other day in the diggings at Byron, Me.

The daughter of a respectable citizen of Nebraska eloped with a quarter-breed Indian and married him.

A family at Marinette, Mich., has run out of names, so their latest arrival been christened "Thirteenth."

Daisy Majors, a 16-year old girl who has acted as postmistress at Wampum, Pa., is found to have embezzled \$1,500.

The Knights of Pythias will erect a monument in Utica to the memory of Justice H. Rathbone, the founder of the order.

Governor-General of Cuba has been ordered by the Spanish authorities to restore the import duties on American products.

Though General Longstreet has grown somewhat feeble during the last few months he is still working hard on his memoirs.

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A proposed scheme is now being advocated on the American side to run an electric road along the bottom of Niagara gorge.

Mrs. Lucy Carnegie, the sister-in-law of Mr. Andrew Carnegie, is a skilled yachtswoman and a member of the New York club.

The woman's club of Chicago have decided to aid again this winter the unemployed women and children of the unfortunate poor.

A jury at Oquawka, Ill., awarded Mary A. Henderson \$10,000 damages in her suit against J. Schenk for defamation of character.

It is asserted that all of the \$1,200,000 royalty on Moody and Sankey's Gospel Hymns has been devoted to charitable purposes.

A Bostonian has electric lamps concealed about his windows so as to produce a similar effect to sunlight shining through the panes.

A bill making 2 cents a mile the maximum rate will be urged at the coming session of the Indiana legislature by Indianapolis merchants.

Editor Whitelaw Reid is still a victim of asthma and he will presently sail for Egypt in order to avoid the rigors of an American winter.

Seven thousand visitors aided the people of Grand Junction, Colo., to celebrate peach day. Specimens of astonishing size were exhibited.

Colonel Casey is called the corn king of Henry County, Kentucky. He owns 1,560 acres in corn, and has been figuring on 62,400 bushels.

Rev. Benjamin Smith, who has been member of the north Indiana Methodist conference for over forty years, died a Muncie.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis lives in the north, it is said, because she has been literally driven from her home in Mississippi by visitors and sightseers.

Business men of New York City, who employ 20,000 boys, have determined to give the preference to boys who do not smoke cigarettes.

At Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Judge Shiras decided contracts, exempting railroad corporations from liability for fires, are not against public policy.

Mabel H. Barrows and other educated young women will open a "college settlement" in one of the most repulsive slum sections of Boston.

Professor Morris, at the head of the chemical department of Cornell University, commenced work as a fireman on the New York Central Railroad.

Mrs. Brick, a widow, has purchased a plantation of 1,129 acres near Enfield, N. C., where she will cause to be opened an industrial school for negro youths.

By a large majority the New York constitutional convention struck out the limitation of the amount which may be recovered in case of death by accident.

Ex-Senator Ingalls dropped this epigram in a recent Kansas speech:—"It would be better for the country if women entered politics, but not so good for the women."

The manager of one of the big racing teams, organized to exploit the virtues of a particular wheel, says that it costs about \$3,000 to establish a new mile record.

William and John McKinley claim to have been defrauded in the forming of the Lake Superior Consolidated Iron Mines, and have brought suit for \$620,000 damages.

In another column will be found an open letter from a prominent physician relating the facts of a cure of consumption after the patient had reached the last stages of this hitherto unconquered disease. The statements made are really remarkable, and mark another advance in the progress of medical science. Our readers will find the articles well worth a careful perusal.

AN OPEN LETTER

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

A Remarkable Cure of Consumption in Its Last Stages—Is This Once Dread Disease Conquered?—Important Facts to All Suffering From Diseased or Weak Lungs.

ELMWOOD, Ont., Aug., 21st, 1894.

DEAR SIR:—I wish to call your attention to a remarkable cure of consumption. In March, 1893, I was called in my professional capacity to see Miss Christina Koester, of North Brant, who was then suffering from an attack of inflammation of the left lung. The attack was a severe one, the use of the lung being entirely gone from the effect of the disease. I treated her for two weeks when recovery seemed assured. I afterwards heard from her at intervals that the progress of recovery was satisfactory. The case then passed from my notice until June, when I was again called to see her, her friends thinking she had gone into consumption. On visiting her I found their suspicions too well founded. From robust health she had wasted to a mere skeleton, scarcely able to walk across the room. She was suffering from an intense cough, and expectoration of putrid matter, in fact about a pint each night. There was a burning hectic fever with chills daily. A careful examination of the previously diseased lung showed that its function was entirely gone, and that in all probability it was entirely destroyed. Still having hopes that the trouble was due to a collection of water around the lung I asked for a consultation, and the following day with a prominent physician of a neighboring town again made a careful examination. Every symptom and physical sign indicated the onset of rapid consumption and the breaking down of the lungs. Death certainly seemed but a short time distant. A regretful experience had taught me the uselessness of the ordinary remedies used for this dread and fatal disease, and no hope was to be looked for in this direction. I had frequently read the testimonials in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in wasting diseases, but not knowing their composition hesitated to use them. Finally, however, I decided to give them a trial, and I am free to say that I only used them at a stage when I knew of absolutely nothing else that could save the patient's life. The test was a most severe one and I must also admit an unfair one, as the patient was so far gone as to make all hope of recovery seem impossible. A very short time, however, convinced me of the value of Pink Pills. Although only using an ordinary soothing cough mixture along with the pills, within a week the symptoms had abated so much that it was no longer necessary for me to make daily calls. Recovery was so rapid that within a month Miss Koester was able to drive to my office, a distance of about six miles, and was feeling reasonably well, except for weakness. The expectoration had ceased, the cough was gone and the breathing in the diseased lung was being restored. The use of the Pink Pills was continued until the end of October, when she ceased to take the medicine, being in perfect health. I still watched her case with deep interest, but almost a year has now passed and not a trace of her illness remains. In fact she is as well as ever she was and no one would suspect that she had ever been ailing, to say nothing of having been in the clutches of such a deadly disease as consumption. Her recovery through the use of Pink Pills, after having reached a stage, when other remedies were of no avail, is so remarkable that I feel myself justified in giving the facts to the public, and I regret that the composition of the pills is not known to the medical profession at large in order that their merit might be tested in many more diseases and their usefulness be thus extended. I intend giving them an extended trial in the case of consumption, believing from their action in this case, (so well marked) that they will prove a curative in all cases where a cure is at all possible—I mean before the lungs are entirely destroyed.

Yours truly,
J. EVANS, M. D.
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I Had Colic
Or swellings in the neck since I was 10 years old; am now 52. I used Hood's Sarsaparilla recently and the swelling has entirely disappeared. It has been very troublesome. When I began I was feeling so discouraged with the colic and rheumatism I felt that I would soon be dead as alive. Whenever I caught cold I could not walk two blocks without fainting. Now I am free from it all and I can truly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla. I received a letter from Mrs. Jennie Riglow, now of Fremont, Mich., asking if my testimonial in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla was true; I replied it was, and sent particulars. I have another letter from her thanking me very much for recommending

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