

After....

Taking

a course of Ayer's Pills the system is set in good working order and a man begins to feel that life is worth living. He who has become the gradual prey of constipation, does not realize the friction under which he labors, until the burden is lifted from him. Then his mountains, sink into molehills, his moroseness gives place to jollity, he is a happy man again. If life does not seem worth living to you, you may take a very different view of it after taking

Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MARCH, 3, 1898.

The Young Folks.

THE CAT'S CONSULTATION. All the cats consulted! What was it about? How to catch a little mousie Running in and out.

Pursy with the long claws, she made this I shall eat the mousle up because my nos

Pussy with the long claws curled with pride You can only snip snap, I'm the one to grip,

and I'll stretch out my long claws, And I'll hold mousie tight, Then within my strong laws Whish her out of sight.

Little mousie listened, Hoard all that was said; Felt her limbs shake with affright, Thought she'd soon be dead, But time may be wasted, if cats have much to

And while they consulted mousic ran away. -Educational Journal

A LESSON WITH A MORAL.

The other day, says a writer in Grocery | nerves: World, I took a little trip out among some | of the retail trade. I went into the store in of a retail groser who advertised himself onhis sign as a strictly cash dealer, I saked him how the cash business was doing, and he didn't seem to think it was working very | Are features peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in well. I seked him whether he advertised. diss tasteless, efficient, thorough. As one man He said no. I asked him whether he gave his customers any better prices than the credit grocer just above, and he said no with great frankness. I asked him how ! then he expected to make a go of it against | said! "You never know yo credit, and he didn't seem to know exactly. "Why," I said, "you're bucking against big odds. People will go every time to the grocer who will sell to them at the same price and give them time, too." I don't know whether the seed I sowed found any Iodgment in the "cash" grocer's mind, but I hope so, because if he don't change his the range.

Getting Ready.

methods it's only a question of time.

Mr. Wiggles-I ordered two dinner sets sent home to-day, Maria. Mrs. Wiggles-Two dinner sets? Why,

sots ? dishes enough in the house so that I won't have to wash any while you are away .-Somerville Journal.

The Light Side of Nature. Siddy-I wonder if we should find any

bables, Katie, if we dug up these goose berry bushes ! Katie-Bables don't come out of gooseberry bushes, Biddy.

Siddy-Well, where do they come from, Katle-Why, from the big shops, of

course. Haven's you seen printed over some of them, "Families supplied ?"-

If the scalp does not give out oil to keep the hair from becoming dry and harsh, use Hall's Hair Renewer to render the hair healthy, sofs, and pliable.

is being said."

Fred-"Yes, not even a Frenchman !" Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders dure the worst headache in from five to twenty mingies and leave no bad after effects, One powder 5c., 3 powders 10. 10 powders 250.

"My husband was going to the Klondike. but he changed his mind," "What for ?"

and be convinced.

"He read in a newspaper that they have pillow shame up there." Worms derange the whole system. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator deranges worms, and gives 'rest to the

"Experience," said Uncle Eben, "le er good teacher ; but education is li'ble ter be wasted on a man dat don' 'pend on nuffin'

The blue-bird is bailed as a harbinger of Spring. It is also a reminder that a bloodpurifier is needed to prepare the system for the debilitating weather to come. Listen and you will hear the birds sing : Take Ayers Saresparilla in March, April

Gummey-Do you eay "ee-ther" or "eye-ther?" Glanders-The-dictionary says that you can say either. Gummey-

Don't it permit you to say "eye-ther," me to secure & divorce.

DRAGGED FROM A CONDI-TION OF PHYSICAL WRETCHEDNESS AND MISERY.

Paine's Celery Compound Was the Deliverer.

MR. BARRAND SAYS: "SURELY THE MEDICINE WHICH HASDONE SOMUCH FOR ME WILL PROVE A BLESSING TO OTHERS."

Most Desperate Cases of Rheumatism are Overcome by Nature? Cure, Paine's Celery Compound.

HE ONLY REMEDY FOR PAIN RACKED AND STIFFENED LIMBS.

Wells & Richardson Co.,

Dear Sirs :- Just a year ago I was attacked by inflammatory rheumatism its most acute form, which totally incapacitated me from pursuing my trade-that of a tailor-or in fact from doing work even of the very lightest kind, as every nerve my body was affected. I was in this distressing condition for more than seven months, when I commenced to use Paine's Celery Compound. I soon began to realize the beneficial effects of the medicine; but my case was an obstinate one, and required the persistent use of the Compound for some months before I was able to move about. I am thankful to say I am so far recovered that I have commenced work. again; and I am very hopeful that by continging the use of the Compound a little longer 1 shall, please God, be restored to my wonted health and strength again. Surely the medicine that has done so much for me will prove an equal blessing to others similarly sflicted; and to such I say, "Give Paine's Celery Compound a trial." For what your medicine has done

for me you have my most grateful thanks. Yours truly, JOHN BARRAND, Barrie, Ont.

When poverty comes in at the door love goes home to papa and brings hubby with

Who Built the Pyramids ?

Hard to tell in some instances. But we snow who are the great nerve builders. They are Scott and Bowne. Their Scott's Emulsion feeds and strengthens brain and

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haye taken a pill till it is all over." 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass, The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla Friend .- How do you get along with the

The Bride.—Admirably ! I blame if THE KLONDIKE'S WEALTH

Would be No Inducement to the Sufferer If it Stood Between Him and Perfect Health. H. H. Little, Campbellford, writes :

"About one year ago I had a severe attack Joshua Wiggles, are you orany ! What in of typhoid fever and it left my system in the world do we want of two more dinner a very weak and nervous condition, in fact, so badly that I almost entirely despaired Mr. Wiggles-Why, didn's you tell me of recovery. I was induced to try South yesterday that you were going away next American Nervine. In a remarkably week to be gove a month? I want to have short time my health improved and when I had taken a few bottles I was completely cured and have better health since than for years before." Sold by A. T. Brown

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Friend -Wonldn't you like to have it here and shoot at the poets when they Editor-No. You are two poor a shot.

The Dangers of Spring Which arise from impurities in the blood and a depleted condition of the wital finid may be entirely averted by Hood's Ethel-"Isn's it sipe being able to speak | Sarsaparilla. This great medicine ouros French? We can obas in a public con- all spring humors, boils, eruptions and veysuce and nobodia else will know what sores, and by enriching and vitalizing the blood, it overcomes that tired feeling and gives vitality and vigor.

Hood's Pills cure nauses, sick headache,

Raw Recruit (on duty)-"Who goes there?" Answer-"A friend," Raw Recruit-"Advance, friend, an' gi's a pipe bacoy."

Donn's Kidney Pills.

Doan's Kishey Pills act on the kidneys, pladder and urinary organs only. They oure backaches, weak back, rheumatism, diabetes, congestion, inflammation, gravel, of Cod-liver Oil with Hypoarising from wrong action of the kidneys Prosphites has been the sufferer. It only costs 25 cents to ky it Bright's disease and all other diseases

> Executive-"I would appoint your man, but Le's too ignorant for the police force.' Heeler-"Den put him on the School

A PAIN CRIPPLE Fortured and Tormented with Rhoumatism and Soletion --- South American Rheumatic Cure Works

Mrs. John Fisher, Woodstook, N. B., writes: "I had been suffering for over three Payrup is the remedy indicated because ite years from muscular rheumatism and on one cocasion I had a very acute attack of egiatica. For sveral weeks I was upable to walk or attend to my household doties. She-Well, I think it is about time for Tried several remedies, and physicians me to secure a divorce. failed to give me relief. I saw South
He—Why, dear, haven's I done every. American Bheumatic Cure advertised and She Yes, but I've spent nearly all your lot of good. Four bottles effected a perfect care." Sold by A. T. Brown.

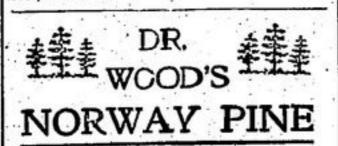
AN HONEST ARGUMENT.

Most of the arguments offered in favor of the use of alcohol, either as a beverage or as a medicine, are hased upon either ignorance of its physiological, or rather unphysiological, proporties, or upon a desire and determinution upon the part of the defender of this drug to find an apology or a pretext for its use, no matter what the facts may be; and if the facts do not agree, then it is so much worse for the facts. In the Jaly number of the London Westminster Review, A. E. T. Longburat, M. D., in an article entitled, "Scientific Aspects of the Temporance Question," very pithily says, "For a man to say that he takes alcohol because he likes it, regardless of the consequences of bealth which it entails or the possibility of a drunkard's grave, is at any rate honest; but when he says he takes i as a food, because his dector tells him it is so and is a necessity, then he defies science and brings a reproach on the profession of scientific medicine."

The doctor further mys: "If- we summarize the most recent scientific conclusions as to sloohol and its action on the human system they will be somewhat as follows: It is not found in nature, nor provided by her as a necessity of animal life. It predisposes to disease, deranges the constitution of the blood, unduly excitos the heart and circulation, paralyzes the minute blood vessels, impairs the functions of the digestive organs, disturbe the regularity of nerve actions, lowers the animal temperature, lessens muscular power, is not a food; the highest health and longevity are attainable without it. With so much evidence of the evils of alcohol and such scientific expressions against its use in the animal economy, it is high time that the profession of medicine should speak about it from the scientific aspect of the question."

"I don't know that man, but I know he has genius." "How do you know ?" "His clothes don't fit him."

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, wounds, cute, frostbites, chilblains stings of inscote, burns, scalde, contusions,



SYRUP Heals and Soothes

the delicate tissues of the Throat and Lungs. ... CURING ...

COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, HOARSENESS, SORE THROAT, INFLUENZA, and PAIN IN THE CHEST.

EASY TO TAKE. Mrs. Potter-What were poor Mr Donaway's last words?

Mr. Potter-He didn't bave any. His

wife was with him. No family living in a bilious country should be without Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. A few doses taken now and then will keep the Liver active, cleanse the and prevent Ague, Mr. J. L. Price, Shoals, Martin Co ... Ind., "I have tried a box of Parmeleo's Pills and find them the best medicine for Fever and Ague I have over used."

"The trouble with the advanced woman," aid the Wise Man from Birmingham, "is that she thinks she is 'advanced' when she is only 'forward'."

Blood That is Bad.

Blood that is bad makes the whole body sick. Blood that is good makes the whole body strong, healthy and vigorous. Burdock Blood Bitters makes good, , rich, red blood. "I regard B. B. B. as the best medicine in the world to make fich, red blood. It cured me after suffering two years from weak, thin blood." Jennie A. Gleason, Centreton, Ont.

The evil men do lives after them; the good is oft interred in their wille. Dr. Low's Worm Syrap is a safe, sure and reliable worm-expeller. Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

An Irish tenant observed that it was hard thing for a man to be turned out of the house which his father built and his randfather was born in."

Very many persons de annually from cholera and kindred summer complaints, who might have been saved if proper remedies had been used. If attacked do not delay in getting a bottle of Dr. J. D. -Hellogg's Dysentery Cordial, the medicine that never fails to effect a cure. Those who have used it say it acts promptly, and thoroughly subdues the pain and disease.

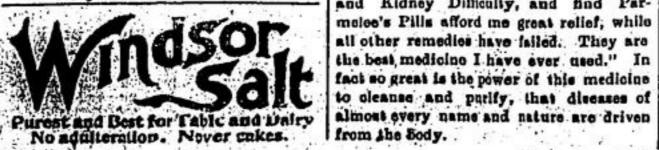
If you are ill you need a doctor in whom you have confidence.

If you need a remedy you want one that has been tested for years; not an obscure, untried thing that is urged upon you, or on which you save a few cents that is no consideration as against health.

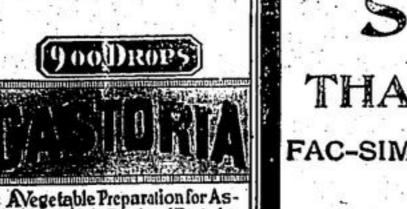
For wasting in children or adults, Scott's Emulsion this is ac. "I had severe houdache for recognized temedy for twenty-five years.

50c. and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto. Little Elmer-Pa, what does "requies eat in pace" mean? Professor Broadhead-"Please str dead," is near enough."

Not So Easy. It is not so easy to cure an obstinate cough; it won't care itself. Norway Pine record shows that it always cores coughs. colds and all long troubles.



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ting the Stamacks and Bowels of INFANTS CHILDREN Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest Contains neither Oprum, Morphine nor Mineral.

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Aperfect Remedy for Constipa-tion, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and Loss of SLEEP. Fac Simile Signature of Chaff Eteter, NEW YORK. At6 months old

Bosts Billy

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Castoria is put up in one-size bettles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to sell you anything elso on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every purpose." ** See that you get C-A-B-T-O-R-I-A.

Photographer-"Now try to look like yourself." (Noting the effect)-"Well, er, h-m; try to look like somebody else." THE GOLD RUSH.

Not More Enthusiastic than are the Praises of Thousands who are Living To-day Because of South American Kidney Cure.

Thousands verify what is claimed South American Kidney Cure. Greatest, safest, quickest acting, permanent results. A specific for kidney disorders in young or old, male and female. It enjoys the distinction of a hearty recommendation by most eminent physicians. It relieves distressing kidney disease in six hours. Never fails to cure if persisted in. Acts directly on the circulation and eradicates from the system all solids and foreign substances which clog up these sanitary organs of the human anatomy. You test what others have proved. These words from a letter received to-day: "I despaired of recovery until I used South American Kidney Cure." Sold by A. T. Brown.

"You don't seem to object to your daughter gathering autumn leaves?' "No; it takes her mind off painting thom." Queer Heart Feelings.

Queer feelings in the heart are daily complained of by multitudes of peopledon't know the cause, but it makes them nervous, irritable and unfit for either work or pleasure. Mr. B. A. Ross, Ailsa Craig, Ont., explains it. He says: "It came from la grippe. I was irritable, worried, dizzy, short of breath and had such a queer feeling in my heart that I thought would give up the ghost. Milbarn's Heart and Nerve Pills changed all this, and am free to-day from all these troubles."

Bad Blood Will Out.

Can't help but come to the surface in the form of Ulcers, Sores, Boils, Pimples and Rashes of one kind and another. Especially is this so in the SPRING. At this time of the year the Blood needs purifying, the System needs cleansing. Nothing will do it with such perfect success as

B. B.

Jessie Johnston Rockwood, Ont.,

"I had boils very bad and a friend advised me to try Burdock Blood Bitters, so I got a bottle. The effect was won-derful—the boils began to disappear, and before the bottle was done I was totally cured. As an effectual and rapid cure for Impure Blood B. B. B. cannot be equalled."

"Mawson struck oil, and made his fortune." "He was lucky. Howson struck dymanite, and made his exit."

There is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil-a pulmonio of acknowledged efficacy. It cures ameness and screness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back; and as an inward specific posseses most substantial claims to public

Only a few years ago people gazed wonder at the first gas light. Now they gaze in wonder at their last gas bills.

Don't Let it Ache.

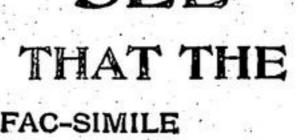
If your stomach, liver and bowels are working properly you will have no headacho. Burdook Blood Bitters will keep you right so there is no need to let your head sche, There is lots of proof that over three years and was not free from it for a single day Finally I used Burdook Blood Bitters with the result that it has completely cured me."

Mrs. Afficok, Toronto. In a country newspaper appears the following announcement: "A number of deaths unavoidably prosponed."

One Laza-Liver Pill overy night for thirty days makes a complete cure o bilioneness and constipation. That isjust 25 cents to be cured.

Some men are born great, some achiev

reatness and some become aldermen. Collo and Ridney Difficulty .- Mr. J. W. Wilder, J. P., Lulargeville, N. Y., writes: "I am subject to severe attacks of Colio and Kidney Difficulty, and find Parmelee's Pills afford me great relief, while all other remedies have falled. They are fact so great is the power of this medicine by mail. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.



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IS ON THE WRAPPER OF EVERY

BOTTLE OF

Old Bach-Well, have you succeeded subduing your wife yet? Young Bonedict-Oh, year I am able to make her do anything she wants to.

How to Keep Well. Without regular action of the bowels good health is impossible. Laxa-Liver Pills regulate the bowels, cure constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache and all affections of the organs of digestion. Price 25c. All druggists.

Don't scold the little ones if the bed is wet in the morning. It isn't the child's fault. Weak kidneys need strengtheningthat's all. You can't afford to risk delay. Neglect may entail

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS Strengthen the Kldneys and Bladder, then all trouble

Mr. John Carson, employed at M. S. Bradt & Co.'s store, Ham-"My little boy seven years of ago has been troubled with his kidneys since birth and could not hold his lars doctoring and tried many different remedies, but they were of no avail. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills completely cured him."

The disposition to give a cup of cold vater to a lisciple is a far more noble prosperity than the finest intellect There never was, and never will be

universal panacea, in one remedy, for all ills to which flesh is heir-the very nature of many curatives being such that were the gorms of other and differently scated diseases rooted in the system of the patient -what would relieve one ill, in turn would aggravate the other. We have, however, in Quinine Wine, when obtained in a sound unadulterated state, a remedy for many and grievous ills. By its gradual judicious use, the frailest systems are led into convalescence and strength, by the influence which Quinine exerts on Nature's own estoratives. It relieves the drooping pirits of those with whom a chronic state of morbid despondence and lack of interest in life is a disease, and, by tranquilizing the nerves, disposes to sound and refreshing sleep, imparts vigor to the action of the blood, which, being stimulated, courses throughout the veins, strengthening the healthy animal functions of the system, thereby making activity a necessary result, strengthening the frame, and giving life to the digestive - organs, which naturally demand increased aubstance-result, im-Proved apposite. Northrop & Lyman, of You get all the Toronto, have given to the public their Quipino Wine at the usual rate, and guaged by the opinion of scientists, this wine approaches nearest perfection of any in the market. All druggists se it.

My party, may she always be right; but,

ight or wrong, my party.

PAIN IN THE HEART.

Too serious a condition to A Guelph harness maker tells how he was cured.

Mr. Wm. Dyson, the well known saddler and harness maker of Guelph, Ont., makes the following statement: "I heartily re-



commend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills to anyone suffering from nervousness and heart trouble. They are a splendid medicine for such complaints. For a long time I was afflicted with nervousness and pain in my heart, which was ospecially severe at night, often-destroying my rest.
These pills cured me and invigorated my
nervous system which is now strong and healthy. They restored restful sleep besides removing the distressing heart pains which formerly gave me so much anxiety and

Milburn's Heart and Norve Pills 50 cts. Laxa-Liver Pills ours Constipation.

GLASGOW HOUSE. Acton.

A feature with us this week will be an early shipment or

American Prints, Fancy Sateens, etc.,

Just to hand, in exquisite designs and perfect colorings, which will be cleared during the next ten days to make room for regular stock.

Exceptionally tasty goods, for Wrappers and

Prices will range from 8c. to 10c. worth 121c.

Henderson & Co.

Right

Corner King and Hughson Sts., Hamilton.

Special Carpet Sale.

In spite of the unpleasant weather we have sold hundreds of yards of the Carpets advertised last week. Some styles are all gone; those still here we will offer as follows:

Regular \$1.35 Brussels for 90c. Regular \$1.10 Brussels for 75c. Regular \$1.85 Wilton for \$1.10. Regular \$1.85 Axminster for \$1.15. Regular 90c Tapestries for 75c. Regular 81 Wools for 750 Regular 50c Union for 40c. Brussels Hassocks, special, 45c.

Six only Indian Rugs at the following 15-3 x 10-3, regular \$75, for \$42 15-6 x 10-3, regular \$60, for \$45. 12 x 9-4, regular \$45, for \$30. 14-2 x 9-4, regular \$65, for \$36. 12-2 x 8-3, regular \$45, for \$30. 8-4 x 6-3, regular \$24, for \$15. Brussels Rugs special at \$2.50 each.

price. During this sale all the above Carpets will be made an hour and deliver 40 feet. Full line of Remnants of Oilcloths and Linoleums less than half and laid without extra charge and stored until required.

Housefurnishings. One case of job White Blankets, size 72 : o, weight 8 to 10 lbs., one third less than

Extra super White Blankets, 8, 9, and 10 ibs., at 80c, 90c and 81 per pair.
50 only, White Quilts, 2 x 21 yards, Down Quilts, 5 x 6, regular \$5.50 for \$4.50; 6 x 6, regular \$9.50 for \$6.75.

Fine White Nett Curtains, regular \$11.5 for \$7. Irish Point Curtains, regular \$15, for \$8. Curtains, Lace, 60 in. wide, regular 50c,

Irish Point Sash Nett regular 70c, for 50c. Curtains, Muslin, regular 35c, for 25c; egular 30c, for 20c; regular 25c, for 15c. Gold Printed Art Cloth. regular 25c, for Art Silks, 30 inches wide, regular 75c and \$1, for 45c.

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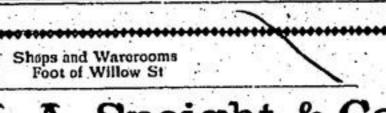
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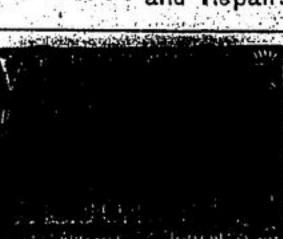
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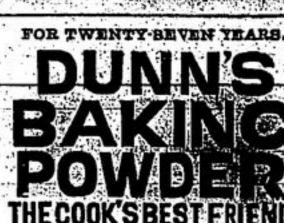


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