Good Blood!

Your heart beats over one hundred thousand times each day. One hundred thousand supplies of good or bad blood to your brain.

Which is it?

If bad, impure blood, then your brain aches. You are troubled with drowsiness yet cannot sleep. You are as tired in the morning as at night. You have no nerve power. Your food does you but little good.

Stimulants, tonics, headache powders, cannot cure you; but

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

will. It makes the liver, kidneys, skin and bowels perform their proper work. It removes all impurities from the blood. And it makes the blood rich in its life-giving properties.

To Hasten Recovery.

You will be more rapidly cured if you will take a laxative dose of Ayer's pills each night. They arouse the sluggish liver and thus cure biliousness.

Write to our Doctors.

We have the exclusive services of some of the most eminent physicians in the United States. Write freely all the particulars in your case.

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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1899.

The Young Folks.

THE BETTER WAY.

'Tis better to laugh than to cry, dear—
A proverb you'll grant me is true;
'Tis best to forget to be sad, dear—
The heart's-ease is better than rue.

'Tis better to be good than be great, dear;
To be happy is better than wise.
You'll find if you smile at the world, dear,
The world will smile back in your eyes.

—*Helen L. Towne.*

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

Bees in the bonnet never make honey.

Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders cure the worst headache in from five to twenty minutes, and leave no bad after-effects. One powder 5c, 3 powders 10c, 10 powders 25c.

To lead a child is to command an army.

Coughs That Stick.

You don't seem to be able to throw them off. All the ordinary remedies you've tried don't touch them. The cough remedy for you is Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. It loosens the phlegm, allays the irritation, heals and soothes the inflamed lung tissue.

MR. WM. FERRY, Blenheim, Ont., says: "I can recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup as the very best medicine for coughs and colds, sore throat and weak lungs."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Never fails to Cure.

"Am I the first girl you ever loved?" she asked him, more as a matter of habit than anything else.

"I cannot tell a lie," said he. "You are not. You are simply the best in the bunch."

Being a modern maid, she was content with that.

A DRUGGIST'S FAITH.

What's Most Called For Must Be the Best Remedy.

A druggist's testimony of the popularity of a remedy or medicine is a proof that it will do what it promises. Paul Livingood, druggist, of Allentown, Pa., says: "Dr. Agnew's remedies have sold away beyond my expectations. You can quote me for saying that Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder is the best seller for catarrh I have in the store. Many of my customers praise it highly." It is a great remedy and has a continental reputation. Sold by A. T. Brown.

For a dead opportunity there is no resurrection.

Keep in mind that Scott's Emulsion contains the hypophosphites.

These alone make it of great value for all affections of the nervous system.

It also contains glycerine, a most valuable, soothing and healing agent. Then there is the cod-liver oil, acknowledged by all physicians as the best remedy for poor blood and loss in weight.

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50c and $1.00, all druggists.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

A WISHBONE'S SERVICE.

Dr. Pakenham-Walsh, who recently resigned the Bishopric of Ossory, is celebrated alike for his piety and his wit. There is a story told of how he proposed to his wife. He was at a dinner party and was seated beside the woman of his choice. In the course of the dinner he found that he had been helped to the "wishing bone," and, as often is the custom in country houses he pulled for the wish with his fair neighbor. The little V-shaped bone was broken, and the Bishop, having secured the wish, whispered to his companion, as he laid down his part of the bone: "Will you lay your bones with my bones?" She blushingly whispered an assent, and after dinner the engagement was announced.

HOBSON'S CHOICE.

A dispassionate poet pauses to observe, "I seems that instead of a garland of bay, our hero is wearing a mistletoe spray."—Washington *Star.*

In an Irish court recently an old man was called into the witness-box, and being old and a little blind, he went far in more senses than one, and instead of going up the stairs that led to the box, mounted those that led to the bench.

The judge took the mistake good-humoredly.

"Is it a judge you want to be, my good man" he asked.

"Ah, sure your honor," was the reply. "I'm an ould man now, and mebee it's all I'm fit for.

"Will you have a piece of pie, Mr. Goodman?" asked Bobby's mother of the minister.

"Thanks, no," he replied.

"Will you, Bobby?" she inquired.

"No, I think not," said Bobby, rather hesitatingly.

The minister looked it Bobby in surprise. "I thought all little boys were fond pie," he said.

"They are," replied Bobby. "I could eat thar hull pie, but ma said if you didn't take any I mustn't, and she'd save it for to-morrow."

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Paine's Celery Compound the Chosen Medicine of All Classes in Our Community.

The reputation of Paine's Celery Compound extends from day to day. Those who stand in need of the Healing and recuperative powers of nature's health restorer are advised to use it by those who have been made well and strong. In the house, on the street, and where people congregate, Paine's Celery Compound is ever recommended and kindly words spoken in its favor. In this way the popularity of the great medicine is made enduring, and its immense sales stir the envy of the ordinary patent medicine proprietor and the jealous minded doctor.

The wealthiest families of the land, the best and most observant people in our cities and towns, and the common-sense people in our agricultural districts, place Paine's Celery Compound far above all other known remedies.

The past and present history of Paine's Celery Compound is the one great medicine for rundown and physically weak people. When the vital forces are low and the nervous organism shattered, then it is that the marvellous medicine manifests its wondrous healing virtues. Weakness, depression, tired feelings, languor, digestive troubles, headaches, rheumatism and neuralgia are quickly banished owing to the nourishment that Paine's Celery Compound imparts to brain, nerves and tissue. It is the great everyday home medicine for all classes of our population.

Gertie—Papa, will our new mamma go mad after a while?

Father—What a question? Why do you think such a thing?

Gertie—Well, I heard her tell the cook yesterday that she was badly bitten when she married you.

Now Think About Your Health.

In the warmer weather of spring you should be strong and in robust health, your blood pure and your appetite good. Otherwise you will be in danger of serious illness. Purify and enrich your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla and thus "prepare for spring." This medicine makes rich, red blood and gives vigor and vitality.

A short prayer will reach farther than a long one.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Prairie Itch Gone.

Harold Dix, Rat Portage, Ont., writes: I tried B. B. B. for the disease called Prairie Itch. I only took three bottles and to my great satisfaction was completely cured."

Excited Lady (hurriedly on beach)—"Why isn't something done for that ship in distress?"

Coastguard (hurriedly)—"We have sent the crew a line to come ashore, mum."

Excited Lady—"Dear me; were they waiting for a formal invitation?"

Rheumatic Pain Gone.

H. C. Snell, Dovercourt P. O., Ont., writes: "I was afflicted with Rheumatism in my feet, ankles and knees, and after trying every remedy I could hear of, found relief at last in Milburn's Rheumatic Pills."

The cloven foot is often concealed in patent leather.

HEART STARTS.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart—One Dose Helped in 30 Minutes—Two Bottles Cured.

Mrs. M. K. Calliyer, 29 Pacific Ave., Toronto, was troubled with heart disease for years, could not stand on a chair without growing dizzy; going up stairs, or being suddenly startled brought on palpitation, suffocation and intense pains under the shoulder blades. She tried many remedies—was treated by heart specialists without permanent relief. She procured and used Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. She got relief within 30 minutes after the first dose, and before she had taken two bottles every symptom of heart trouble had left her. Sold by A. T. Brown.

HIS CONCERN.

A commercial traveler on his trip called upon a well known chemist. He was nervous as he put his hand in his pocket and handed out a card.

"I represent that concern," said the young man.

"You are fortunate," replied the chemist.

The commercial traveler was encouraged and said:

"I think so, sir, and the chemist who trades with us is even more so. My firm has the finest line of cosmetics in the country."

"I shouldn't have though it," slowly responded the man of medicines, "Her complexion looks natural."

And he handed back the photograph which the young man had given him by mistake. He took it and left without waiting to make any farewell remarks.—London *Sketch.*

VERY SUCCESSFUL QUOTATION.

In the Crafton schools it is customary to have regular "quotation days," on which each pupil is required to give a quotation and announce the name of the author. The day before the latest occasion of this sort one of the boys complained to another that he had no quotation for the morrow.

"I'll tell you a good one," said the latter, and the quotationless one was happy.

When it came to the latter's turn to quote, he rose and said with great confidence:

"Go west, young man.—Shakespeare.

But the reciter was not prepared for the tumultuous applause which greeted his quotation.—Pittsburg *Chronicle Telegraph.*

The religion that is used for a cloak has no warmth in it.

To Prevent Consumption.

Hard to cure, easy to prevent. Scott's Emulsion nourishes the body, keeps all the organs and tissues healthy,—and the consumption germs cannot get a foothold.

When churches go to war the devil runs the ambulance.

They do not Gripe.

Mrs. M. Gillard, 32 St. Antoine St., Montreal, Que., says: "I have used Laxa-Liver Pills for headaches, constipation, etc., and have found them free from griping tendencies, and I can recommend them above all others."

A colored pastor in Texas, demanding his salary, is reported to have said: "Brudern, I can't preach heah and boa'd in hebin!"

One Laxa-Liver Pill every night for thirty days makes a complete cure of biliousness and constipation. That is—just 25 cents to be cured.

AS SHE HEARD IT.

After the new servant had been installed in the home of a New Jersey housewife the day finally came when the privilege of "going out" had to be decided on. This fell on a Thursday, to which the mistress assented.

"You may go to-day, Bridget," she said, "and every other Thursday."

"All right, ma'am," replied Bridget.

The next week on Thursday surprise was great at Bridget's coming from her room all togged out for another afternoon out. The mistress rebelled and asked her if she remembered that she was to go only every other Thursday.

"Certainly I do, ma'am, certainly! Didn't you say I could go out that Thursday and 'every other Thursday'—that Thursday and every Thursday afterward?"

"No, no!" replied the mistress. "That Thursday and every second Thursday thereafter."

"Sure you didn't say so. You positively told me that Thursday and every other Thursday."

Bridget won.

DISAPPEARED:

Kidney Pains All Gone.

What Did It?

Doan's Kidney Pills.

How Do You Know?

A Kingston Man Says So.

Mr. W. J. Pappa, 112 Barrie St., Kingston, Ont., writes as follows: "Having been troubled with kidney disease for years, and not having received any permanent relief until I used Doan's Kidney Pills, I take great pleasure in letting others similarly afflicted know of the wonderful curative properties possessed by Doan's Pills. Before taking them I was troubled at night by having to rise, but can now sleep, and do not feel weary in the morning. I hope that this may induce other sufferers from kidney or urinary troubles to give Doan's Kidney Pills a faithful trial, for I know that no other remedy could have acted so well as they did in my case."

Doan's Kidney Pills are the only sure cure for Backache, Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, and all Kidney and Urinary troubles. Price 50c. all druggists. The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont. Ask for Doan's and refuse all others.

Little Mike—"Feyther, what is an octogenarian?"

McLubberty—"An octogenarian, me b'y, is a man that has eight toes on sich fut.

A Dunnville Jeweller's Wife

CURED OF PALPITATION OF THE HEART AND SMOTHERING SPELLS BY MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS.

Mrs. D. E. Lasalle, Canal Street, Dunnville, Ont., whose husband keeps a jewellery store, and is one of the best

known and most progressive citizens of Dunnville, Ont., gives the following description of her recent experience in the use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills: "I took Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for weak nerves, dizziness, palpitation of the heart, smothering spells at night and sleeplessness. Before I used them I could not get restful sleep, and my nerves were often so unstrung that I would start in alarm at the least noise, and easily worried.

"Last February I commenced taking this valuable medicine, and it proved the right remedy for my weak and shattered nervous system. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills restored my nerves to a strong and healthy condition, gave regular and normal action of the heart.

"I sleep well now, and am better in every way, and I recommend them heartly to all who suffer as I did."

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Castoria.

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I was driving through one of the best farming districts in western Ontario a few years ago. I expressed my admiration.

"Yes," said my companion, who knew the country thoroughly, "nearly all the farmers around here have second wives."

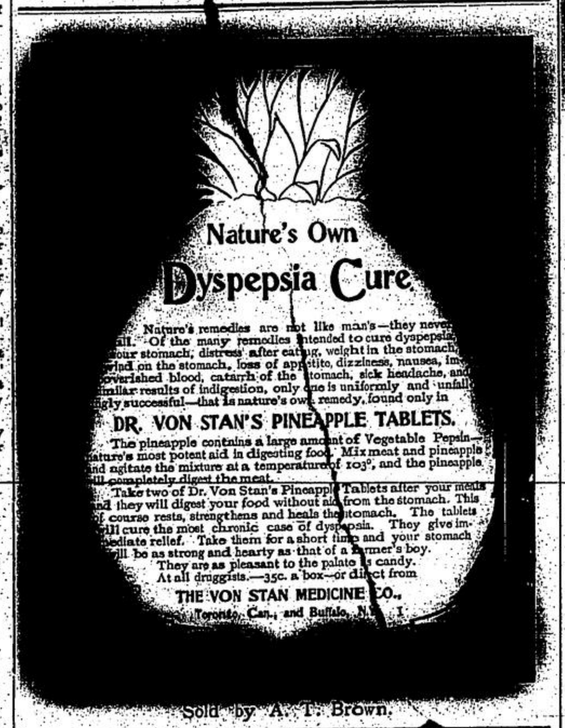
"Why?" was my surprised inquiry.

"Oh," he answered, "they killed their first wives making the farm."—Perth *Expositor.*

Character is what we are when we are not watched.

DOROTHY'S INQUIRY.

Dorothy has a baby brother who has recently been ill with the coming through of his first teeth. I think he has the baldest head I ever saw on an infant. It has caused Dorothy great anxiety. She stood at the mother's knee one day, gently patting the little head. "Be careful, Dorothy," said the mother. "You know poor little brother is sick. He is cutting his teeth." Dorothy patted the bald head reflectively. "Mamma," she said, "is it going to make him sick when he cuts his hair?"—Washington *Post.*



Sold by A. T. Brown.

Caller—What is the matter with Fido that you are watching him so closely?

Charlie—Mamma said your hat was enough to make a dog laugh, and I wanted to see him do it.

There never was, and never will be, a universal panacea, in one remedy, for all ills to which flesh is heir—the very nature of many curatives being such that were the germs of other and differently seated 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 restoratives. It relieves the drooping spirits 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 substance—result, improved appetite. Northrop & Lyman, of Toronto, have given to the public their Quinine Wine at the usual rate, and, guaged by the opinion of scientists, this wine approaches nearest perfection of any in the market. All druggists sell it.

"What is the matter?" asked a lawyer of his coachman.

"The horses are running away, sir."

"Can't you pull them up?"

"I'm afraid not."

"Then," said the lawyer, after judicial delay, "run into something cheap."

"I am surprised that a man like Basso should have married a girl who had no music in her at all."

"Nothing surprising about it. She was willing to listen to his singing."

The Proprietors of Parmelee's Pills are constantly receiving letters similar to the following, which explains itself. Mr. John A. Beam, Waterloo, Ont., writes; "I never used any medicine that can equal Parmelee's Pills for Dyspepsia or Liver and Kidney Complaints. The relief experienced after using them was wonderful." As a safe family medicine Parmelee's Vegetable pills can be given in all cases requiring a cathartic.

Cholly—I hope that Scotch dialect will not become fashionable.

Algy—I hope not, bah Jove! We had trouble enough in acquishing an English accent, doncherknow.

Raw From Ear To Jaw.

"I have been for years more or less subject to eruptions on my skin. The left side of my face from the top of my ear to half way down my jaw was in a very bad state—being almost raw, making shaving very painful. I was advised to try Burdock Blood Bitters. One bottle perfectly cured me. I can honestly recommend B.B.B. to all who suffer from any skin disease." G. WHITE, Carlevale, N.W.T.

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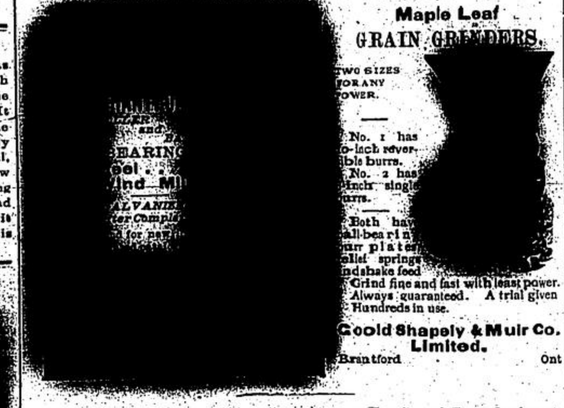

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Express	2 25 p.m.	Express	10 50 a.m
Mail	7 15 p.m.	Mail	5 14p.m
		Mixed	10 03 p.m

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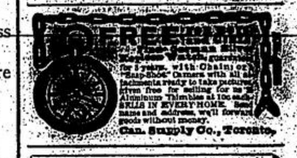

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