

Gray Hair

"I have used Ayer's Oil of Vitriol for over thirty years. It has kept my scalp free from dandruff and has prevented my hair from turning gray." — Mrs. F. A. Soule, Billings, Mont.

There is this peculiar thing about Ayer's Hair Vigor—it is a hair food, not a dye. Your hair does not suddenly turn black, look dead and lifeless. But gradually the color comes back—all the rich, dark color it used to have. The hairstems falling, too.

It will grow again.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us a few cents and give the name of your town. We will send you the name of a druggist.

J. C. AyER CO., Lowell, Mass.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1902.

The Young Folks.

WILLIE IN CANNING TIME

When we get busy canning things about this time of year, And leaves me with the baby for to first thing you know it falls same way and gets a awful hump, And my comes tearin' up the slides, about six at a jump. Sends me down to watch the stuff that's been canned, the baby goes And on the smell the comes from there is good, I tell you what! But pretty soon somehow, it gets to And has come, fallin' over chairs and things to make it stop.

She puts the same all in rows—and When its boiled enough, It splashes on skin hands and burns While she pours in the stuff.

And now "Cannin' time" on those somethin' slips somehow, And down the can goes on the floor, and get, but there's a row!

When we get busy canning things, I wish that could go Far away from here—about a distance, until we are And then come back along about the time the table's set.

And ma's got it out to two of good stuff to eat.

—CHICAGO READER-HIGHWAY.

HONORED BY THE KING.

The Christian Treasury, published in Allahabad, India, contains the following:

"Among the decorations honors the King-Emperor has conferred on Miss Marion Norris, M. D., of the American Presbyterian Mission, Allahabad, the Salvo 1 Hind medal, for public services in India. Dr. Norris rendered valuable service to Government and people, without pay, during the recent outbreak of plague, having charge for several months of the women's and children's section of the plague camp."

Doctor Norris, who is a Canadian, spent three years at the Ontario Medical College for Women, Toronto.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Here is a story retold for the benefit of whom it may concern, in this season of dry weather Sabbath weather. Said a friend to Henry Ward Beecher: "What measures do you take at your church when people go to sleep while you're preaching?" "Well," answered Beecher, "we have a definite plan of action in such cases. Our sexton has positive instructions that, whenever he discovers anybody asleep in the congregation, he is to go up into the pulpit and wake the preacher!" This false teacher—but perhaps the moral may be omitted.—Epworth Herald.

WIT AND FUN.

Nothing is more difficult, to define than wit. It varies like the minds of men. One class has the wit of intellect, another of wit of typewritten class. His wit, sprung from his pen, strutting begin, not from fancy, for he had none. It was a return to something, an opponent, but, said, a writer in an English magazine quoted an instance of the doctor's argumentative wit.

In spite of his talk to Scottie, Johnson once praised Buchanan, the Scotch poet and historian. A Scotchman, hearing him, asked with an air of triumph:

"Ah, doctor, what would you have, said of Buchanan if he had been an Englishman?"

"I could not then have said of him, retorted Johnson, "what I will say of him now, that he is the only man of genius his country has produced."

A woman is never so proud as when pieces of her hair fall loose her to confess that it is an old one she trimmed over.

Some men succeed in hoodwinking and deceiving themselves, and some even seem to suppose that they can deceive Almighty God.

BLOOD HISTORY

Born in bone marrow—dies in the liver! This is the beginning and the end of the rich red blood that keeps us alive. Blood history makes a fascinating story.

Scott's Emulsion often plays a most important part in history. At the very beginning—that is where its influence is greatest.

Scott's Emulsion is a blood food—a rich material for making new blood. Nothing better for bringing color to pale faces.

We'll send a little to try if you like.

SCOTT & BOWNS, Chemists, Toronto.

SIR WILFRED'S FIRMNESS.

I. N. Pond's special cable to the N. Y. Tribune says: "Many English journals find cause for congratulation in the fact that the Imperial conference has not adjourned. The United Kingdom has done its duty, and it is now time to put an additional financial tax on the colonies, unless a preferential arrangement for their benefit can also be made. Sir Wilfred Laurier, the proposal was rejected. If anything has been proved by the conference it is the impracticability of distributing the financial burdens of Imperial defence among the colonies, unless a preferential arrangement for their benefit can also be made. Sir Wilfred has talked less than Mr. Seldon, but he has exerted a decisive influence."

See a book, "Sir Wilfred."

BOANDERS.

"A friend of mine told me once that when he went to a boarding house, he could always tell who the boarders were, for they never alluded to family matters, but sat down to the table and talked about nothing but what the son came in he would go into the sitting room to see if there were letters, and inquire after the family and show in many ways his interest in the household. It doesn't take five minutes to tell that he is not a boarder and that the others are. And so it is with the Church of God. You see these boarders in Church every Sunday morning, but they don't take any interest; they come to criticise. And that is about all that constitutes a Christian nowadays. They are boarders in the house of God, and we have got too many boarders." Moody.

PRESERVING TIME.

Now mother's putting up preserves the sweetest in the town, and Willie with twirling nerves, a chance to put them down.

If You Are Conscious of Falling Strength and Energy This Month, Make Use of

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

The Great Health and Strength Giver.

NO OTHER MEDICINE CAN AFFORD OR GUARANTEE SUCH HAPPY RESULTS.

Men and women, young and old, o'er every rank in life, freely admit that they are more conscious of overtaxed nervous strength in the hot, weather.

When such a condition is experienced, Paine's Celery Compound affords advantages and results that no other remedy can offer with honesty. It vigorously strengthens blood, revives strength and aids healthy circulation.

It strengthens—strengthens—the kidneys and enables them to filter from the blood all waste and morbid matters.

It secures strong, firm nerves, gives sweet and natural sleep to the nerve-tired and brain-weary.

In word, Paine's Celery Compound is a true summer life-giver and health-builder. Mr. J. Ralston, of Nixon, Ont., says:

"It is now a year past since I had a severe attack of nervous prostration caused by chronic dyspepsia, and I could not sleep at night. This condition of sleeplessness brought on delirium. I was attended by four of the best doctors, and took a great quantity of medicine, but all failed to do me any good. I thought I would try your Paine's Celery Compound. After I had used four bottles the nervousness and dyspepsia left me, and I have done more work since than for years past. I now enjoy excellent health and consider myself completely cured."

The poor girl thinks it's positively wicked to marry for money.

Diarhoea Weakens the System.

It isn't checked becomes a chronic disease. No remedy compares with Noveltine, which is prepared specially for stomach and bowel troubles.

As a radical cure for cramps, colic, gas in the stomach, simple constipation.

Noveltine excels everything in the medical line, is an indispensable household staple, and costs only 25c. Buy a bottle to-day. Sold by A. T. Brown.

WANTED.

We would like to ask, through the columns of your paper, if there is any person who has used Green's August Flower for the cure of indigestion, dyspepsia, and liver troubles that has not been cured—and we also mean their results, as much as our stomach, formulation of acid, habitual constipation, "horrible dyspepsia," headaches, dispondent feelings, sleeplessness, in fact, and all connected with the stomach or liver? This medicine has been sold for many years in all civilized countries, and we wish to correspond with you and send you one of our books free of cost. If you never tried August Flower, try one bottle first. We have never known of its failing. If so, something more serious is the matter with you. Sold by Wm. Eskin.

The tongue is a pump used to induce a flow of conversation.

Regular action of the bowels is necessary to health. Lax-Liver Pills are the best occasional cathartics for family or general use. Price 25c.

Any droppings.

So many shower days must make the umbrella feel used up.

You need not rough out night and disturb your friends; there is no occasion for you running the risk of contracting inflammation of the lungs or consumption, while you can get Black's Anti-Consumptive Syrup.

This medicine cures coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs and all throat and chest troubles. It promotes a free and easy expectoration which immediately relieves the throat and lungs from viscid phlegm.

When two men are unable to agree they usually leave it to the man holding the bar.

Attention in the world of homeopathic medicine has been its source of progress, as in politics and religion.

As Parmenter's Vegetable Pillas, these pills, especially on the duodenal organs, stimulating to action the dormant energies of the system, thereby removing disease and renewing life and vitality to the afflicted. In this lies the great secret of the popularity of Parmenter's Vegetable Pillas.

Push your work unless you wish to be pushed by it.

First in 1888—Foremost ever since.

To have been "first" merely proves antiquity.

To have remained first proves merit.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Close your eyes to quality and the world is full of cheap things.

That aching head can be instantly relieved by taking one of Millburn's Sterling Headache Powders, 1 pound, 25c, for 10c, 20c, 25c.

Inability to fatten an injury is the sure sign of littleness of soul.

As Parmenter's Vegetable Pillas being the best medicine in the market for all summer complaints. If a few drops are taken in water when the symptoms are noticed no further trouble will be experienced.

These pills, made of mandrake and damaskin, they cure liver and kidney complaints with unrivaled effect.

Northrop & Lyman, of Toronto, have given to the preparation of their pure Quinine Wine the broadest guarantee in the article which they offer to the public, comes into the market purged of all the defects which skilled observation and scientific opinion are pointed out in the less perfect preparation of the latter.

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Rouging wouldn't be so foolish if everybody was blind.

There is both folly and weakness in those who long and seek after pleasure, if it cannot satisfy the soul nor give the heart repose.

Some persons have periodic attacks of Canadian Liver Disease, Colic, Cramps, Pains in the Stomach, Scarciness, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, etc. Dr. Kellie's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

These pills, cure constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache and all afflictions of the organs of digestion.

Whichever in the pursuit of pleasure seeks to evade a present duty, is simply adding to the weight of his future burdens.

Millburn's Heart and Nerve Pillas cure anaemia, nervousness, sleeplessness, palpitation, trembling, faint spells, dizziness, or any condition arising from impoverished blood, disorders nerves or weak heart.

Many a man is compelled to act like a nuisance in order to attract attention.

It is a nuisance to be a nuisance.

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HOW HE PROPOSED.

He wished to propose to the girl of his choice, but he was nervous. First he thought of the old romantic style, "By my halidom, fair one, I would fain have you for my bride." Say that with him and, ere the sun guilds the turrets of yonder castle the fair shall unite us in holy bands."

In the face of the prevalent rage for drama of the older style, this form seemed satisfactory—"Being an entirely modern young man, however, he thought again and determined to test the theatrical mode.

But just at that moment the fair tripped into the room, and he blurted out:

"Er—Mary—or—will you—er—well?"

But Mary was far from being coy, "Oh that's right," said she, "I know you well. Why, of course, I will. Papa will be delighted!"

GOING TO THE COAST.

"A friend of mine told me once that when he went to a boarding house, he could always tell who the boarders were, for they never alluded to family matters, but sat down to the table and talked about nothing but what the son came in he would go into the sitting room to see if there were letters, and inquire after the family and show in many ways his interest in the household.

British Troop Oil Liniment is good for man or beast. Relieves pain, reduces pain, reduces swelling, allays inflammation, cures boils, burns, bruises, sprains, stiff joints, bites of insects, rheumatism, etc. A large bottle for household use.

Mr. Martin Van Remond, of Cornell University, contributed an article on "Saving Steps," which contains many useful hints in reference to economizing time and money in the home. How to Build a Home is discussed in length, and illustrations of houses of different country homes are given, together with the plan of construction, cost of material, etc. "A simple method of disposing of house sewage on the farm," has been written by an officer in the Department of Public Works, Ontario. This most important topic is given the attention it deserves, and plans are shown for cheap and convenient methods of disposing of all house wastes.

The pamphlet concludes with descriptions and illustrations of methods of home improvement with flowers. Photographs are shown of porch and yard decorations and the book generally will be appreciated by all who have the pleasure of reading it.

It Curves Corns Quickly.

Putnam's Corn Extract is warranted to cure corn without pain in a few hours. Give Putnam's a trial and you will be satisfied. It is sure, safe and painless.

The sun ought to come out occasionally if only to get the exercise.

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For Infants and Children.

The Fair Ladies' Magazine.

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