A Cough

"I have made a most thorough trial of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and am prepared to say that for all diseases of the lungs it never disappoints."

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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral won't cure rheumatism; we never said it would. It won't cure dyspepsia; we never claimed it. But it will cure coughs and colds of all kinds. We first said this sixty years ago; we've been saying it ever since.

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The Young Folks.

GHOSTS.

It isn't the thing you do, dear,
It's the thing you have left undone
Which gives you a bit of a heartache
At the setting of the sun;
The tender word forgotten,
The letter you did not write,
The flower you might have sent, dear,
Are your haunting ghosts tonight.

—Margaret E. Sangster.

HOW HE CROSSED THE BRIDGE.

The unaffected modesty which marks the best type of courage is one of the most winning traits a man can have, be he soldier or civilian. During a recent battle in the Philippines, a Kansas regiment was brought to a halt at a wrecked bridge. The trying situation is thus described by a hero of the war, Lieutenant-Colonel Little:

"As the colonel was across and my battalion at the head of the column, my bugler, Berry of Company F, and I were the first to cross.

"I've read of men crossing bridges under fire at the head of columns, and supposed the sensation was peculiar. It is not. A man simply tries to paddle along as fast as he can, and get across. I beat Berry over, but we haven't decided yet whether I was the braver or the worse scared."

SHE WOULD TRY.

At a musicale where the Rev. Thos. P. McLoughlin, known as 'the singing priest of Chinatown,' was a guest, a young woman, with a robust soprano voice did most of the entertaining. She was very proud of her accomplishments and her musical education. She sang songs in German, Italian, French and English. When she appeared to have exhausted her repertoire and the company present were wishing for a change, Father McLoughlin paid her some compliments and added:

"Why, Miss Jones, I think you could sing ad infinitum."

"I really don't know it," replied the obliging young woman "but if the music is here, I will try it."—New York Times.

ADVERTISED.

A new and verdant postmaster in a small rural town had received instructions to advertise all letters uncalled for at the end of a certain length of time. He obeyed orders by inserting the following advertisement in the village weekly paper at the end of the first week of his term of office:

There are ten letters in the postoffice that nobody has called for. If them they belong to don't take notice and call by the end of the month the letters will be sent to the dead-letter office. Anybody expecting letters they Ain't got can come and seen if any are for them. All take notice.

STRONG MEN.

The Roman soldiers, who built such wonderful roads and carried a weight of armor that would crush the average farm-hand, lived on coarse brown bread and sour wine.

They were temperate in diet and regular in exercise, says the Scientific American. The Spanish peasant works every day and dances half the night, yet eats only his black bread, onion and watermelon. The Symran eats only a little fruit and sour olives, yet he walks off with his load of one hundred pounds. The coolie, fed on rice, is more active and can endure more than the negro, fed on fat meat.

A saloon can no more be run without using up boys than a flour mill without wheat, or a saw mill without logs. The question is will you be one of them.

WHITE AND RED

Pale blood—pale face—poor health; Scott's Emulsion—red blood—rosy face—good health, that's the order of events.

Our first lines give a condensed history of many cases, chiefly young girls at school. For some reason girls of that age are frequent sufferers from pale blood—a real blood starvation

Scott's Emulsion, a clean white medicine, makes rich, red blood and rosy faces. It is blood food.

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

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto

VARIETIES.

Whatever work a boy undertakes he should do it heartily for the work's sake. The boy who rises to the top is the boy who does more than he is obliged to do, who is all-around in his intelligence, and who thinks of something besides the end of the day and his weekly wage.—Ladies' Home Journal.

A lawyer was cross-questioning an Irish woman, the point under inquiry being the relative positions of the floors, windows, etc., in a house in which a certain transaction had occurred. "And, now, my good woman," the lawyer said, "you will be good enough to tell the court how the stairway in your house is?" "How do the stairs run?" the witness replied. "Shure, whin I am upstairs they run down, and whin I am downstairs they run up."

A lady entered a shop in a thriving Northern town recently and casually asked the price of some blankets which were neatly folded on an opposite shelf. The shopman took down one after another until the counter was strewn over with a pile of unfolded blankets of various colors and prices. After tossing them a number of times the shopman said: "Well, ma'am, I hope that some of them will meet your requirements." "Well you see said the lady, hesitatingly, "that is not to-day. The fact is I'm just waiting for a friend." "Well, ma'am," said the shopman, wearily, as he viewed the chaos, "if you still have the idea that your friend is among these blankets, I'll toss them all over again."

Not long ago a Boston clergyman received an evening call from an elderly man and woman who expressed a wish to be joined in the bonds of matrimony then and there. "Have you ever been married before?" asked the clergyman of the man, an honest-eyed, weather-beaten person of seafaring aspect. "Never, and never wanted to before," was the prompt reply. "And were you ever married before?" The question came to the woman. "No, sir," she replied with equal promptness, and with a touch of humor that appealed to the clergyman at once, she added: "I never had a chance!" The marriage ceremony was speedily performed, and the clergyman refused to take any fee, telling the bride, with a twinkle in his eye, that to officiate had been a privilege which he would have been sorry to miss.

SHE SMILES WHEN SHE SPEAKS.

Some of us would be more surprised than pleased if we knew the impressions we make on the minds of those who know us only slightly. How many of your girls are remembered as pleasantly by those you meet as was the lady described in the following incident:

A lady called at a house of a neighbor on an errand: but, as the family were away, she asked the hired man to tell his employer that she would call again. Being in a hurry, and not thinking but that the man knew who she was, she did not leave her name. The lady of the house returned before the rest of the family, and the man told her that a lady had been there who said she'd call again.

"Who was it?" inquired Mrs. H.

"Oh, I don't know her name," replied the man.

"But you should have asked her," said Mrs. H., "so we would know who had been here. Can't you tell me anything by which I can know who came? Where does she live?"

"I don't know," said the man, "but she's the one that always smiles when she speaks."

The pleasant look and the courteous manner in which the lady had spoken to the servant had been noticed and remembered, leaving a sunbeam in that man's heart.

A WELL INFORMED SCHOLAR.

George Stickney, of N. H., has a boy who is coming along like a three-year-old trotter under training. Mr. Stickney asked the Superintendent of Schools when it would be advisable to send the boy to school. The superintendent said that the fall term would be a good time, but advised Mr. Stickney to teach the lad that two and two make four and how the letters of the alphabet run before he let him out.

A short time afterward the superintendent met the boy and asked him if he knew his letters.

"Sure," said the boy.

"Well, sir, what is the first letter."

"A," was the answer.

"Correct," said the superintendent. "Now, what comes after A?"

"All the rest of the push," said the boy.

Diminished Vitality.

Some people talk flippantly about diminished vitality.

They don't stop to think that vitality is the principle of life—that it is that little understood something on which every function of their bodies depends.

Diminished vitality is early indicated by loss of appetite, strength, and endurance, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the greatest vitalizer.

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"Oh, that men should put an enemy in their mouths to steal away their brains.

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Children Cry for

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Caution.

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Fagged Out.—None but those who have become fagged out, know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength is gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there is nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

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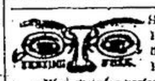
You cannot, with much success, judge a man's character by the cost of his Panama hat.



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"I always endeavor to save needless work, and, thinking that she intended making a payment to some one who would only re-deposit the money, I asked her if she intended handing all the money over to one person; if so a check marked 'good' would answer her purpose as well as the cash, besides saving labor.

"Crushing me with one disdainful look, she replied:

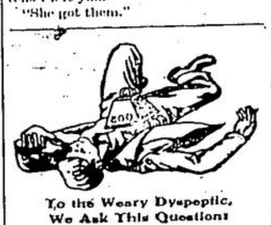
"'I wish the money.'

"The money was duly handed over in ten-dollar bills. After spending fifteen anxious minutes in her efforts to count the money, all the while licking her fingers regularly, she handed it back to me, all mixed up, with the remark:

"'I wish to leave this with you again; I just wanted to see if it was all here.'

"The following year the operation was repeated, but I was ready for her. The next time I handed her six one hundred dollar bills. Much to my confusion and complete discomfiture, she returned them saying, 'I want those I left you.'

"She got them."



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