

Mucous CATARRH

In all cases of catarrh of the nose and throat, the mucous membrane should be treated with Ely's Cream Balm. It cleanses, soothes and kills the germ. It is not drying—does not cause sneezing. Large size, 50 cents at Drug-gists or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

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Bridge Falls With Two Teams.

Who has not thought in passing over a bridge, What if it were to drop in? This is just what happened near Old Sparta last Monday with a bridge across town creek. Two teams were on the bridge when one cap sill gave way and one wagon and horses plunged into water seven feet deep. The other team fell in but broke loose from the wagon which stayed on the bridge. One driver was knocked senseless and was only rescued by the efforts of the other. One horse had a leg broken and all the others were injured. The wagon was destroyed.

Drying preparations simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head easily and pleasantly. All druggists sell it at 50c. or it will be mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

Dreyfus Affair Closed.

The pardon of Dreyfus has been officially announced to be read to the army. The most pacificatory terms are used and all are urged to consider the matter closed for the good of the French nation. Dreyfus is in France and while anxious to be vindicated is joyful over the fact that he can spend the remainder of his life with his family.

THAT THROBBING HEADACHE.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They made pure blood strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured, at Fetzler's Drug Store.

Let That Girl Alone.

"We saw a young lady out riding on her wheel a few days ago with a Smith & Wesson pistol buckled on her handle bar," says The Centerville (Ala) Press. "That woman was prepared to protect herself, and if more would follow her example there would be fewer outrages committed. A woman with a gun is dangerous."

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. M. L. Marsh & Co. will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

A New Poet.

Pigs have their time to squeal, And girls their time to dance, But the time most men will take a drink Is when they get a chance. —Blue Ridge Southern Work.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, Ohio.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly reliable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Lack of Courage.

The number of men who fail on a point of lack of courage is enormous. The number who would refuse to let go of a dollar if they know positively that it would bring back two is astonishing. Such men merely exist. They never really amount to anything.

The men who win are the men who think out the right course to pursue, and then back up their convictions with their last penny and their last ounce of energy. The first goods John Wanamaker ever sold brought him \$35. He delivered his goods in a wheelbarrow. He collected the \$35 and went directly to a newspaper office and planked it down for advertising space.

Some men would have spent \$1.50 for some cheap dodgers and "saved" the rest. They would have been wheelbarrow merchants today.—Shoe and Leather Facts.

For over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Meat Not Needed.

A scientist observes "it is a general but fallacious idea that we must eat meat to be strong, whereas the facts is that the strongest men if they eat meats at all, do so sparingly. The brute creation having no conventional artificial dietary, illustrates this. The horse is stronger than the lion, the bull than the tiger, while the strongest of all, the elephant is a strict vegetarian. For nutrition, bone and muscle forming a pound of wheat is equivalent to over three pounds of meat."

During the civil war, as well as in our late war with Spain, diarrhoea was one of the most troublesome diseases the army had to contend with. In many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor, of Wind Ridge, Greene county, Pa., is one of these. He uses Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and says he never found anything that would give him such quick relief. It is for sale by M. L. Marsh & Co., Druggist

NO CURE, NO PAY.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for chills and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults refer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c.

Reduced Railroad Rates.

On account of the Dewey celebration round trip tickets will be sold on the 25th and 27th, inst., to New York for one and one-third fare, with limit to Oct. 5th.

On account of the meeting of the General Association of the Congregational church of North Carolina tickets will be sold to Charlotte and return for \$1.05. Tickets on Sale Sept. 19, 20 and 21 with limit to 27th.

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Notice to Tax-Payers.

The tax books for 1899 have been placed in my hands for collection and all tax-payers are requested to come forward and pay their taxes at once.

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City Tax Collector.

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ODELL Southern Railway SCHEDULE.

IN EFFECT JULY THE 16TH, 1898. This condensed schedule is published as information, and is subject to change without notice to the public:

Trains leave Concord N. C.—

5:52 A. M.—No. 8, daily, for Richmond; connects at Greensboro for Raleigh and Goldsboro; at Goldsboro for Norfolk, at Danville for Washington and points North, at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and points West.

7:19 A. M.—No. 33, the New York and Florida Express, carries Pullman Sleeping Cars between New York and Augusta, New York and Tampa, Fla. and Norfolk to Charlotte.

8:49 A. M.—No. 37, daily, Washington and Southwestern limited for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans, and all points South and Southwest. Through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis. Dining car, vestibule coach, between Washington and Atlanta.

10:00 A. M.—No. 36, daily, for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North. Carries Pullman dining room buffet sleeper, New Orleans to New York; Jacksonville to New York; Pullman tourist cars from San Francisco via New Orleans and Southern Pacific Sundays and Wednesdays.

11:23 A. M.—No. 11, daily for Atlanta and all points South. Solid train, Richmond to Atlanta.

7:09 P. M.—No. 12, daily, for Richmond, Asheville, Chattanooga, Raleigh, Norfolk, and all points North.

8:51 P. M.—No. 7, daily, from Richmond, Washington, Goldsboro, Selma, Raleigh, Greensboro, Knoxville and Asheville to Charlotte, N. C.

8:51 P. M.—No. 38, daily, Washington and Southwestern limited, for Washington and all points North. Through Pullman car, Memphis to New York. New Orleans to New York. Also carries vestibule coach and dining car. Close connection at Greensboro with sleeper for Norfolk.

9:20 P. M.—No. 35, daily, for Atlanta and New Orleans, carries Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans, New York to Jacksonville and Charlotte to Atlanta; dining car. Also Pullman tourist car Washington to San Francisco, via New Orleans Tuesday and Friday.

9:45 P. M.—No. 34, daily, the New York and Florida Express, carries Pullman Sleeping Cars between Augusta and New York, Tampa, Fla. and New York and Charlotte to Richmond. Carries sleepers Charlotte to Norfolk and Greensboro.

First sections of regular through local freight trains carry passengers only to points where they stop according to schedule.

Frank S. Gannon, Third Vice-Pres. and Gen'l. Mgr., Washington, D. C.

John M. Culp, Traffic Manager, Washington, D. C.

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