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CONCORD MARKET,

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Corrected by Cannons & Fetzler

Good middling..... 7.20

Middlings..... 7.

Low middling..... 6.85

Stains..... 6

PRODUCE MARKET

Corrected by Swink & White.

Bacon..... to 75

Sugar-cured hams..... 12 to 14

Bulk meats, sides..... 5 to 7

Beeswax..... 20

Butter..... 10 to 15

Chickens..... 10 to 20

Corn..... 45

Eggs..... 12 1/2

Lard..... 7

Flour (North Carolina)..... 1 82 1/2

Meal..... 45

Oats..... 35

Tallow..... 3 to 4

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Reduced Railroad Rates.

Reduced railroad rates have been authorized for the following occasions:

North Carolina Industrial Association fair (colored) Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 10th to 14th 1896 Tickets on sale to Raleigh, N. C., and return Nov. 9th to 14th inclusive, final limit Nov. 16th, 1896. Fare for round trip \$5.50. Continuous passage in each direction.

Cumberland County Agricultural Fair, Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 10th to 13th, 1896. Tickets on sale to Fayetteville, N. C. and return Nov. 9th to 13th inclusive, final limit Nov. 16th, 1896. Fare for round trip \$4.35. Continuous passage in each direction.

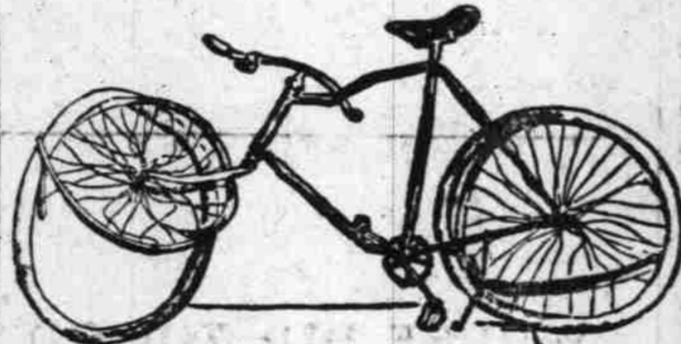
Second Pan-American Medical Congress, City of Mexico, Nov. 16th to 19th, 1896. Tickets on sale Nov. 7th to 10th, 1896, final limit Dec. 31st, 1896. One fare for round trip. Rate \$67.25. On additional charge of \$5.75 tickets may be made to read by diverse routes.

This is Your Opportunity.

On receipt of ten cents cash or stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Catarrh and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm) sufficient to demonstrate its great merit. Full size 50cts.

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Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement. "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Presbyterian Church, Helena, Mont.

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owned in St. Louis, was struck by three barrels of syrup, a tierce of lard and one barrel of vinegar. Absolutely the only uninjured parts are the saddle and the Morgan & Wright quick repair tires, which were full of air when the machine was found. Even if these tires had been punctured, unless severely torn, any one of the holes could have been repaired by the quick-repair device in them, without trouble. Riders of these tires, when they have a puncture, need only be careful to pump as much air as possible into the tire before inserting the quick-repair tool. The repair can be made in two minutes, at the roadside, without taking the tire off the rim.

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IS A

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FOR YOUR PROTECTION

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is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Cold in the Head and Hay Fever of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays pain and inflammation, heals the sores, protects the membrane from colds, restores the senses of taste and smell. A particle is applied directly into the nostrils, is agreeable. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; sample 10c. by mail.

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Faultfinding and Criticism.

Faultfinding is not criticism in the better sense of that word. The critic is a judge, and it is as much his duty to award praise as to point out defects. Ill nature is the only qualification one need to have to find fault successfully with the achievements or character of others; but one must have knowledge, insight and cultivation to see the strong as well as the weak points in a piece of handicraft, a work of art, or a human character. Jesus said: "Judge not that ye be not judged." It is not noticed by the commentators, so far as we are aware, that these words imply that the judgment we pass on others is the sure index of our own characters. The ill natured, censorious, unappreciative remark, that fastens upon faults to the neglect of excellencies, reveals infallibly the mean and narrow soul of the faultfinder. And then we find critics who do not hesitate to point out defects, but with such a comprehensive and generous recognition of what is of worth that their judgment unconsciously witnesses to the nobility and breadth of their own natures. It is a good rule to be critical but to avoid faultfinding.—Boston Watchman.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

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Miss Johnnie Rutledge, the young daughter of Mr. Robert Rutledge, put a gold ring in her mouth yesterday morning. It slipped down her throat and became lodged. For a time it looked like she would choke to death before she could get relief. After a great deal of pomeling and shaking, the ring rolled out of her mouth.—Charlotte Observer.

Train robbery is punishable by death in Arizona. The Supreme Court has just upheld the constitutionality of the statute.

When Li Hung Chang was in Glasgow he told the Scotchmen that their bagpipes reminded him of China. They can't make out whether he meant it for a compliment or not.

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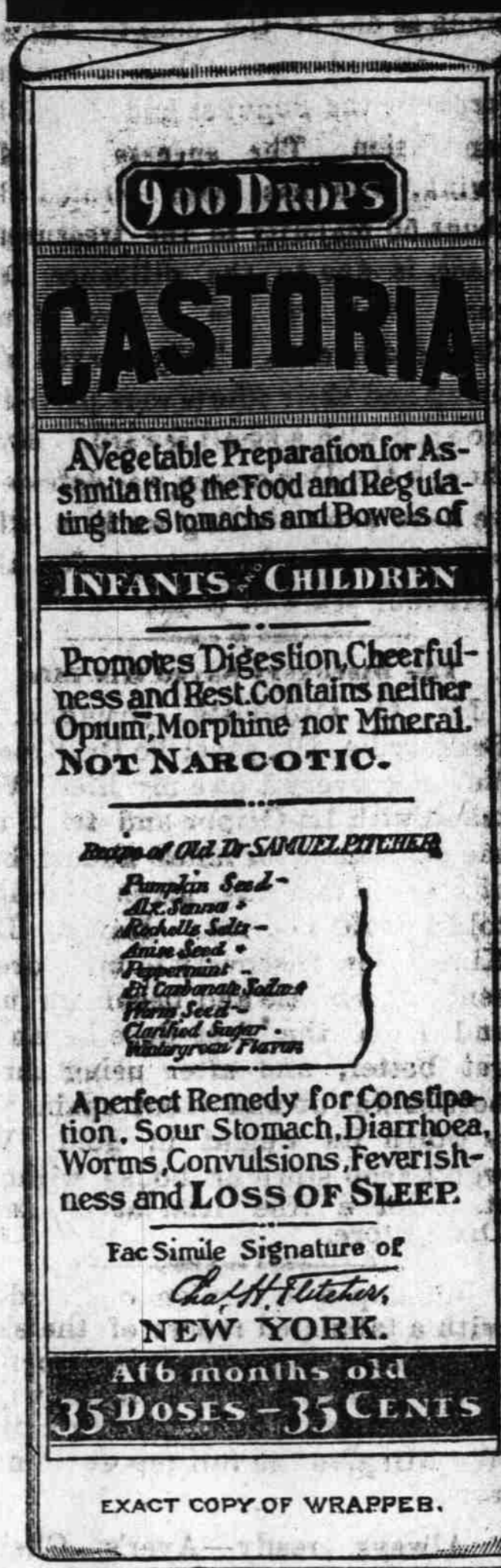


For years you and your fathers have found it of sterling worth. It is and always has been put up only by J. H. Zeilin & Co. Take none but the genuine. It has the Red Z on the front of the wrapper, and nothing else is the same, and nothing so good.

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