

1000 Knives. The surgeon's knife is being used in every direction. I became alarmed and consulted a good doctor...

Real Blood Remedy. Cancer is in the blood and it is folly to expect an operation to cure it. S.S.S. (guaranteed purely vegetable) is a real remedy for every disease of the blood.

LADIES: DO YOU KNOW DR. FELIX DE BRUN'S Steel and Pennyroyal Pills are the original and only medicine for the female system.

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Drugs, Drugs. BROMO QUININE. VERY EFFECTIVE. For Malaria, Fever, Headache, and all ailments.

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J. H. DEWDER & CO. 617 and 619 North Fourth St. NOTICE. The Durham News says that a few nights since a party of persons...

Wilmington Markets. NORTH CAROLINA. The Raleigh correspondent of The Newbern Journal writes: "The continued agitation over the Atlantic and North Carolina railroads..."

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. NEW YORK, December 31.—Money on call easy at 1 1/2 per cent. Last loan at 2 and closed offered at 2 Prime mercantile paper 3 1/4 per cent.

NEW YORK, December 31.—Speculation at the stock exchange today was characterized by extreme dullness. The feeling that prevailed at the close yesterday, on account of the sharp rise in American middling...

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NAVAL STORES. NEW YORK, December 31.—Rosen quitted, common dry turpentine steady at 25 1/2 per cent. Turpentine market firm at 25 cent, against 2 1/2 per cent for the same day last year.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE. CLEARED YESTERDAY. British schooner Bertha H. LeCain, Inagua, S. P. 244c; sailed for Boston.

STOCKS AND BONDS. NEW YORK, December 31.—Money on call easy at 1 1/2 per cent. Last loan at 2 and closed offered at 2 Prime mercantile paper 3 1/4 per cent.

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A FEARFUL TRAGEDY. Found Dead in the Parlor. St. Louis, December 31.—Joseph B. McCullagh, editor of The Globe-Democrat, was found dead on the pavement in the rear of his residence, No. 3837 West Pine boulevard, at 6:30 o'clock this morning.

The Education Question. The supreme need of the state is to better and improve its public schools. And what we need is real remedy, not a scheme of destruction.

Fatal Explosion in Coal Mine. Bay City, Mich., December 31.—An explosion occurred today at the Monitor coal mines, six miles from West Bay City. One man, named Edward Casper, was instantly killed.

Killed by an Electric Wire. Camden, N. J., December 31.—Anthony Parand, 23 years of age, of Baltimore, Md., was killed by an electric wire today while fixing an arc light in Stockton street.

A Death From Strachy. Asheville, N. C., December 31.—Last night Miss Nellie Porter of Baltimore, who has been in Asheville for several months, took an overdose of strychnia while working under melancholia and died two hours later.

Fatal Accident to Fireman. Philadelphia, December 31.—One fireman was killed and another injured by the breaking of a ladder as a fire early this morning. The fire was in a four-story building, No. 3 Strawberry street.

Backen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Itch, and all skin diseases.

Chronological Comfort. "It's glad to see you," said M. M. Barry, "that 'O'm not superstitious."

What is an "anarchist"? A citizen who wants to better his condition. "That is a patriot!" Members of syndicates who want to bleed the government and the people.

SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA. 900 DROPS. Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS - CHILDREN.

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WEAK, WEARY WOMEN AND MEN. Are peculiarly benefited by P. P. P., Lippman's Great Remedy, the most wonderful Tonic and Blood Cleanser in the world.

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