

At the Waist

Pains at the waist, back, front, or side, are nearly sure proof of female trouble. Some other signs are headache, pressing down pains, irregular functions, restlessness, cold limbs, nervousness, etc. These pains may be allayed, the system braced and the womanly functions regulated by the use of

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SKIN DISEASES HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

When the blood is pure, fresh and healthy, the skin will be soft, smooth and free from blemishes, but when some acid humor takes root in the circulation its presence is manifested by a skin eruption or disease. These humors get into the blood, generally because of an inactive or sluggish condition of the members of the body whose duty it is to collect and carry off the waste and refuse matter of the system. This unhealthy matter is left to sour and ferment and soon the circulation becomes charged with the acid poison. The blood begins to throw off the humors and acids through the pores and glands of the skin, producing Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and skin eruptions of various kinds. Eczema appears, usually with a slight redness of the skin followed by pustules from which there flows a sticky fluid that dries and forms a crust, and the itching is intense. It is generally on the back, breast, face, arms and legs, though other parts of the body may be affected. In Tetter the skin dries, cracks and bleeds; the acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, which are intended to keep it soft and pliant, causing a dry, feverish condition and giving it a hard, leathery appearance. Acne makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and black heads, while Psoriasis comes in scaly patches on different parts of the body. One of the worst forms of skin trouble is Salt Rheum; its favorite point of attack is the scalp, sometimes causing baldness. Poison Oak and Ivy are also disagreeable types of skin disease. The humor producing the trouble lies dormant in the blood through the winter to break out and torment the sufferer with the return of Spring. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and removes the humors so that the skin instead of being irritated and diseased, is nourished by a supply of fresh, healthy blood. External applications of salves, washes, lotions, etc., while they soothe the itching caused by skin affections, can never cure the trouble because they do not reach the blood. S. S. S. goes down into the circulation and forces out every particle of foreign matter and restores the blood to its normal, pure condition, thereby permanently curing every form of skin affection. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

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W. and N. C. R. R., then S. 84 W. with said railroad 16 poles to a stake in said railroad. Frank Lock's corner, then South with said Lock's line 11 poles to a stake Frank Lock's corner, then W. 54 and one-half poles to the beginning. Containing 110 acres more or less. Excepting and reserving however from the above, described boundary about 45 acres heretofore sold by said Thos. W. Setzer to one Mr. Geitner, reference being had to the said deed for a description of the said land. Said land will be sold in lots first, then as a whole.

Terms one-half cash, balance in equal payments on three and six months, with interest from date of sale. This Oct. 28, 1907.

C. A. Little,
Commissioner.

Miss Julia Stirewalt, of Mooresville, who visited Dr. and Mrs. Wharey, returned home Thursday.

STOP WOMAN AND CONSIDER

First, that almost every operation in our hospitals, performed upon women, becomes necessary because of neglect of such symptoms as Backache, Irregularities, Displacements, Pain in the Side, Dragging Sensations, Dizziness and Sleeplessness.

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Newspaper Subscription Laws
Few readers or publishers of papers fully or clearly understand the laws governing subscriptions. The decisions of the United States Court are:

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to renew their subscription.
2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their periodical the publisher may continue to send it until the arrearages are paid.
3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the postoffice to which they are addressed they are responsible until they have settled their bills and ordered them discontinued.
4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publisher and the paper is sent to the former address, they are held responsible.
5. The courts have decided that refusing to take periodicals from the office or refusing and leaving them uncalled for is prima-facie evidence of fraud.
6. If the subscribers pay in advance, they are bound to give notice at the end of the time, if they do not wish to continue taking it, otherwise the publisher is authorized to send it and the subscriber will be responsible until express notice, with payment of all arrearages, is sent to the publisher.

The latest postal laws are such that newspaper publishers can cause the arrest of anyone for fraud who takes a paper and refuses to pay for it. Under this law the man who allows his subscription to run along for some time unpaid, and orders his paper marked "refused" lays himself liable to arrest and the fine the same as for theft.—Ex.

Resolutions of the Primary Teachers' Association

In many schools over-crowded grades are a great obstacle in the way of doing the best work. This is especially true in the primary grades. The Primary Teachers' Association at its recent meeting in Asheville took account of this condition of affairs, and passed the following resolutions which show the sentiment of the teachers in the matter.

Be it resolved:

1. That the Primary Teachers of North Carolina have united their efforts, and banded themselves together in this Association for the purpose of strengthening the primary work in every county in the State, by concerted action and interchange of thought.
2. That by this mutual inter-course, we realize that to give to the children the best development mentally, physically, and spiritually, we must by some means reduce the number in each grade to a maximum of 35.
3. That in order to accomplish this we must have, and earnestly beg for, the co-operation of superintendents, school boards, and parents.
4. That the aim of this Association is to form a broader and firmer foundation upon which to build a higher and nobler citizenship for the State of North Carolina; and this can be realized only by stronger teachers and fewer children to the grade.

Rev. Dr. J. M. Wharey assisted at the installation of Rev. Byron Clarke as pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Salisbury.

Miss Paysour is a visitor at Mr. Ben Whitener's.

Judge Council continues to improve, and can walk about in the house. We trust he will soon be on his feet again.

The annual Fresh-Soph Inter-Society Debate, of Lenoir College, will be held in the college auditorium Monday evening Dec. 2nd, at 7:30 p. m. Public cordially invited.

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Horse Sense for People Who Think

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Turn this over in your mind a few times, think on the amount of truth it contains. A man may refuse to do a wrong thing because it does not tempt him—another man may be tempted by the same thing, and yield. He may contract the habit of doing this wrong thing. The man who refused, because it did not tempt him, showed no strength—none was necessary. But the man to whom it was a temptation, and who yielded, but who afterward realized the wrong, and QUIT, showed strength and was made stronger by the act. Whenever a man fights a battle and wins a victory he is made stronger.

QUIT DOING WRONG—BE STRONG.

Many men persist in the wrong of refusing adequate protection to their families, such as a good life insurance policy would afford—quit refusing—be strong—see us, or write to us.—**WE WILL HELP YOU.**

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