

## "He Won't Die"

Of consumption" is a remark often made of a fleshy man. The remark expresses the popular recognition of the fact that the sign of consumption is emaciation, the loss of flesh. On the other hand, a gain in flesh is a sure sign that wasting diseases are being cured.

Emaciated people with obstinate coughs, bleeding lungs, night-sweats and weakness, have been perfectly cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The several steps of the cure were recorded in ounces and pounds of increasing weight. When there is gain in flesh the wasting disease is being surely cured.



Mr. Will H. Whitmore, of Arden, Rockingham Co., Va., writes: "Our son contracted a deep cold about the first of July, 1899, and had a terrible cough. We called a doctor and he pronounced it irritation of the bronchial tubes, with asthmatic trouble, and he informed me that my son was liable to die at any time. He told me that if we could keep the bronchial tubes open, he might cure him, but after treating him several weeks and my son growing worse all the time, we concluded to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets.' I had seen several almost miraculous cures brought about by the use of these medicines, and of course I had wonderful faith in them. He used three bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' at home and one vial of the 'Pellets,' and was then well enough to go to West Virginia, taking a supply with him. I am just in receipt of a letter from him from which I quote: 'I am well and hardly and getting very fat.'"

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### Kodol Gives Strength

By enabling the digestive organs to digest, assimilate and transform all of the whole some food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that nourishes the nerves, feeds the tissues, hardens the muscles and recuperates the organs of the entire body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures indigestion, dyspepsia, catarrh of the stomach and all stomach disorders. J. G. Hall.

In an accident to an excursion train loaded with negroes near Sumter, S. C., Conductor Clemmons in charge of the train, and five negroes were killed.

## Paine's Celery Compound

### Cures

**DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, AND STOMACH TROUBLES.**

The tortures and evils of dyspepsia and indigestion are experienced by thousands at this time. The dyspeptic's train of evils may be enumerated as follows: feelings of dizziness, languor, nervousness, sleeplessness, headache, distension of the stomach, loss of flesh, difficult breathing, and the action of the heart is seriously affected.

All forms of dyspepsia are quickly banished by the use of Paine's Celery Compound. The use of this marvelous medicine allays the inflammation of the nerves centered about the stomach; it opens up the sewers of the body and removes all waste matters; it cleanses the blood; it makes new nerve fibers; it restores digestive power, and promotes bodily strength and activity. Mr. Fred. Ross, Clarendon, Iowa, briefly writes about his happy experience with Paine's Celery Compound as follows:—

"It gives me great pleasure to testify to the merits of Paine's Celery Compound. I can candidly and honestly say it is the best medicine in the world. Two years ago I was suffering from indigestion and nervousness, and was so run down that I could hardly walk without help. I used two bottles of Paine's Celery Compound and got better almost from the first dose, and have had no use for medicine since. I was completely cured."

When a hat, a good dress, or other garment is a little faded and old in fashion it need not be thrown away. Color it with **DIAMOND DYES.**

We have a special department of advice, and will answer free any questions about dyeing. Send sample of goods when possible. Direction book and 15 dyed samples free. **DIAMOND DYES, Burlington, Vt.**

### Interesting to Asthma Sufferers.

Dani Bante of Ottumwa, Iowa, writes: "I have had asthma for three or four years and have tried about all the cough and asthma cures in the market and have received treatment from physicians in New York and other cities, but got very little benefit until I tried Foley's Honey and Tar which gave me immediate relief and I will never be without it in my house. I sincerely recommend it to all. For sale by R. L. Hamilton."

When a note goes to protest the holder does a little protesting on his own account.

### A Serious Mistake.

E. C. DeWitt & Co. is the name of the firm who make the genuine Witch Hazel. DeWitt's is the Witch Hazel Salve that heals without leaving a scar. It is a serious mistake to use any other. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, burns, bruises, eczema and all skin diseases. J. G. Hall.

It's much easier to live within your than it is to live without it.

Doubtless you are progressive. Some medicines on the market are old fashioned. Rheumacide, the great rheumatic cure is a discovery, a progressive remedy. It is the spring blood purifier that you want. At Druggists.

In the Ohio Republican convention Mark Hanna delivered an address, paying high tribute to President Roosevelt.

Disease takes no summer vacation. If you need flesh and strength use

**Scott's Emulsion** summer as in winter. Send for free sample. **SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.** 409-415 Pearl Street, N. Y. sec. and 50c.; all druggists.

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THURSDAY, - - - JUNE 11, 1903.

### SNAP SHOT FROM PRESS.

The mugwump has tumbled to the popular horse-laugh and gone away back and sat down again.—Atlanta Constitution.

How would it do for people to circulate a petition asking the Governor to keep some men in the penitentiary.—Durham Herald.

From what we can learn Mr. Haywood should be thankful that the people of Raleigh will not tell all they know.—Durham Herald.

The Anglers' Amalgam Association of Wilmington are now preparing a new volume of fish stories. They are said to be strong as lye.—Star.

The prosperity of the farmers of Indiana is shown by the fact that their earnings deposited in the State banks have created such a surplus that the money cannot be loaned.

The two witnesses in the Haywood case who had a flight showed good sense in using their fists instead of pistols. This plan is much less expensive and not nearly so dangerous.—Star.

Notwithstanding the fact that cotton is bringing 13 cents on the Kingston market not a single bale has been offered for sale in several weeks. There isn't any in the country.—Kingston Free Press.

The people of New York State will soon vote on a proposition to spend fifty million dollars for better roads, and the proposition is likely to carry. Nothing takes like money when it comes to making bad roads good.

The Durham Herald says much in this small compass: The present condition should teach the mills to buy their cotton from the farmers when they have it for sale and not depend upon securing the supply from the speculators.

One of the things we would like to know—what does the man who is chopping cotton with a hoe bought on credit think of the men who have made millions by manipulating the crop since it left his hands.—Florida Times-Union.

Assessing and listing property for taxation is now on; and property—real and personal—is worth less today in North Carolina than it has been in a year. It always shrinks mightily during the month of June. People who were supposed to be fairly well off in this world's goods are found to be very poor when the tax books are examined.

A Massachusetts man, now living in San Francisco, wants a divorce because his wife persists in keeping cats after he had killed a hundred or more of them. The more he killed the cats came back, and more of them. The cats were of all sizes, ages, breeds and conditions, a regular cat nursery. To get rid of the cats he gave his wife money enough to go home, and now he wants a divorce.

The State Board of Agriculture has adopted for use in the public schools in the State a text-book on agriculture written by Prof. Buckett, Stevens and Hill, of the Agricultural and Mechanical College. The book is both simple and comprehensive. It will serve also for a book on nature study. The authors claim that real nature study is a preparation for agriculture, and that the two should go together.

A gentle maid from Kansas recently astonished a would-be masquerader who had sat down beside her in a crowded car and absent-mindedly put his arm around her. The maid looked serenely in front of her and jabbed a hat-pin into the offending arm good and deep. The masquerader's fearsome yell betrayed him. "That is the kind of girl to take one's hat off to, in a street-car or an elevator or any other old crowded place."

The South is warned to prepare for the Cleveland storm. With thanks we desire to say that the South needs no preparation for such a cataclysm—she clings to the platform under all circumstances like a "possum to the tossing limb—with claws and teeth and eke a claspin tail. The winds may blow and the boys shake that tree, but the South knows that tearing dogs lurk below, and that when "the tall-hold breaks" there will be a banquet of the eaters in which she cannot play a part save as the victim.—Florida Times-Union.

The Greensboro Record philosophically sums up the situation in this way: We do a lot of grumbling at the Almighty when He don't send rain every time we squeal, but things always turn out all right of course. For instance, there was a superabundance of rain early in the spring and the wheat got wrong. Then it quit raining and there was a yell about vegetation, yet it did not perish. In the meantime the dry, hot weather brought out the wheat, knocked the rust from it and otherwise brought it out of the kinks. Then it rained and everybody is lovely.

The flood situation at Kansas City is improving; the damage to property will amount to millions of dollars and the loss of life will never be accurately known.

### Haywood Bailed by His Friend Judge Douglas.

After about a week examining witnesses on both sides in the Ernest Haywood case for the murder of Ludlow Skinner, in Raleigh, before Judges Douglas and Walker, Haywood was released on a bond of \$10,000.

### THE DIVISION.

North Carolina, Wake County. In the matter of Ernest Haywood, Petitioner.

This is an application for bail upon the return of a writ of habeas corpus heretofore issued by me at the instance of the petitioner. The State was represented by Solicitor Walter E. Daniel and associate counsel and the defendant by his counsel, Judge Walker, at my request, sat with me. After a careful consideration of all the testimony and argument of counsel, we are of the opinion that, as the case is presented to us, under the rule laid down in State vs. Herndon, 17, N. C., 324, the petitioner is entitled to bail.

It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the petitioner, Ernest Haywood, give bond with good and sufficient sureties in the sum of \$10,000 conditioned as required by law for his appearance at the next term of the Superior Court of the county of Wake to answer the indictment now pending against him, and upon approval of the said bond by me or by the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county, the Sheriff will release the prisoner from custody.

It is further adjudged that the costs of the State in this proceeding be paid by the county of Wake and that the petitioner pay his own costs, the said costs to be taxed by the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county, including the usual fees of the officers.

### R. M. DOUGLAS,

Justice of the Supreme Court of N. C. June 3rd, 1903.

The bond was really for \$75,000. The bondsmen were Alfred W. Haywood, Hubert Haywood and Edgar Haywood, brothers of the defendant, \$10,000 each; Dr. F. J. Haywood, a cousin, \$5,000; William M. Saunders, of Johnson county; Henry E. Mitchell, Joseph F. Ferral and W. Z. Black, \$10,000 each. It required only 25 minutes to read the decision and give the bond. As soon as the decision was rendered several persons gathered around the defendant and shook hands with him, and many more did so after the bond had been prepared and the judge had directed the Sheriff to release him. In a minute or two more Haywood, accompanied by his brothers, walked to a carriage in front of the court house and was then driven, along quiet streets, to his home on Newbern avenue.

### Warning.

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases. For sale by R. L. Hamilton.

Two Paragraphs from Hon. Walter Page's Speech at A. and M. College.

A man who makes a bad buggy or who builds a poor house, scratches a poor farm, or does anything badly—he makes us all poorer. He pulls down the level of our life. The only substance that most men have is their labor. It is the most precious substance that anybody can have—the best gift of God. The man that wastes his labor throws his own life away, and he wastes the time and degrades the standard of all other men who have to do with him. Every inefficient man is a burden on the State. On the other hand a man who does a thing well—makes a buggy, builds a house, preaches a sermon, or tills an acre—he is the wise man and the only wise man, and the only useful man in the State. He is saved—he saves himself—he is the only man worth saving. He saves the community. He is the only man that makes the community worth living in.

Our history has been but a fleeting chapter of men's first deeds in a wilderness. The one stable thing—the one lasting thing that we know in all God's universe is the soil that we stand on. That is North Carolina—these rolling hills that were here when our ancestors dressed in skins and lived in caves; these sand slopes that lead eastward to the sea, these uplands that rise to our mountains. These are all fertile, each in its own way and each according to the knowledge that men bring to their culture. These are North Carolina, and you will be the first North Carolina.

Black Hair

"I have used your Hair Vigor for five years and am greatly pleased with it. It certainly restores the original color to gray hair. It keeps my hair soft."—Mrs. Helen Kilkenny, New Portland, Me.

Ayer's Hair Vigor has been restoring color to gray hair for fifty years, and it never fails to do this work, either. You can rely upon it for stopping your hair from falling, for keeping your scalp clean, and for making your hair grow. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

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Rheumacide

Continues to make Miraculous Cures

READ THIS LETTER: ALMOST A MIRACLE.

DILLON, S. C., Aug. 18th, 1902. Gentlemen:—In September, 1899, I took rheumatism in a very bad form. In a month after the disease started I had to give up my work and go to bed. It continued to grow worse until my arms and hands were badly drawn, so much so that I could not use them. My legs were drawn back until my feet touched my hips. I was as helpless as a baby for nearly twelve months. The muscles of my arms and legs were hard and shriveled up. I suffered death many times over. Was treated by six different physicians in McColl, Dillon and Marion, but none of them could do me any good, until Dr. J. P. Ewing, of Dillon, came to see me. He told me to try your "RHEUMACIDE." He got me one bottle of the medicine and I began to take it and before the first bottle was used up I began to get better. I used five and a half bottles and was completely cured. That was two years ago, and my health has been excellent ever since. Have had no symptoms of rheumatism. I regard "RHEUMACIDE" as by far the best remedy for rheumatism on the market. I cannot say too much for it. I have recommended it to others since and it has cured them.

Will say further, that I began to walk in about six days after I began to take "RHEUMACIDE" and the aid of crutches. In about three months after I began to take it, I could walk as good as anybody, and went back to work again. Very truly, JAMES WILKES. All Druggists, or sent express prepaid on receipt of \$1.00. Bobbitt Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

Illians worthy of this fertile marvel of creation, if you win the wealth it offers—the wealth of food, of refreshment for the spirit, of serenity and breadth of mind. Your civilization depends on this—Whether the man behind the plow be a clodhopper, or a systematic scholar of the soil.

### A German's Advertisement.

A German citizen lost his horse, and went to a newspaper to have it advertised there. The editor asked him what he wished to say about it. "Yust put it in vat I told you," replied the man. The editor was all attention. "Dis vas vat you dit say, ain't it? Vell, yet? So! One nite de udder day about a week ago last munde I hears me a noise py der front middle of der pack yart which didn't use to be, so I jumps to ped, and runs mit der door out, and ven I am so I finds my pig cray Iron mare he vas tied loose and running mit der stable off. Whoefor prings him shill pay me five tollors revart! Is not dat so?"

Mr. Joseph Pomerville, of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex. Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so, and is a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation give these Tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25c per box by all druggists.

It is often difficult to live up to one's reputation of being a bad man.

### Do You Enjoy What You Eat?

If you don't your food does not do you much good. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the remedy that every one should take when there is anything wrong with the stomach. There is no way to maintain the health and strength of mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomach. The stomach must be kept healthy pure and sweet or the strength will let down and disease will set up. No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, sour risings, rifting indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. J. G. Hall.

While a flirt runs after a man the demur madd wins in a walk.

### Ladies and Children Invited.

All ladies and children who cannot stand the shocking strain of laxative syrups, cathartics, etc., are invited to try the famous Little Early Risers. They are different from all other pills. They do not purge the system. Even a double dose will not grip, weaken or sicken; many people call them the Easy Pills. W. H. Howell, Houston, Texas, says nothing better can be used for constipation, sick headache etc. Bob Moore, Lafayette, Ind., says all others grip and sicken, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work well and easy. J. G. Hall.

Imaginary trouble is often harder to bear than the real thing.

### Was Wasting Away.

The following letter from Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." For sale by R. L. Hamilton.

A Georgia woman defended her reputation a few days ago by knocking a man down with her parasol.

No good health unless the kidneys are sound. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys right. For sale by R. L. Hamilton.

The birthday of Jefferson Davis was observed at Richmond, Va., Wednesday.

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(TEETHING POWDERS)  
Cures Cholera-Infantum, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, and the Bowel Troubles of Children of Any Age. Aids Digestion, Regulates the Bowels, Strengthens the Child and Makes TEETHING EASY.  
Costs Only 25 cents at Druggists, or mail 25 cents to C. J. MOFFETT, M. D., ST. LOUIS, MO., Columbus, Ga., Aug. 24, 1872.  
DR. C. J. MOFFETT—Dear Doctor: We gave your TEETHINA (Teething Fooders) to our little grand child with the happiest results. The effect were almost magical, and certainly more satisfactory than from anything we ever used. Yours very truly, JOSEPH S. KEY, Pastor of St. Paul Church.

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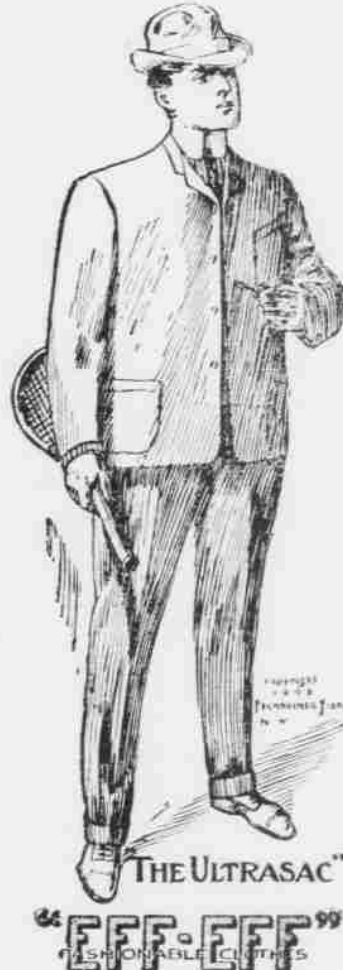
## GREAT WASH GOODS SEASON

And every price and pattern and style is represented in our large stock and new styles arriving and to arrive.

With most women style is paramount. We've got the stylish things. New things come out in New York, pretty soon they are in Oxford, and nine times out of ten you will find them in our stock. We keep up with what is worn and how it is worn. We try to suit you in every respect, and every piece of goods that goes out of our store must be satisfactory or money refunded. No insisting upon trading amount out in something you do not want.

Below we give you a few special prices on articles picked up in different departments and well worthy of your consideration for they are below actual value: 500 yards wash Jap silk at 25 cents. 25 dozen huck towels at 25 cents per pair. Two pieces 72 inch all-linen damask at 50 cents. 25 white quilts at 90 cents each, extra good value. 1,500 yards extra heavy brown domestic at 5 and 6 1/4 cents. Bought when cotton was low, will sell at old price while it lasts. To arrive this week 500 yards new and stylish lawns to sell at 5 and 6 cents. 500 yards all-silk-wave ribbon at 12 1/2 cents per yard, all shades, worth 18 cents per yard. 500 yards all-silk wash ribbon at 16 3/4 cents per yard, all shades, worth 21c. White madras and piques in a large assortment for summer shirt waists.

## A WINNER.



We clothe a man complete from head to foot in a stylish All-wool Flannel Suit, a pair of shoes, latest toe, a shirt in any color, a nice plain or rough straw hat, a suit of underwear, a stylish pair of fancy half hose, a nice pair of suspenders and a neat midget or four-in-hand tie all for the small sum of

**\$9.95**

Call early before they are picked over as we do not expect them to last long at this price.

## MILLINERY.

Some special things are being shown in this department and a standing order in New York and Baltimore insures our getting all the latest and best things as they come out. New and stylish hats arrive almost daily.

# LANDIS & EASTON.

**Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic**  
has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c. Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root, Liver Pills.