

CATARH

Catarh has become such a common disease that a person entirely free from this distressing complaint is seldom met with. It is customary to speak of Catarh as nothing more serious than a bad cold, a simple inflammation of the nose and throat. It is, in fact, a complicated and very dangerous disease; if not at first, it very soon becomes so.

The blood is quickly contaminated by the foul secretions, and the poison through the general circulation is carried to all parts of the system.

Salves, washes and sprays are unsatisfactory and disappointing, because they do not reach the seat of the trouble. S. S. S. does. It cleanses the blood of the poison and eliminates from the system all catarrhal secretions, and thus cures thoroughly and permanently the worst cases.

Mr. T. A. Williams, a leading dry-goods merchant of Spartanburg, S. C., writes: "For years I had a severe case of catarrh, with all the disagreeable effects which belong to that disease, and which made life painful and unendurable. I used all the medicines prescribed by leading physicians and suggested by numerous friends, but without getting any better. Then I began to take S. S. S. It had the desired effect, and I cured me after taking eighteen bottles. In my opinion S. S. S. is the only medicine now in use that will effect a permanent cure of catarrh."

SSS is the only purely vegetable blood purifier known, and the great rest of all blood medicines and tonics.

If you have catarrh don't wait until it becomes deep-seated and chronic, but begin at once the use of S. S. S., and send for our book on Blood and Skin Diseases and write our physicians about your case.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

RAILWAY MAPS.

A Disgruntled Passenger's Comments on the Standard Line Variety.

"Look at that," said an ill-natured passenger, pointing to a large map on the wall of the railway station. "Isn't that an abominable fraud?"

"What's the matter with it?" asked his mild companion.

"Look how it is distorted," said the other. "There is a map of a railway system from Chicago to New York. It is made to appear as following a straight line between these two cities, and yet on the map it appears to pass through every large town within 500 miles of that line."

"Just notice that towns like Cincinnati and Cleveland are so misplaced as to appear only a few miles apart, and Nashville, Tenn., is pulled 500 miles from its real location. I wonder they have not transported New Orleans a thousand miles northeast, so as to bring it on the line of their railway fraud."

"Congress ought to take hold of this fraud," he continued, "and punish heavily every railroad that issues a distorted map."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Sir Boyle Roche's Bulls.

Sir Boyle Roche was the father of "bulls." It was he that asserted that "the best way to avoid danger is to meet it plump." At another time in conveying a warm invitation to a friend he remarked, "I hope, my lord, if ever you come within a mile of my house that you'll stay there all night."

He may have been the fool of the Grattan parliament, but there was a great deal of native shrewdness hidden away behind all his foolishness. To Curran when the latter once exclaimed in the midst of a debate that he needed aid from no one and could be "guardian of his own honor" Sir Boyle instantly interjected his sarcastic congratulations to the honorable member on his possession of a sinucure. But possibly the gem of his rhetoric was the picture which he conjured up on one occasion to bring home to his hearers the excesses of the French revolutionary mob.

"Here, perhaps, sir, the murderous marshall law men (Marseilles) would break in, cut us to mince and throw our bleeding heads on that table to stare us in the face."—London Express.

German Ambassador Affair.

Washington, March 13.—The Von Holleben affair is causing a great discussion in diplomatic circles despite the denial of those in authority. The ambassador expresses his willingness to meet and refute the charges if the State Department so desires. No refutation has been requested.

Oysters on Half Shell. Ale and Beer.

Quail on Toast. Rhine Wine.

Cold Turkey and Cranberry Sauce. Lettuce. Celery. Olives.

Mallard Duck with Jelly. White Potatoes. Asparagus. Green Peas. Sherry Wine.

Chicken Salad. Lobster Salad. Frozen Roman Punch. Cafe Noir.

Crackers and Cheese. Nuts. Salted Almonds.

Champagne.

After full justice had been done to the gods of the Menn, chairs were drawn back, and the following toast program was given to the thorough enjoyment of all:

"Bid Adieu to Grave Pursuits, Enjoy the Pleasures of the Passing Day."

Toast Master. Mr. Tom C. Daniels.

"Proclaim the Laws of Fatal ite I am Monarch of the Board tonight."

"You are Very Welcome to our house, it must appear in other way than words."

Mr. E. M. Green.

"The faults of our Brothers we write upon the sands, Their virtues on the tablets of Our Memory."

"The 11 O'clock Toast."

Mr. Wm. J. Bellamy.

"To Our Absent Brothers: Living—Success attend them: Dead—May they Rest in Peace."

I Know One Sure Remedy for an obstinate cold. Its name is Pray-Salmon.

B. P. O. E.

New Bern Lodge of Elks Regularly Installed.

Busy Afternoon Installing Members. Banquet at Hotel Hazelton.

Visiting Elks Present. Officers and Members New Bern Lodge.

Purple and White. It's the Elks. And judging from everything seen, and there was abundant evidence in sight, yesterday was Elks Day in this city.

Strictly speaking the Day commenced in Goldsboro Thursday night, when the New Bern committee arrived in that city, greeted their brethren from other points, and were taken in charge by the Goldsboro contingent of expected-to-be Lodge of Elks.

And while the great purposes of Elkhood had not been divulged to the New Bern delegation, yet the committee of reception gave every sign of being eligible to the ranks of Elks, for they showed no stagnant blood, but instead an engaging hospitality that won the hearts of their guests.

The parlor car Vance had been provided, and in this car the reception committee and visiting Elks made an enjoyable trip to this city from Goldsboro.

And New Bern became an Elk City shortly after 11 a. m.

A cardinal principle of Elkhood is that it is a clan whose blood circulates.

Hence the process of installing the New Bern Lodge members, yesterday, was said to be a pleasant undertaking.

At least no newly installed member complained of lack of circulation.

It was a busy afternoon with the visiting Elks, although no New Bern member complained of any special quietness.

It was the way of Elkhood, and while no hot sands have to be crossed by the candidate seeking membership, yet there are crosses to be borne, trials to be endured, temptations to be resisted, before the green fields are reached, and the rocky road has been passed, and the newly installed Elk can rest his tired hoofs, and take up his insignia, which gives him the privilege of doing unto others as he has been done—by those who watched his troublous entrance into Elkhood.

It is a great order, so say they who rested after the weariness of the day, and sat down at last night's banquet.

Another cardinal principle of Elkhood, there are no hungry Elks.

And this principle was fully lived up to for nothing could have been farther away at the close of the banquet last night, than hunger.

It was a memorable day, March 14th, 1902, for with the dashing about of Elks, the Purple and White, appearing on every side, there could be no tired feeling of spring time.

It seemed like a return of the Fair season, when every one had to hustle or get run down.

And the Day began in Goldsboro on Thursday night, ended in New Bern Saturday, a. m.

It is All Day with Elks. There are no hours of darkness.

They are free disabersers of the cheer which knows no dark place.

It is always sunshine in the realms of Elkhood.

The Installation banquet of the New Bern Lodge of Elks, last night at Hotel Hazelton, was a splendid affair.

The dining room was trimmed with festoons of purple and white, the Elks colors, while vines and flowers filled up all spaces left vacant.

The banquet table was in the shape of a huge "E" to which seventy-five sat down to the following menu:

Martini Cocktail.

Oysters on Half Shell. Ale and Beer.

Quail on Toast. Rhine Wine.

Cold Turkey and Cranberry Sauce. Lettuce. Celery. Olives.

Mallard Duck with Jelly. White Potatoes. Asparagus. Green Peas. Sherry Wine.

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"The Object of the Order."

Mr. H. J. Gerken, "Our Glories float between the earth and Heaven Like clouds that seem Pavilions of the Sun."

The visiting Elks present were, H. J. Gerken, District Deputy, Wilmington.

C. F. Harvey, Kinston. E. H. Stevenson, Kinston. H. D. Springer, Wilmington. Jack Bellamy, Wilmington.

E. W. Fetzer, Charlotte. Frank P. Tarrentine, Wilmington. Geo. V. Harrell, Wilmington.

W. A. Mitchell, Kinston. W. D. La Roque, Jr., Kinston. W. C. Swift, Kinston.

C. Ostinger, Kinston. T. C. Dunn, Kinston. Ike W. Solomon, Wilmington.

Ernest E. Levy, Wilmington. W. B. Coleman, Kinston. Will Auspaugh, Newport, Ky.

F. S. Vaughn, Winston. F. R. Hyman, Raleigh. J. E. Taylor, Wilmington.

W. J. Bellamy Jr., Wilmington. E. J. Bear, Wilmington. Thos. B. Carroll, Wilmington.

C. W. Polvogt, Wilmington. The folk wing are the officers of New Bern Lodge and members.

J. H. Weddell, Exalted Ruler. George Green, Esteemed Leading Knight.

E. W. Rosenthal, Esteemed Loyal Knight. Clyde Eby, Esteemed Lecturing Knight.

Tom C. Daniels, Esquire. J. G. Dunn, Secretary. Jas. Redmond, Treasurer.

Wm. Dunn, O. Marks, M. M. Marks, H. R. Marks, W. B. Allen, O. H. Gulon, C. Gordon Tunstall, R. G. Lukens, Dan M. Roberts, Jesse Claypoole, S. W. Hancock, S. S. Biddle, E. M. Green, R. A. Nunn, Dr. J. W. Duguld, E. Ellis Williams, H. R. Bryan, Jr., Tom D. Carraway, A. T. Land, members.

The following were out of town but will be installed later.

W. E. Smith, Dr. R. S. Primrose, J. Leo Burns, W. R. Gulon.

DIED

At Murphysboro, Ill. March 13, 1902, Mrs. Sarah A. Groves, in the 60th year of her age. She leaves three children, H. M. Groves, of this city, James S. Groves, of Norfolk, Va., and Mrs. J. W. Brady, of Murphysboro, Ill. Funeral will be held at Cedar Grove Cemetery upon arrival of the A. & N. C. R. R. train this Saturday afternoon.

"If I Could Get Rid

of this abominable cold," exclaimed the sufferer, when the end of a spasm of coughing gave him a chance to talk. The way out of the trouble is plain. Take Allen's Lung Balm before the merciless grip of the cold has fastened upon throat and lungs. After a few doses the cough is easier and less frequent, and a complete cure is but the question of a little time.

Steamer Reported Wrecked.

Halifax, March 12.—It is reported that the Allan line steamship Huronian, which left Glasgow for St. John's, N. B., on February 11th and has not since been reported, was wrecked off Sable Island. The government steamer Aberdeen has gone to investigate.

Disabled Steamer Reported.

New York, March 12.—Captain Montano, of the steamer Bardaga, arrived today and reported that he spoke the Red Star liner Westerland four hundred miles east of Sandy Hook yesterday. She had her crank pin broken.

Practically Starving.

"After using a few bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure my wife received relief and permanent relief from a severe and chronic case of stomach trouble," says J. R. Holly, real estate, insurance and loan agent, of Macomb, Ill. "Before using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she could not eat an ordinary meal without intense suffering. She is now entirely cured. Several physicians and many remedies had failed to give relief. You don't have to diet. Eat any good food you want, but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will always digest it for you." F. S. Duffy.

Street Cars Running.

Norfolk, March 12.—The street cars are running unguarded here. The strikers are holding out, but it is believed they are beaten. It is believed the troops will begin to leave tonight.

Charged With Grave Crime.

Washington, March 13.—The capital is shocked at the arrest of Dr. Hagner one of the most prominent physicians of the city charged with manslaughter. He is accused with placing a living child in a barrel.

Boers Release Bethuen.

London, March 13.—War Secretary Brodrick announced in the House of Commons today that he had a dispatch that General Lord Methuen had been freed and was expected to arrive at Klerksdorp to day.

For The Complexion.

The complexion always suffers from biliousness or constipation. Unless the bowels are kept open the impurities from the body appear in the form of unsightly eruptions. Do Witt's Little Early Riser keep the liver and bowels in healthy condition and remove the cause of such troubles. C. E. Hooper, Albany, Ga., writes, "Do Witt's Little Early Riser for Biliousness. They were just what I needed. I am feeling better now than I have." Never gripe or distress. Safe thorough and gentle. The very best pills. F. S. Duffy.

WASHINGTON LETTER

[Special Correspondence.]

Senator John T. Morgan of Alabama is said to have more general information stored away in his head than any other member of the United States senate. Although he has devoted the most of his time for years to the isthmian canal question, he has found opportunity to keep track of everything else that was going on in Washington. When the other members of the senate want to find out anything, they ask Morgan.

The other day during a discussion of the interoceanic canal bill one of the members of the committee asked Senator Morgan what were the provisions of a certain treaty with France which had worked itself into the controversy. Much to their surprise, the senator did not answer, but sent his clerk to Senator Culion's room for a copy of the volume containing a compilation of the treaties entered into by this nation with foreign governments. When the clerk returned, Mr. Morgan laboriously looked up the treaty in question in the index and then proceeded to enlighten the other senators. He held the open book before him while he repeated the provisions of the treaty, but the other senators noticed that not once did he glance at the printed page while he was reciting the provisions.

"Why did you send for the book if you knew the text of the treaty by heart?" asked Senator Elkins.

"Well," replied Morgan, "I could not remember for the life of me whether it began with 'This' or 'A,' and I wanted to make sure."

An embarrassing report. Secretary Shaw has suffered annoyance through the publication in the eastern press of statements concerning his wealth. The newspapers of the east have contained exaggerated accounts of his financial condition, his wealth being estimated at various amounts over \$1,000,000, and that these misstatements are causing the new secretary, real annoyance is not doubted, for the reason that he has referred to them many times in his talks with friends.

In pointing out the embarrassments which will come to him through the false stories concerning his wealth, Secretary Shaw said:

"I find upon striking a balance that I am possessed of this world's goods to the amount of \$125,000—not more. If the impression gains ground in Washington circles that I am a millionaire, I will be expected to entertain accordingly, and therefore I have to contemplate seeing the modest accumulations of a lifetime disappear before the end of my official term is reached."

How He Acquired Knowledge. Senator Pettus of Alabama, the oldest man in the senate, quotes the Bible, Shakespeare and Bunyan constantly in conversation and in his speeches. The other day, after he had fired a Biblical quotation at Senator Burrows, the Michigan senator asked him how he attained such familiarity with the Scriptures.

"Well," drawled Senator Pettus, "when I was a young man, in 1840, I rode on horseback from Selma to San Francisco. I had a complete library in my saddlebags—a copy of the Bible, a copy of Shakespeare and a copy of Bunyan's 'Pilgrim's Progress.' I read and reread those books as I jogged along on my horse and by the light of the campfires at night. I know them all three backward and forward, and that's why I quote from them so often."

Walsh Bought the Church. The Foundry Methodist church, at Fourteenth and F streets, desired to move to another part of the city. John F. Walsh, the Colorado millionaire, who is buying much property in Washington, had his eye on the church corner and dropped into the church one night while an ice cream social was in progress. He astonished the young ladies by the prodigality of his expenditure. Finally the pastor came around. Mr. Walsh introduced himself.

"I'm having a good time," he said. "I like to buy things. Have you anything else for sale?"

"Nothing except this church property," replied the pastor.

"All right," replied Walsh. "I'll take that too."

And he did, paying \$201,000 therefor.

Short, but Eloquent. The maiden speech of Senator Kittredge of South Dakota, delivered a few days ago, was not a long or an especially thoughtful effort. He had not wasted days or weeks in the careful compilation of important statistics, nor had he ransacked the dusty volumes of the Congressional library for tedious essays on statesmanship. In fact, Mr. Kittredge was very brief. He merely said:

"I ask unanimous consent to consider the bill which increases the limit of cost of the public building at Aberdeen, S. D."

But as this utterance was, it proved effective. In less than two minutes the senate had agreed that the public building in Mr. Kittredge's town should cost \$175,000 more than originally intended. No wonder the South Dakota senator smiled as he noted the pleasing effect of his oration.

Rough Riders Have Right of Way. President Roosevelt's fondness for the members of his rough rider regiment has come to be a joke with the men who go to the White House often. One day last week Senator Lodge went into the reception room. The president was there.

"Mr. President," said Mr. Lodge humbly, "I would like to speak with you a moment, provided of course there are no rough riders around."

CARL SCHOFIELD.

A Prominent Suicide. New York, March 13.—Andrew E. Witrous, leading editorial writer of the New York Press, and one of the best known journalists in this country, committed suicide to day.

Rhodes Losing Strength. London, March 13th.—The British South African company to day received a cable from Cape Town saying that Cecil Rhodes passed a restless night which greatly lowered his strength.

HINTS FOR FARMERS

Why Corn Ears Don't Fill Out.

After all that has been said and written about the corn not filling well on the cob the past season I have not seen the real cause given even by our ablest writers. They have given as the cause that the tassels were burned and killed by the great heat before the pollen ripened. By careful examination we found plenty of pollen even in the worst tassel killed fields.

The real cause of damage was the scorching of the silks. It should be understood that every grain has a silk; that each silk is a hollow tube catching the pollen and carrying it up to the cob, forming a grain. The outer silks on the end extend back and form the grains at the butt of the ear and, being on the outer side, were more exposed to heat than the inner and shorter ones which form grains at the small end of the ear and hence were more damaged, causing in a great degree more damage to the butt than the rib of the ear. It has been proved by experiment that a greater yield can be obtained if the tassel is removed from every other row before the ripening of the pollen. It is known that nature is very generous in her ways and that one tassel will pollinize every stalk for many yards.—Jacob Lovins in Breeder's Gazette.

Starting Plants Under Glass.

It may seem expensive to start plants under glass, yet many seasons it is the cheapest method. By this plan we are better able to fight the insects; also we can protect the plants during an unexpected cold wave. Perhaps pieces of inverted sod are as good material as any for the beginner. Cut it in blocks from three to four inches square. Whether to use any manure in the bed depends upon the season. The more manure is used the greater caution must be exercised in ventilation.

Last year we started a few lima beans in sod. They did very well. We never started tomatoes in sod. They can be readily transplanted without receiving much check. Years ago some of our gardeners used to start their real early tomatoes in sod. Transplanting a few times from one bed to another is perhaps as advantageous as a piece of sod. Whatever plants we start under glass the final result will be a failure unless we perfectly harden the plants before setting them out in the open field.—A. Shriver in National Stockman and Farmer.

Good and Bad Stock. As we read in the stock market reports of sales of high grade steers selling at almost \$7 per hundredweight we wonder how those poor fellows feel who sell for \$3.50 or less. We know how we should feel if we had an orchard that bore only older apples worth 25 cents a barrel, while our neighbor was selling his fruit at \$3 and \$4. We should want to grub out those worthless trees and set an orchard of better varieties if we could not do better by grafting the old trees. If we had a lot of scrub stock that we had to accept half price for, we would either sell the lot and buy better or we should select the best of them and grade up by putting a pure bred male and keep grading up until we had lost the count of the percentage of impurity in the blood. We think we should lose sight of it in the herd before we get beyond our knowledge of fractions.—American Cultivator.

Disposal of Carcasses of Animals. Unnecessary loss is often caused by the method in which farmers dispose of carcasses of animals dying from unknown causes. Where death occurs in the winter the common practice is to draw the carcass to a back lot or to the woods, at a distance from the house, and leave it unburied. Crows, hawks, skunks, foxes and dogs have a feast and leave nothing but the bones. In case the animal died of a contagious disease this may be the cause of later widespread trouble through the neighborhood, the germs being carried by the dogs and animals which ate the carcass. When it cannot be buried deeply, the body should be burned by placing it on a pile of wood or brush and saturating well with coal oil before applying a match.

Alfalfa. Alfalfa succeeds as far north as Canada. It grows well some years in Dakota, though occasional winters kill it out there. Occasionally a very dense and heavy snow may kill it. Occasionally an open winter may kill it in the far north, yet it is more hardy than red clover. Seed is saved from the second or third cutting usually and is thrashed with an ordinary thrasher. The hay is a little more easily cured than red clover, but must be raked before it has lost its toughness or the leaves will shatter and be lost.

"Dollar Wheat." It is estimated that from 30 to 40 per cent of the winter wheat crop of 1901 is still in the hands of the men who raised it in the Kansas wheat belt. These men are now talking "dollar wheat" and seem determined to hold their grain for that or at least a higher figure than is at present being offered them, though that figure is higher than it has been for years in that region. Many of the mills are running on short time owing to their inability to get wheat enough to put in full time on.

Healing Stridled Trees. Sometimes rabbits make bad work gnawing trees in young orchards. Many trees thus injured can be saved by opening a six inch trunk lengthwise, placing it around the trunk of the tree. Secure it with a wire at the top and bottom and fill it with moist earth. The following autumn the damaged trees will usually be healed.—F. O. Smith in American Agriculturist.

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Boston Strike More Serious. Boston, March 13.—The strike situation is hourly growing more serious. Added to the dread of a threatened coal famine. Unless the difficulties are settled by Saturday night, hundreds of New England factories will be forced to close throwing out of employment hundreds of thousands of operatives, and paralyzing the freight traffic of the entire east.

Toistol Worse. St. Petersburg, March 13.—Toistol who has been ill for several weeks has taken a sudden change for worse.

Spanish Cabinet Resigns. Madrid, March 12.—It is announced today that the Ministry has placed its resignation in the hands of the Queen regent. This action follows yesterday's dismissal of the cortes.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children. "I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or harmful drug." Sold by F. S. Duffy & Co.

Foods to Avoid. It is well to refuse the sausage brought to your breakfast table if it is stale and to refrain from using the cream in your coffee if it is the least bit sour. Otherwise you run the risk of becoming blind.

Some foods, it is said, are most injurious to the sight. "A case was brought under the notice of an eye specialist," says The Optic Review, "in which the eyes of a whole family were affected by getting rabbit pie. In each instance the patient had become afflicted with a peculiar defect of vision that is technically known as 'failure of accommodation.' Stale sausage and sour cream cause a weakening of the sight known as 'amblyopia.' Blindness resulting from eating tainted fish has been found almost impossible to cure, and quinine is often responsible for some persons' half blind condition. This drug affects the optic nerve in a manner that sometimes ends in blindness." It might be added that alcohol occasionally makes people "blind."

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Whitty & Co.

Generous. A woman the other day gave a London cabman 2 sovereigns in mistake for 2 shillings. When he discovered the mistake, he returned to the house and handed over the money to the woman's husband, who, with tears in his eyes, said: "You shall not be a loser by your honesty, my man. Your fare was a shilling. Here's one and fourpence for you."

An Important Qualification. First Burglar—What did yer take that brickybar for? Tain't no good. Second Burglar—Tain't? First Burglar—Naw. I tell yer, Jimmy, if yer wanten make a fast class success in dis business yer got to know somethin' about art!—Puck.

That Was Another Question. Pa (from upper landing to daughter entertaining her "steady" in the parlor)—Glady, what time is it? Glady—I don't know, pa. Our clock isn't going. Pa—How about Georget—Richmond Dispatch.

A Correction. Neighbor—The baby suffers from sleeplessness, does it? (Mr. Jerolomon (haggard and hollow eyed)—I didn't say it suffered. It seems to enjoy it. I'm the one that suffers.

FOR SALE! I have on hand: Several Second-hand Buggies which are Bargains. 2 Log Carriages and Tackle. 1 Dray and Harness. I will sell very low for cash or on time.

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