

What Everybody Says

must be true, and the universal verdict of those who have used Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup and St. John's Plasters is that there is no doubt of their curative qualities. E. L. Lareler, agent M. C. R. R., Albion, Mich., says "he was cured of Bright's disease" by the use of Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup.

Mrs. M. E. Jones, Prairie City, Iowa, says: "For three years I have been afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism and kidney and liver troubles. I have taken Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup and applied the Plasters over my stomach and am entirely cured. It is the greatest remedy that I have ever used."

First ask your druggist; should he not keep it, we will send on receipt of price, \$1 per bottle; or six for \$5.

RHEUMATIC SYRUP CO.,
Jackson, Mich.

About the Gent'le Sex.

Several gentlemen were discussing the question: What do women like best to do?

"To get married," said one.

"To be in love," said another.

"They would rather dance," remarked a fourth.

"What's the matter with putting on finery?"

"Shopping," suggested a fifth.

An elderly gentleman finally remarked: "The female sex like all the things you have mentioned, but my experience teaches me that there is one thing they prefer over all, and that is to 'boss the shanty'."

"Kerrect!" replied the others, in chorus.

Infernal Ingenuity

Could scarcely devise more excruciating tortures than those of which you see the evidences in the face of a rheumatic or neuralgic sufferer. The agonies are the consequence of not checking a rheumatic or neuralgic attack at the outset. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has been found by skillful medical practitioners to possess not only remedial but defensive efficacy, where those diseases exist, or a tendency to them is exhibited. Surely this puissant but safe tonic medicine, bearing, too, such high specific sanction, is better than the poisons often employed, but most unsafe, not only in continuance, but in isolated doses. The blood is depurated thoroughly from the rheumatic virus, and the nerves slightly impinged upon, saved from ultimate and direful throes by this benign, saving medicine, which likewise exhibits marked efficacy for malaria, kidney complaints, dyspepsia, constipation, and liver complaints.

A Guardian Small Boy.

Big Sister—"Dick, I wish you would go and get Mr. Nicefellow a glass of water."

Mr. Nicefellow—"Yes, my boy, and here's a dime for you."

Little Brother—"Thank you; I'll go pretty soon. Mamma said I shouldn't leave the parlor until she came back."

EVEN snow-drifts twenty feet deep and packed as boys pack snowballs are compelled to yield to the rotary plow. These modern appliances mean business when they go to work.

Pure Blood

Is absolutely necessary in order to have perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great blood purifier, quickly conquering scrofula, salt rheum, and all other insidious enemies which attack the blood and undermine the health. It also builds up the whole system, cures dyspepsia and sick headache, and overcomes that tired feeling.

"I have been troubled by a scrofulous affection all my life. It is one of the marked recollections of my boyhood days, and for several years has rendered me unable to labor much. I think Hood's Sarsaparilla, which I have been using at intervals for ten years, is the best thing I have ever taken. I am now 60, and my general health seems better than ever." H. D. ABBOTT, Warren, N. H.

"I have taken two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla for salt rheum and dyspepsia, with which I was troubled very much. After taking this medicine I am feeling as well as ever in my life." G. W. Rose, Potsville, Pa.

N. B. If you want a good medicine, get

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar



ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers, and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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NOT A BAIT FOR ROBBERS.

An Old Railroad Man Tells Why Pay Trains Are Never "Held Up."

"Why is it that the train robbers never plunder a pay train?"

"Because they know their reward would be too insignificant."

This is the way an ex-railroad man put it the other night.

"Less money," he added, "is carried on a pay train than on any other kind of train. Some folks imagine that the pay of the employees of the two great systems terminating here, aggregating hundreds of thousands monthly, is piled away in the cars, and is hauled over the road."

"Isn't that the case?"

"Great—no. The trains would be robbed before they got well out of Savannah. Besides, who would be able to keep up with a car-load of money? It is largely silver, and the 10c pieces and the nickels and the coppers would run away with things."

"How is the business conducted, then?"

"Easily enough. In fact there is but one way to properly carry it on. That way is to draw on the banks at each city for enough to pay off until the next city is reached. For instance, in leaving Savannah over either the Savannah, Florida and Western Railroad or the Central Railroad just enough money is taken to pay off employees, including agents, track hands, operators, and others at each of the stations. This amount is not very large. The largest amounts are paid out in the cities; for instance, in Macon the engineers, firemen, conductors, and yard hands, and others of the Savannah and Western Railroad, are paid off; in Columbus the Savannah and Western force is paid off; in Augusta the employees of the South Carolina Division of the Central are paid off; the same is true with the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway. By this means the largest sums paid out amount to little more than a transfer of money procured from the banks, through the paymaster of the railroad, to the employees. The sums paid out on the line between the headquarters of each division are small compared to the amounts paid out in the cities. None of the engineers or firemen or conductors or brakemen are paid off at points along the line. They are the employees that get the largest pay."

The railroad man related an incident which took place several years ago, which he said put matter in a bad light and made the pay train tempting to train robbers. A newspaper reporter on one of the dailies in a Western town wrote a long article, stating how much money it required to pay off the employees of the road, and concluding by saying it was singular that the robbers seldom held pay trains up. The figures the newspaper man gave were correct, and the article attracted widespread attention.

Several officials of the road went to the General Manager about the matter, and began to suggest a remedy for what they considered a very bad practice.

The General Manager explained to them that the amount of money carried on pay trains was small compared to what is carried on a regular mail and express train, but the matter was not settled until the newspaper man published an interview with the General Manager, giving the facts and stating the manner in which business was conducted on pay trains. The railroader said, however, that the danger of pay-train robbery is very slight. The robbers have posted themselves about these matters.

—Savannah News.

It Was a Mistake.

Among other communications received at the last meeting of the Lime-kiln Club was the following:

IRWIN STATION, Pa., Jan. 15, 1890.

To officers and members of the Lime-kiln Club:

We have an ole colored lady here by the name of Aunt Liza Gardner, who says she was Brudder Gardner's first wife, and that he left her more than fifty years ago and run off wid a young yaller gal with red hair. She says dat Brudder Gardner could steal mo' chickens dan any five chicken raisers in de State. Now, we was argefin' ab'ut raisin' a branch club here, but if dat is de karakter of de President, we don't w'nt nothin' to do wid it.

Please send information to

—SQUIDGAL, R. BUTTS.

There was breathless silence in the hall as the reading was finished, and the Rev. Pensto'k was about to bob up and declare the missive a deadly insult on the club, which must be avenged, when the President rose up with a bland smile on his face and said:

"It's just a mistake—it's all. I nebbur known no cul'd woman named Aunt Liza Gardner, an' I nebbur got mar'd but just de one time. She's got me mangled up wid some odder pusson, an' de cul'd people at Irwin needn't hesitate to apply for a charter on my account. I hain't de man—of co'se I hain't. Dey has simply met up wid a mistake."

—Savannah News.

A Remedy for the Influenza Cough.

A remedy recommended for patients afflicted with the influenza cough is Kemp's Balsam, the specific for coughs and colds, which is especially adapted to diseases of the throat and lungs. Do not wait for the first symptoms of the disease before securing the remedy, but get a bottle and keep it on hand to use the moment it is needed. It is noted that influenza has a tendency to bring on pneumonia. All druggists sell the Balsam.

A TOPEKA, Kan., preacher dressed himself in rough clothing and started out to see if he could make a living as a common laborer. He found he could not, and gave up the attempt after one day's trial, thus escaping the abuse that would have been heaped upon him when the horny-handed workingmen found that a mere preacher was trying to take away their trade without having joined their union.

The "Mother's Friend"

Not only shortens labor and lessens pain attending it, but greatly diminishes the danger to life of both mother and child if used a few months before confinement. Writs to The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga., for further particulars, sold by all druggists.

Florence, Ala.

The personally conducted excursions to this rapidly growing city have been so successful that the Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad (Evansville Route) will run one on each of the following dates: Feb. 4, 11, 18, and 25. For copy of "Alabama as It Is" and further information, send to William Hill, Gen. Pass. Agent, Chicago, Ill.

BEST, easiest to use and cheapest. Piso's Remedy for Catarrh. By druggists. 50c. THE SMOKER'S DELIGHT—TANSELI'S Punch.

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Never Say Die!

Scourged with ulcers, boils and tetter, Week of limb and sore of eye, Hopeless now of growing better, Surely one must die.

Not at all poor, disengaged sufferer from disordered blood and scrofulous trouble. Take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the great blood-purifier and life-saver of modern days. All those unwholesome sores and blood disorders may be cured, and the victim will look and feel like a new man. It is warranted to benefit or cure, or money paid for it is promptly returned.

PERFECTION is attained in Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It cures the worst cases.

Followed Their Leader.

This story is told about the captain of a schooner who had a band of sheep on the deck of his vessel. As he was turning and twisting the wheel to keep the schooner on her course, the old ram who had the flock, taking umbrage at his motions, came up behind him, and at one fell swoop butted him over the wheel. The enraged captain seized his woolly assailant and threw him overboard, when presto! away went the whole flock, popping over the rail, one after another, into the sea.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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E. H. VAN HESSEN, Cashier, Toledo National Bank, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Extremely High-Strung.

"Do you remember Jones, who went out West?" said one traveling man who was conversing with another in a reminiscent vein.

"Very well."

"He was a very high-strung fellow."

"He was when I last saw him."

"What do you mean?"

"A vigilance committee had taken charge of him."

By way of shedding some light on the inquiry as to when shad were first used for food, Richard Wynkoop publishes a letter of which he has the original, showing that Washington's soldiers ate them in 1781. That the fish was even then held in proper esteem is indicated by the fact that it is speared with a capital S in the letter referred to.

EVER SINCE 1864 there have been women (more each year) who claim that there is no soap half as good, or as economical as Dobson's Electric. There must be some truth in their claim. Try it, see how much.

THE consumer may consider himself lucky if he gets milk of the first water.

DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY

These Pills are scientifically compounded, uniform in action. No gripping pain so commonly following the use of pills. They are adapted to both adults and children with perfect safety. We guarantee they have no equal in the cure of Sick Headache, Constipation, Dyspepsia. Biliousness; and, as an appetizer, they excel any other preparation.

BUFFALO BILL, at the zenith of his popularity and success, is not ashamed of the fact that he was once a scout. He scouts the very idea.—Texas Siftings.

"I have been occasionally troubled with Coughs, and in each case have used Brown's BRONCHIAL TROCHES, which have never failed, and I must say they are second to none in the world." —Felix A. May, Cashier, St. Paul, Minn.

THE orderly mother, with a walking baby in the house, has a place for everything—and the baby knows where it is.

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THE consumer may consider himself lucky if he gets milk of the first water.

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