

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO,
LUCAS COUNTY—SS.
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the
senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co.,
doing business in the City of Toledo, County
and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay
the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for
each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be
cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my
presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. '88.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and
acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces
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Sold by Druggists, 75c.

ACCORDING to the *Lancet*, Dr. Luderitz
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upon various microbes. He found that
the organisms all died in a longer or
shorter period. In one series of experi-
ments anthrax bacilli were destroyed in
three hours, anthrax spores in four weeks,
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The Only Guaranteed Cure
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CHRONIC Nasal Catarrh positively cured
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gists.

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number of cattle. The most savage dog
was tan color and wore a heavy brass
collar.

A PIECE of ice unloaded from the rail-
road cars in West Chester, Pa., weighed
920 pounds.

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SURE CURE.
CURES PERMANENTLY
RHEUMATISM.
The Crippled. The Cure.
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The boy Orrin Robinson, a poor cripple on
crutches, who was cured by St. Jacobs Oil of
rheumatism in 1881, is well; the cure has re-
mained permanent. He is now at work every
day at manual labor. GEO. C. OSGOOD, M. D.
AT DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.
THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., Baltimore, Md.



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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 sys-
tem effectually, dispels colds, head-
aches and fevers and cures habitual
constipation. Syrup of Figs is the
only remedy of its kind ever pro-
duced, pleasing to the taste and ac-
ceptable 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 com-
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the most popular remedy known.
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It in the Neck.
A Hebrew, lately from Russian Poland,
saw a sign in German jargon over a drug
store in Ludlow street bearing the legend,
"Death to Bugs and Insects." He en-
tered, and, moving uneasily in his
clothes, asked the clerk how little of the
"death" he could buy, as he was very
poor, and was informed that he could
have five cents' worth. "Vel, mein
friend, give me dot chloff for finf cent,"
was the response. The clerk proceeded
to weigh out some yellow powder and put
it up in paper, when the Hebrew excited-
ly exclaimed, while pulling aside his
shirt-collar: "Shtop! shtop! put a leedle
of dat in mein neck!"—*New York Mer-
cury.*

Every Meal Is a Trial
To the dyspeptic. Flatulence, heartburn, op-
pressive fullness of the stomach are the inevi-
table sequences of his use of the knife and fork.
To say of him that he gratifies the cravings of
appetite to be genuine satire. He only ap-
peases them. Is relief attainable? Certainly,
and by the use of a pleasant as well as thorough
remedy, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Will it
cure immediately? Certainly not—it does not
effect miracles. But it does give prompt and
unspeakable relief, and will, if persisted in,
produce an ultimate cure. Not only does it im-
part relish to the food but promotes its con-
version by the stomach into rich, health and
strength sustaining blood. Supersensitiveness
of the nerves, mental depression, and inquiet
slumber, produced by interruption of the diges-
tive functions, are also remedied by it. It is
the finest preventive and curative of malarial
disorders, and relieves constipation, rheumat-
ism, kidney and bladder ailments, and liver
complaint.

THE swan is the longest-lived bird, and
it is asserted that it has reached the age
of one hundred years. Knauer, in his
work entitled "Naturhistoriker," states
that he has seen a falcon that was one
hundred and sixty-two years old. The
following samples are cited as to the
longevity of the eagle and vulture: A
sea eagle captured in 1725, and already
several years of age, died 104 years af-
terward, in 1819; a white-headed vulture,
captured in 1706, died in 1826 in one of
the aviaries of Schoenbrunn Castle, near
Vienna, where it had passed 148 years in
captivity.

Entirely Helpless to Health.
The above statement made by Mrs. S. H.
Ford, wife of Gen. Ford, can be vouched
for by nearly the entire population of Cor-
unna, Mich., her home for years. She was
for two years a terrible sufferer from rheu-
matism, being confined to her bed most of
the time, her feet and limbs being so badly
swollen she could scarcely move. She was
induced to try a bottle of Hibbard's Rheu-
matic Syrup. It helped her, and two ad-
ditional bottles entirely cured her. To-day
she is a well woman.
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.

A CURIOUS phenomenon, which as-
sists the electric car very materially in
the ascent of heavy grades, is alluded to
by Joseph Wetzler in his article on the
"Electric Railway" in the April *Scribner*.
This phenomenon, which was specially
noted by Leo Daft in 1882, is that when
the current passes from the car wheel to
the track it causes an increased friction or
resistance to sliding between them, the
result of which is that slipping is to a
large extent prevented, and heavier grades
can be attempted.

A Family Gathering.
Have you a father? Have you a mother?
Have you a son or daughter, sister or a
brother who has not yet taken Kemp's Bal-
sam for the Throat and Lungs, the guaran-
teed remedy for the cure of Coughs, Colds,
Asthma, Croup and all Throat and Lung
troubles? If so, why, when a sample bottle
is gladly given to you free by any druggist,
and the large size costs only 50c and \$1.00?

THERE can be such a thing as too much
natural gas, although its discovery has
led to fortune in some cases. A farmer
in Indiana is in trouble over the matter,
for gas is escaping all over his farm. A
lighted match will start a fire of the es-
caping gas in hundreds of places on his
land, and even the water in his well is
forced out by the gas. The family are
frightened, and talk of removing to es-
cape being blown up.

Hibbard's Rheumatic and Liver Pills.
These Pills are scientifically compounded,
uniform in action. No gripping pain so com-
monly 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, Con-
stipation, Dyspepsia, Biliousness; and, as
an appetizer, they excel any other prepara-
tion.

A YOUNG man writes to inquire, "Does
a college education pay?" No, it makes
the old man pay.

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Co., Philada., Pa., to any one in the U. S. or
Canada, postage paid, upon receipt of 25
Dobbin's Electric Soap wrappers. See list
of novels on circulars around each bar
Soap for sale by all grocers.

Regimental Women.
No baggage train is allowed to a Per-
sian regiment—their, in appearance, is
quite unlike any other onward military
movement—neither are commissary
stores taken along with them. No tents
have they. These Eastern regiments
travel quite comfortably their thirty
miles a day. They are provided with
substantial entertainment before the
early morning start, and before set of
sun will reach their next appointment,
where all will be accommodated for the
night.

The colonel's lady makes the trip in
style; a light horse litter, over which is
thrown a scarlet cloth, is at her service,
and she reclines, unseen by any gaping
crowd, content with her own thoughts
and happy dreams. Following "the lady
of the regiment" are women whose hus-
bands are of lesser note, closely veiled,
one upon either side of a plodding mule,
while a donkey trots solidly on, bearing
all equipments and comforts for the day.
Once well on their way, these army
parties fall apart in groups, as official
position and comradeship warrant, the
officers with stately dignity keeping by
themselves, having within call an atten-
dant to replenish their pipes.

It was the man who couldn't button
his coat who hadn't clothes enough to go
round.

"Brown's Bronchial Troches" are wide-
ly known as an admirable remedy for Bron-
chitis, Hoarseness, Coughs, and Throat
troubles. Sold only in boxes.

WHAT is better than a promising man?
A paying one.

"Seven Weeks."
One of Lord Bacon's parliamentary an-
ecdotes, though three hundred years old,
may be quoted with effect in these days
when legislative bodies sit long and do
little.
Mr. Popham, Speaker of the House of
Commons, had one day an audience with
Queen Elizabeth.
"Now, Mr. Spe ker," said the Queen,
"what has passed in the lower house?"
"Seven weeks, if it please your Majes-
ty," answered the Speaker.

[From the St. Louis Bulletin.]
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 26, 1887.
Dr. A. Owen is the most successful in-
ventor and manufacturer in the country of
electrical appliances for the cure of acute,
chronic, and nervous diseases. They have
received the unqualified indorsement of
physicians of high standing, as well as
thousands of sufferers who have been cured
by them. The following indorsement, for
instance, is absolutely convincing: "I am
professor of the theory and practice of
medicine in the American College of
St. Louis:
St. Louis, Mo., June 10, 1886.
I take pleasure in stating that I have ex-
amined and tested Dr. Owen's Electro-
Galvanic Belt and Appliance, and do not
hesitate to say that it is the most practical
and efficient of all the galvanic belts I have
used in my practice. It is a very useful
device, and whenever electric belts or
shields can be of any benefit, this will more
than take the place of anything of the kind
I have ever seen.

GEORGE C. PITZER, M. D.,
Professor of the Theory and Practice of
Medicine in the American College, St.
Louis; Clinical Lecturer at the City Hos-
pital, St. Louis; Editor of the *American*
Journal of Anatomy and Physiology, and
"Electricity in Medicine and Surgery," and Author of
"Direct Medication." See their advt. in
this paper.

Cheap Excursions to Atalla, Alabama.
The Monon route will, on April 26, 27, 28,
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alla, Ala., and return, for the great land
sale April 28, 29, and 30, tickets good until
May 10, with privilege of stopping over at
Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain, return-
ing. Don't miss the opportunity to visit
the New South.

Express trains daily to Cincinnati, con-
necting with the Queen and Crescent route.
Atalla is the natural eastern gateway of
the great future iron manufacturing district
of North Alabama, in the center of the rich,
soft red and brown ore belt, with coal and
lime stone in easy reach, has four (4) rail-
roads, fine water power, three (3) furnaces,
car works, cotton compress, oil well and
planing mills.
But three years ago a village of 400, now
a thriving city of 2,000. The sale is under
the auspices of the Atalla Iron and Steel
Company, and consists of choice manufac-
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the corporation limits of the city and ad-
joining the vast coal and iron fields.

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Last chance for fine agricultural land
free. The great Sioux Reservation of 11-
000,000 acres now open for settlement, lying
in the Missouri valley, is equal to any State
in the Union for fertility and productive-
ness. Pierre is the key to this land, and
the coming large city of South Dakota.
For full information, free of charge, write
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If afflicted with Sore Eyes, use Dr. Isaac
Thompson's Eye Water. Druggists sell it. 25c.

ASK your dealer for "Tansill's Punch."



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"You certainly are mistaken," said one young man to another at an evening party, "but that cannot be the young lady I met last winter, though the name is the same. Judge for yourself. This girl has a glorious complexion, while the other young lady—Good heavens, what a skin she had! Covered with blotches and red-headed pimples; it was like a nutmeg grater. Oh no, this cannot be the young lady." But it was, though, and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery had worked the miracle. As a remedy for pimples, blotches, eruptions and all Skin and Scalp diseases, it is the most wonderful medicine extant. Of all the many blood-purifiers and remedies for skin diseases, "Golden Medical Discovery" is the only one guaranteed to do all that's claimed for it, or money promptly refunded! Especially has it manifested its potency in curing Salt-rheum, Tetters, Erysipelas, Eczema, Boils, and Carbuncles. In all Scrofulous Sores and Swellings, "Fever-sores," "Hip-joint Disease" and all impurities of the blood, no matter from whatever cause arising, it effects the most marvelous cures. WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Manufacturers, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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eral debility. Only a few of these symptoms likely to be present at once.
Dr. Sage's Remedy cures the worst cases. Only 50 cents. Sold by druggists, everywhere.

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"I feel very much indebted to Hood's Sarsaparilla for I believe it is to the use of this medicine that I owe my present health. In the spring I got so com-
pletely run down that I could not eat or sleep, and all the dreaded diseases of life seemed to have a mortgage on my system. I was obliged to abandon my work, and after seeking medical treatment and spending over \$50 for different preparations, I found myself no better. Then my wife persuaded me to try a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before the first bottle was gone I began to amend. I have now used two bottles and have gained 32 pounds. Can eat any-
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"Hood's Sarsaparilla purified my blood, gave me strength, and overcame the headache and dizziness, so that now I am able to work again." LUTHER NASON, 33 Church St., Lowell, Mass.
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The Spring Medicine
its way to the leading place among medicines by its own intrinsic, undisputed merit, and has now a larger sale than any other similar preparation in the country. If you have never taken Hood's Sarsaparilla, a fair trial will convince you of its excellence and merits. Take it this season.
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100 Doses One Dollar

PISO'S REMEDY FOR CATARRH.—Best. Easiest to use. Cheapest. Relief is immediate. A cure is certain. For Cold in the Head it has no equal.
CATARRH
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THE BEST REMEDY FOR CHILDREN SUFFERING FROM COLD IN HEAD, SNUFFLES OR CATARRH OF THE NOSE.
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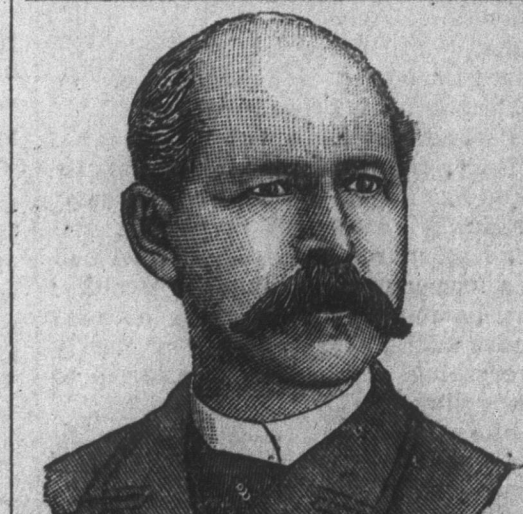
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