

Pure Blood is Life-

Paine's Celery Compound the Only Hope of All Suffering from Blood Diseases.

The Great Medicine Quickly Expels all Poisons and Renews the System.

Scrofula is one of the most terrible and wasting of blood diseases; it usually develops in early life, and in the majority of cases is hereditary. Many medical men contend that scrofula is the parent of consumption.

When the blood is thin, impoverished, impure and foul, its poisoned condition shows up clearly in pimples, sores, tumors, abscesses, blotches, erysipelas, cancer, white swellings, sore eyes, felons, boils, salt rheum, eczema, etc.

Pure blood represents life; foul and poisoned blood means suffering and death. Steady, action and the health of the human system are dependent upon the blood.

The only true way to cleanse and enrich the blood is to use Paine's Celery Compound. Its vitalizing and purifying effect upon the blood of young and old is magical. The most virulent blood diseases quickly yield to its healing and cleansing power. No other medicine known to man has ever achieved the victories over obstinate blood troubles that Paine's Celery Compound has accomplished.

If you have a trace or symptom of blood disease, your life is truly in danger. If you are anxiously seeking for a cure, have a care how to make use of the widely advertised "blood purifiers;" in the great majority of instances they are frauds. Ask your druggist for Paine's Celery Compound, the only medicine that can make your blood and flesh clean, pure and healthy.

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the celebrated

P. D.

CORSETS

To be bought from all leading dry goods stores.

ADVICE ABOUT

Spice.

When ordering a package Pepper, Ginger, Allspice, Cinnamon or Cream of Tartar from your grocer you can always feel sure of securing the best quality by asking for :::

Mott's

Annual Meeting

Merchants Bank of P. E. Island

The Annual General Meeting of the stockholders of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island, will be held at its Banking House, Great George Street, on Tuesday the 10th day of January, next, 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m.

Proxies must be left with the Cashier at least one day previous to the meeting. J. M. DAVISON, Cashier

For The Women

Lovest Thou Me.

"Lovest thou me?" I heard my Saviour say, Would that my heart had power to answer, "Yea." Thou knowest all things, Lord, in heaven above And earth beneath; Thou knowest that I love. But 'tis not so in word, in deed in thought; I do not, cannot love Thee as I ought. Thy love must give the power, Thy love alone, There's nothing worthy of Thee but Thine own. Lord with the love wherewith Thou lovest me, Reflected on Thyself, I would love Thee."

—Montgomery.

Beware of Misjudging.

Perhaps it were better for most of us to complain less of being misunderstood and to take more care that we do not misunderstand other people. It ought to give us pause at a time to remember that each one has a stock of cut-and-dried judgments on his neighbors, and that the chances are that most of them are quite erroneous. What our neighbor really is, we may never know; but we may be pretty certain that he is not what we have imagined and that many things we have thought of him are quite beside the mark. What he does, we have seen, but we have no idea what may have been his thoughts and contentions. The mere surface of his character may be exposed, but of the complexity within we have not the faintest idea. People crammed with self-consciousness and self-conceit are often praised as humble, while shy and and reserved people are judged to be proud. Some whose whole life is one subtle, studied selfishness get the name of self-sacrifice, while other silent, heroic souls are condemned for want of humanity.—Ian Maclaren.

Was it You?

There was somebody that said an unkind word which hurt somebody else. Was it you?
There was somebody who was thoughtless and selfish in his manner and mode of living. Was it you?
There was somebody who harshly criticised the actions of somebody else. Was it you?
There was somebody who found nothing but faults in the belongings of his friend. Was it you?
There was somebody who borrowed a book, and kept it for months. Was it you?
There was somebody who never stopped to think who was hurt by the sarcastic word. Was it you?
There was somebody who, day in and day out, never did any thing to make anybody else happy. Was it you?
—Canadian Churchman.

—Each day should witness an effort on the part of every Christian to lead some soul to Christ.

—God never does anything for us that we can do for ourselves. If we could have saved ourselves Jesus would never have come.

—"Let the good book you read have an appendix in your life."

—Talkativeness has another plague

A POINTER TO ALL DYSPEPTICS.

Why They Have Dyspepsia How to Cure.

A Weak Stomach Cures Imperfect Digestion—Imperfect Digestion Brings on Dyspepsia—Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Positively Cure Them Both.

You've seen a lump of putty that has lain on the shelf till the oil has evaporated out of it, and it has become hard and dry.

To make it fit to use, you must moisten it with oil. Then it becomes soft and workable.

The food in the stomach of a dyspeptic, very much resembles a lump of hard, dry putty.

It should not be hard; it should not be dry. It should be soft and moist.

If it be hard and dry, it cannot be digested. It remains in the stomach, and inflammation of that organ or of the bowels is certain to result.

The reason the Dyspeptic's food remains

attached to it, even curiosity; for praters wish to hear much that they may have much to say.

A pretty story is related of the late Phillips Brooks. He had long been a favourite with a little girl of five, the daughter of a parishoner, and she always delighted if she happened to meet him when out for a walk. The day he died her mother came into the room where the child was playing, and holding the bright little face between her hands, said, tearfully, "Bishop Brooks has gone to heaven." "Oh mamma," was the reply, "how happy the angels will be!"

There is one furnace that melts all hearts—love; there is one balm that soothes all pain—patience; there is medicine that cures all ills—time; there is one peace that ends all strife—death; there is one light that illuminates all darkness—hope.—Canadian Home Journal.

You will enjoy your own Christmas ever so much more if you try to make some one else's Christmas happier. That poor widow, that aged couple, that sick boy or girl just a few doors from your own home—think what you can do to show your love for Christ by making them happier.—Wesleyan.

The longer on this earth we live, And weigh the various qualities of men

The more we feel the high, stern featured beauty

Of plain devotedness to duty, Steadfast and still, nor paid with mortal praise.

—James Russell Lowell.

UNITED STATES AND SPAIN

Terms of Peace Concluded.

PARIS, Dec 8.—The peace of Paris is practically an accomplished fact. The essential features of the treaty will be embodied in the following eight articles:

First—The customary preface of treaties in the nature of an expression of amity and of hope for perpetual peace.

Second—The relinquishment by Spain of her sovereignty over Cuba.

Third—The withdrawal of the Spanish troops.

Fourth—Relinquishment by Spain of sovereignty over Porto Rico.

Fifth—Spain's cession of the Philippine.

Sixth—The withdrawal of the Spanish troops there.

Seventh—Payment by the United States of \$20,000,000 for the Philippines.

Eighth—The provision for the "open-door" commercial policy in the Philippines.

The rough draft of the treaty, which may be considerably changed, covers these proposals.

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES

Montreal Gazette: It appears that the bulk of the sum subscribed for Captain Bernier's trip to the North Pole is a grant of \$25,000 promised by the Dominion Government. It Captain Bernier is trusting to a promise made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, it is probable that someone else will get to the North Pole before him.

According to a report received from Commissioner Lark, the business men of New South Wales are sick of the grinding charges of the present cable monopoly. An influential deputa ion waited upon Postmaster-General Parkes to urge him to endeavor to bring the British cable project to a head. Mr Parkes expressed his sympathy with the deputa ion, and said he would do his utmost to further the object at heart. Incidentally he twitted the Canadian Government on its present lukewarmness towards the undertaking.

hard and dry in his stomach is because the stomach does not supply oil—in the form of gastric juice—to soften and moisten it. A healthy stomach supplies sufficient gastric juice to ensure the digestion of the food partaken of. An unhealthy, dyspeptic stomach cannot.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are composed of substances that, when dissolved, form the fluid that the stomach is unable to supply, and which is absolutely necessary to digest the food.

Therefore Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets make prompt, perfect digestion of the food certain.

By ensuring prompt, perfect digestion, they banish Dyspepsia and its attendant miseries.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets contain, also, substances that tone and strengthen the stomach, and stimulate the glands that supply the gastric juice. They thus put the stomach into a position to carry out its work of digestion thoroughly. By doing this they prevent Dyspepsia from returning after they have banished it.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by all druggists at fifty cents a box, six boxes, \$2.50; or sent on receipt of price, by The Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

A LIVING PROOF

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure Kidney Disease.

Dr. William Gorman, a Meteghan Hotel Keeper, Bears Public Testimony—No one Need Suffer From Diseased Kidneys, for Dodd's Kidney Pills make Them Sound.

Meteghan, N.S., Dec 9.—Every traveler who visits this part of our Province knows Mr William Gorman, the genial proprietor of the Bay View Hotel.

Mr Gorman is justly proud of his reputation as an entertainer of the travelling public. Not a drummer on the road will pass the Bay View, if he can help it, as he is sure of finding there unsurpassable entertainment, and—everything else that a drummer requires.

His many warm friends have long known that Mr Gorman was, at times, subject to very severe pains across the back, which sprang from that organ, kidney trouble, and which caused him untold suffering.

For two years past, however, Mr. Gorman has been entirely free from this distressing melody, and his friends frequently speculated as to the means by which he got rid of it. To a friend he recently gave this explanation:

"I take pleasure in testifying to the merits of Dodd's Kidney Pills, for they worked wonders for me. Some two years ago, I was suffering from very severe pains across my back—some kind of kidney trouble. I got two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and used them, and since then, I have never had any return of the pain. I believe that Dodd's Kidney Pills are a first-class remedy and have no hesitation in giving this statement for publication."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases. They are sold by all druggists, at fifty cents a box, six boxes, \$2.50, or will be sent, on receipt of price, by The Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Major Marchand, of Fashoda fame, celebrated his thirty sixth birthday last Monday. He began life as a notary clerk in France. He has been both in the French army and marines, but has spent the greater portion of his life in exploring for geographical purposes.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be bald and hearty and wont look w thin twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory—is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be, and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

Christening Battleships.

It is not believed that the origin of christening the warship was due to an act of irreverence as a mock baptism, but that its earliest inception was the human sacrifice, then the libations of wine of Greece and the north, and, with the spread of the Christian religion, the blessing of the battleship, a custom observed today in all Roman Catholic countries. The object was the same in both the pagan and Christian rites, to make the career of the ship successful by an appeal to the protection of unknown powers. Even the superstitions of those old days come down to us. We may not steal wood to make a swift keel for our new ship in the night, on the principle that thieves run fast in the darkness, but ships sail out of Marblehead today with a broom nailed to the mast, and no crew will start out on a Friday unless under compulsion.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Duties of Citizenship.

No citizen has a right to criticize public affairs or bewail evil conditions which may exist unless he is willing to work, as all citizens should, to better those conditions. Let him ask himself if he has done his own duty before he laments the fact that others have failed in theirs. Let him be certain that he understands the duties of citizenship in his country. Few perfectly understand their obligations as citizens, although the subject is one to which every free-man should devote careful study. They would then be capable of active and intelligent effort and would perceive the folly of idle criticism. They would then know that liberty, like all things truly valuable, cannot be gained or kept without great effort and that it remains not long with the undeserving.—Speed Mosby in North American Review.

NERVES must be fed on pure, rich blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best nerve tonic. By enriching the blood it makes the nerves STRONG.

The Time Has Come

It is now time you were thinking of a good warm O'COAT or ULSTER so if you are satisfied that now is the time the next thing is to decide where is the best place—who keeps the best goods—who sells the cheapest.

We GUARANTEE to show the LARGEST assortment in the city

We GUARANTEE to give you the best ready made clothing made.

We GUARANTEE to give you the BEST value in ready made clothing on the Island.

We GUARANTEE to refund your money if you are not satisfied.

Our own personal guarantee card in the pocket of every garment sold by us.

Our Black, Blue and Brown Beaver Overcoats are custom made, sewed all through with silk, trimmed equal to any coat in the market, and we sell them for \$10, \$12, \$15 and \$18.

733 Ulsters bought a shade over half price, will be sold wholesale or retail from now till Xmas at greatly reduced prices.



We stand by those who have stood by us, and we are bound to protect our customers against fraud, deceit, and deception—Competitors can look out for themselves.

We have climbed the pole of success by square and honest dealing, working day and night to give our customers the best goods made at lowest possible prices.

Always advertising what we do, and always doing what we advertise.

Clothing, Hats and Caps. Ladies' Capes and Sacques, Carpets and House Furnishings, Top Shirts and Underclothing.

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The Wonderful Cheap Men